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BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

of

**CLEVELAND COUNTY
NORTH CAROLINA**

1987



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Kings Mountain Baptist Association

of

Cleveland County

North Carolina

**One Hundred Thirty-Seventh
Annual Session**

**Held With
Eastside Baptist Church
Shelby
October 20-21, 1987**

**Next Session With
Pleasant Hill Baptist Church
October 17, 1988
and
Patterson Springs Baptist Church
October 18, 1988**

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DEDICATION

Dr. Clyde Chapman was a man of great love and compassion. To all who knew him, he was a friend. Truly, he was a man of God. He loved the work to which God had called him. He loved the people he was called to under shepherd. He was ordained into the Gospel ministry by the Dover Baptist Church.

Clyde was born December 15, 1917 in Cliffside, North Carolina, but the family later moved to Cleveland County. He was educated in the Cleveland County schools, having graduated from the Lenoire High School. He went on to Wake Forest College and Southeast Baptist Theological Seminary, where he received the Doctorate of Theology degree.

He was pastor of churches in Swepsonville, North Carolina; Lexington, Kentucky; Spence, North Carolina and in 1979 was called as pastor of Poplar Springs Baptist Church in the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

Clyde was married to the former Sue Whitesides. To this union was born two children, David and Susan.

Clyde had retired about a year and a half before the Lord called him home on July 26, 1987. Because of his illness he was never really able to enjoy his retirement time. Yet in it all his trust was in the Lord who was his ever present help.

The verse of scripture that comes to mind as I remember Dr. Clyde Chapman is found in II Timothy 4:7-8. "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Hereafter there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them that love his appearing." To God be the glory.



C.A. Kirby, Interim Pastor
Mills Memorial Baptist Church

IN MEMORIAM

Forest Chalmers Fencer was born July 1, 1892 on a farm eight miles south of Lexington, N.C. One of eight children, he was named after Confederate cavalry general Nathan Bedford Forrest and Scottish preacher and mathematician, Thomas Chalmers (1760-1847). Despite little family interest in religion, Forest accepted Jesus as savior when he was eight and made a public commitment four years later at Jersey Baptist Church.

A desire for education led him to leave the farm at age eighteen and enroll in the fifth grade in a private school near Chertland, N.C. During the time at Chertland he began to feel that he should be a minister. One day while plowing he told the Lord he wasn't sure what a call to the ministry was, but would accept it as a sign from the Lord if someone asked him to preach. While still in the field he was approached by an emissary from a church needing a supply preacher the following Sunday. He was ordained by Jersey Baptist in 1915 while still in high school.

Admitted to Wake Forest College, he excelled in studies, debating and country. Although he had never seen a football game, he was recruited by the football and basketball coaches because of his size and strength. He was a star in both sports and was captain of the basketball team.

He attended Southern Seminary and following his graduation, he made a study tour of Palestine, Europe, England and Scotland. Returning to America, he became professor of Bible at William Jewell College in Liberty, Mo. Two years later he resigned to become pastor of Second Baptist Church in Liberty.

While pastor at Liberty, he married Jessie Ray Polite, youth director of First Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas. Dr. George W. Truett performed the September 25, 1927 ceremony.

On January 1, 1932, the Fencers moved to the pastorate of the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Raleigh, N.C. During the ministry at Raleigh, the Fencers adopted two baby girls. He was a crusader against moral evils, entered the new radio ministry, was President of the North Carolina Baptist Convention.

In 1935 he was called to the pastorate of the 4,000 member Broadway Baptist Church in Fort Worth, Texas.

At age 34 in 1946, he became pastor of the First Baptist Church in Waco, Texas. While pastor at Waco, he was elected President of the Baptist General Convention of Texas and First Vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Texas Baptists called him to be the Executive Secretary of their convention in 1953. At the mandatory retirement age of 48 he ended eight and one half years of service in that position.

Having served 16 years on the Foreign Mission Board and made many overseas trips to visit with missionaries, his mission commitment was realized when he spent a year as pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Taipei, Taiwan. Other notable items of service included regular sermons over the short-wave "Voice of America" from 1952-55. He served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, trustee of Meredith College and Baylor University. He received The Master of Theology degree from the University of Chicago and honorary doctoral degrees from Wake Forest, Baylor, and Campbell Universities and Gardner-Whit College.

Known as a man of prayer, he led a prayer for world peace at the 1955 Baptist World Alliance by asking delegates from Russia and Iron Curtain Countries to hold hands with delegates from America and the West.

During his 20 years of "retirement", Dr. Fencer served churches in Texas, Georgia, Wisconsin, and North Carolina as interim pastor. He moved to Shelby in 1976.

On December 2, 1986, Dr. Forest Chalmers Fencer left his body here to go into the presence of the Lord.



Rev. Royce Ballou, Pastor
Waco Baptist Church



A Brief History Of Eastside Baptist Church, Shelby

Eastside Baptist Church was organized in December, 1911, with thirty-one charter members. The first pastor, Rev. C.O. Johnson, led in building the first sanctuary and was pastor for one year. Others who have served as pastors are Rev. W.G. Camp, Rev. H.B. Whitrop, Rev. R.P. Hardy, Rev. W.F. Eggensatz, Rev. E.D. Hicks, and Rev. W.W. Padgett who pastored the church for twenty-six years.

In 1974, under Rev. Padgett's leadership, the church moved from Bullitt Street to its present location on Wylie Road. Some years later, an activities building and ball field were constructed. The present structure, which provides 21,500 square feet of floor space, is located on nine acres of land. The total property value is in excess of \$1,000,000.00.

The church expanded its program in 1983 by calling Dr. Harold E. Pitt as associate pastor. In 1985, Dr. Pitt was called as pastor of Eastside Baptist Church.

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY OFFICERS AND STAFF

Moderator	Rev. Billy Cooper, P.O. Box 1360, Shelby
Vice-Moderator	Rev. Jeff Bendaie, 301 N. Post Rd., Shelby
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Director of Church & Community Ministries	Rev. Bob Davis, 1175 Wylie Rd., Shelby
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CCM Secretary	Mrs. Jean Bendaie, 1175 Wylie Rd., Shelby

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Rev. Royce Balfew, Sunday School Director	P.O. Box 297, Waco
Rev. Dave Gordon, Church Training Director	P.O. Box 116, East
Mr. Harold Wright, Brotherhood Director	Rt. 3, Box 231, Blackburg
Mrs. Akona Falls, WMU Director	Rt. 2, Box 412-C, Kings Mountain
Mrs. Dana E. Jenkins, Music Director	2106 Tower Dr., Apt. 2, Shelby
Rev. Paul Wall, President, Pastors' Conference	2221 S. Lafayette St., Shelby
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Rev. Bob Collins, Chmn. Evangelism Committee	P.O. Box 628, Kings Mountain
Mr. Fred Powers, Chmn. Christian Life Community	406 S. Washington St., Shelby
Rev. Glenn Dawgert, Youth for Christ Director	P.O. Box 1668, Shelby
Rev. Paul Wall, Chmn. Strategy Planning Committee	2221 S. Lafayette St., Shelby
Rev. Terry Goid, Audiovisual Coordinator	118 Delmar Rd., Shelby

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Director of Missions, Rev. Cline W. Borders	1175 Wylie Rd., Shelby
Director of Church & Community Ministries, Rev. Bob Davis	1175 Wylie Rd., Shelby
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President, Pastors' Conference, Rev. Paul Wall	2221 S. Lafayette St., Shelby
Audiovisual Coordinator, Rev. Terry Goid	118 Delmar Rd., Shelby

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

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Mr. Charles Board, Laymen's Group

CALENDAR COMMITTEE

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 Sunday School Director, Rev. Roger McGraw
 Church Training Director, Rev. Dave Gordon
 Brotherhood Director, Mr. Harold Wright
 WMU Director, Mrs. Alois Fells
 Music Director, Mrs. Dana Butler Jenkins

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES, 1987-1988

*Thanks Church Group + Denotes Year Term Expires

ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE

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Rev. Penelope Heatherly, Lattimore	1989
Rev. Sam Snyder, Kings Mountain	1990
Moderator	
Vice-Moderator	
Clerk/Treasurer	
Assn. Music Director	

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Rev. Phil Wough, Grover	1990

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Mr. Fred Manney, Waco	1989
Mr. Tom Tate, Kings Mountain	1990
Mr. Paul Downer, Grover	1990
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Mr. Ronald Nanney, Shelby	1988
Rev. Wayne Hutton, Waco	1989
Rev. Elaine Gregg, Grover	1989
Rev. Dan Jolly, Chairman, Shelby	1990

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Mrs. Thelma Warlick, Polkville	1988
Rev. Keith Dixon, Chairman, Lattimore	1988
Rev. J.C. Coart, Shelby	1989
Mr. Fred Weaver, Kings Mountain	1989
Mrs. Velma Ellis, Lattimore	1990
Mrs. Doris Jackson, Grover	1990

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

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Mr. Ben Hare, Shelby	1989
Rev. Ed Seamon, Lattimore	1989

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Mrs. Jessie Lowman, Waco	1988
Rev. Bill Tackett, Polkville	1988
Rev. Ralph Lail, Chairman, Waco	1988
Rev. Bill Lockaby, Shelby	1988

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Rev. C.A. Kely, Jr., Chairman, Lattimore	1988
Rev. Rochelle Ingle, Shelby	1988
Rev. Marion Adams, Shelby	1988

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Mr. Hugh Pate, Kings Mountain	1988
Mrs. John Berry Hartsrick, Lattimore	1988
Mrs. David Dorn, Polkville	1988
Dr. Wayne Washburn, Chairman, Lattimore	1988
Mr. Clifford Hughes, Shelby	1988
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Rev. Roy Traylor, Waco	1988

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Mrs. Carrie Rogers, Lattimore	1988
Dr. Harold Pitt, Shelby	1988
Mr. Fred Flowers, Chairman, Shelby	1988
Mrs. Glenda Dorn, Waco	1988
Rev. Gene Hankin, Kings Mountain	1988

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Mrs. Catherine Martin, 487-4782	Polkville Group
Mrs. Jess Conner, 487-5482	Shelby Group
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Mrs. Diane Coles, Chairman, Juvenile Court Ministry, Shelby	
Mrs. Sarah Williams, Chairman, Library Ministry, Kings Mountain	
Mr. Horrie Douglas, Chairman, Emergency & Relief Ministry, Lattimore	
Mrs. Catherine Dutton, Chairman, Developmentally Handicapped Ministry, Polkville	
Mrs. Vicki Houston, Chairman, Visually Handicapped Ministry, Shelby	
Mrs. Cindy Melton, Chairman, Christmas Toy Drive Ministry, Lattimore	
Rev. Stan Webb, Chairman, Substance Abuse Commission, Waco	

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Mr. David Bennett, Shelby
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Mrs. Alana Falls, Kings Mountain

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Mrs. Katherine Spangler, Shelby	
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Dr. Terry Peen, Waco	1989
Mr. Stan Andrews, Lattimore	1989
Mrs. Cindy Waugh, Grover	1989
Ms. Betty Wright, Waco	1989

STRATEGY PLANNING COMMITTEE

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Rev. Brian Tadin, Kings Mountain	1989
Mr. Thelton Osborne, Lattimore	1989
Rev. Paul Wall, Chairman, Shelby	1989
Dr. Randy Gardner, Kings Mountain	1989

YOUTH FOR CHRIST COMMITTEE

Rev. Glenn Davenport, Chairman, Shelby	1989
Rev. James Rice, Grover	1989
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Mrs. Maria Reathly, Polkville	1989
Mr. David Putman, Waco	1989
Mr. Charlie Calhoun, Grover	1989

MEMORIALS COMMITTEE

Rev. C.O. Greene, Polkville	1989
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Rev. Cecil Boff, Polkville, Chairman	1989

PASTORAL MINISTRIES COMMITTEE

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Rev. Richard Flyter, Kings Mountain	1989
Mr. Ronnie Doughrie, Lattimore	1989
Rev. Ed Seaton, Lattimore	1989
Rev. Ken Cobb, Polkville	1989
Rev. Broderick Henshelly, Lattimore	1989

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Rev. Terry Gault, Shelby	1989
Mr. Joe Collins, Waco	1989
Rev. Jesse Bailey, Chairman, Kings Mountain	1989
Rev. Jerry Ruzick, Shelby	1989

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Mr. Paul Polton, Kings Mountain	1989
Mr. Willard Peoples, Kings Mountain	1989
Mr. W. H. Lutz, Waco	1989
Miss Louise Herrick, Lattimore	1989
Mrs. Joe E. Horton, Jr., Polkville	1990
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Mr. Harold Causey, Shelby	1990
Mr. Vance Harrison, Kings Mountain	1990
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Mr. Homer Stamm, Grover	1990

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Mr. Joe Collins, Waco	1989
Rev. Brian Tuck, Chairman, Kings Mountain	1990

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 Mr. Al Bradford, Polkville
 Miss Delores White, Kings Mountain

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Mrs. Diane Butler Jenkins	Grover
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Mr. Dan Jones, 1989	Lattimore
Mr. Tom Tate, 1990	Kings Mountain
ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR	
Rev. Terry Gold	Shelby

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Director	Rev. Royce Bailey, Ware
Vacation Bible School Director	Ms. Linda Ellis, Ware
Teacher Improvement Director	Rev. John Hunter, Shelby
Homebound Activities Director	Rev. W.V. Turbin, Shelby
Outreach Director	Mr. Joe Collins, Ware
Age Group Directors:	
Preschool	Ms. Linda Ellis, Ware
Children	Mrs. Cindy Wright, Gower
Youth	
Adult	Mrs. Denise Smith, Lattimore

CHURCH TRAINING

Director	Rev. David Gordon, Gower
New Member Orientation	Rev. Markey Heyward, Gower
Adult Leader	Rev. Keith Dixon, Lattimore
Preschool Leader	Mrs. Valerie Wall, Shelby
Children's Leader	Mrs. Jeanne Adams, Polkville
Youth Leader	Mrs. Sandy Ledbetter, Lattimore

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Homes for the Aging	Mr. Norman King, Kings Mountain
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Baptist Foundation	Mr. Robert Darden, Ware

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WMU Director: Alois Potts, Kings Mountain First	786-760
Assistant WMU Director: Martha Yarbrough, Kings Mountain First	786-526
Baptist Women Director:	
Assistant Baptist Women Director:	
BYW Director: Carol Addie, Patterson Springs	487-5297
Assistant BYW Director: Christine Hayes, Pleasant Ridge	434-6878
Actress Director: Daphne Roberts, Pleasant Ridge	434-7786
Assistant Actress Director: Dorothy Young, Shelby First	487-6557
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Assistant G.A. Director: Cindy Melton, Double Springs	434-9517
Mission Friends Director: Mickie Hamrick, Zeno	487-8513
Assistant Mission Friends Director: Libby Olson, Mt. Zion	487-8717
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Mission Action Director: Anne Cook, Gower	538-6995
Assistant Action Director: Diane Martin, Polkville	538-7882
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Nominating Committee:	
Thelma Murphy, Macedonia	786-6338
Lynn Wilson, Beaver Dam	434-2675
Genevieve Allen, Shelby Second	487-9923
Ginada Druce, Elizabethtown	487-5863

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Assistant Director	Mr. Rod Mauney, Kings Mountain
Baptist Men's Director	Mr. Hale Price, Shelby
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R. A. Lumbert	
Nominating Committee	Jim Hooks Dwight Holthoff Bobby Joe Kendrick

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Vice-President	Dr. Gene Watkinson, Shelby
Secretary/Treasurer	Rev. Jeff Tomasko, Waco

OFFICERS OF THE MINISTERS WIVES AUXILIARY

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Vice-President	Mrs. Sarah Greer
Secretary/Treasurer	Mrs. Ethel Walls
Program Committee	Mrs. Margaret Lockaby, Chairman Mrs. Grace Lucas
Publicity Chairman	Mrs. Jean Horvath
Nominating Committee	Mrs. Marie Wall, Chairman Mrs. Otha Mae Wood

RETIRED MINISTERS AND SPOUSES FELLOWSHIP

President	Rev. Dan Jolly, Shelby
Vice-President	Rev. Ed Neuman, Lattimore
Secretary	Mrs. Ben Davis, Shelby

DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

	1985-86	1986-87
Grand total mission expenditures	\$1,447,489	\$1,532,939
Total local expenditures	8,829,234	7,649,576
Staff salaries	2,776,481	2,988,895
Total receipts	9,069,268	10,275,096
Gifts per member	323	379
Gifts per member to Cooperative Program	25	26
Cooperative Program gifts	732,297	786,194
Associational missions gifts	145,365	156,876
State Mission gifts	74,433	47,973
Home Mission gifts	96,798	112,099
Foreign Mission gifts	221,946	262,867
Children's Homes	11,296	15,941
Hospital	5,395	5,769
Christian Education	26,285	26,497
Baptisms	*521	491
Church membership	26,191	26,122
Sunday School enrollment	17,849	17,118
Average weekly Sunday School attendance	6,234	6,037
Church Treasury enrollment	5,760	4,296

*94 of these were baptisms from The Good News America Revival.

CONSTITUTION

PREAMBLE

We, the members of Missionary Baptist Churches in the County of Cleveland, State of North Carolina, and territory adjacent thereto, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the principles and rules of order of a district Association in conformity to the following plan:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this body shall be the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II PURPOSE

Under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, this association of churches seeks to further the Kingdom through the following:

- (1) the fostering of fellowship and cooperation among the member churches,
- (2) the ministering of spiritual and physical needs of people,
- (3) the giving and receiving of information, assistance and training for member churches,
- (4) the cooperation with North Carolina Baptist State and Southern Baptist Conventions.

ARTICLE III MEMBERSHIP

Section 1: The Association shall be composed of cooperating Baptist churches in the area of the Association.

Section 2: Churches desiring membership in the Association shall apply to the Membership Committee. Application should include:

1. Formal action by the group seeking admission reflecting that 75% of those voting approves their intent to cooperate.

2. A written statement reflecting their beliefs and practices.

3. A written statement that expresses their intent to cooperate.

4. A willingness to meet with Membership Committee to discuss other items of mutual interest to both parties.

The Membership Committee should be sensitive to groups seeking its services and be willing to present a statement of Baptist belief and practice and what it means to cooperate with the churches in the Association in a world-wide mission program. If recommended by this committee and accepted by the Association, a mission or a church shall agree to come under the watchman of the Association for a minimum of one year. Membership within the Association shall be determined by vote of the Association at its annual meeting. Churches under the watchman shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except their members shall not hold office nor vote.

Section 3: The Association shall be the sole judge of its membership and may receive churches, or reject churches, according to its constitution and by-laws. Member churches may also withdraw as they desire, and if requested, the Associational Executive Board may grant letters of recommendation to other like associations.

ARTICLE IV MEETINGS

Section 1: The Association shall meet annually on Monday and Tuesday after the third Sunday in October and continue until the business of the Association is disposed of.

Section 2: Special meetings may be called by the Moderator or Executive Board, provided two weeks notice is given to the member churches.

Section 3: Each church shall report annually, in addition to the pastor, two messengers to the meetings of the Association for each fifty members of the church, provided each church shall not have less than three nor more than ten messengers. **ALONG WITH ALL ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS**, these shall constitute the voting body of the Association. The names of the messengers printed in the minutes shall include only those in attendance and registering at the Associational Meeting.

ARTICLE V AUTHORITY

Each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches except as provided in this Constitution in Article III, Sections 2 and 3.

ARTICLE VI OFFICERS AND THEIR ELECTIONS

Section 1: The officers of the association shall be the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, Auditor, Historian, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Music Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director, Chairman of the Library Council, Baptist Youth for Christ Director, Parliamentarian, and Association Coordinator.

Section 2: The Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Clerk-Treasurer shall be elected on the last day of the annual meeting. All other officers shall be contacted and nominated by the Committee on Nominations and elected by the Associational Executive Board at their April meeting.

Section 3: The newly elected Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer shall assume at the close of the annual session all duties incumbent upon them relating to work of the ensuing associational year. All other officers shall assume all duties incumbent upon them relating to the work of the ensuing year on October 1.

Section 4: Any person having served two years as Moderator shall be ineligible for reelection for two years.

ARTICLE VII TRUSTEES AND THEIR ELECTION

There shall be three Trustees of the Association, one preferably a layman, serving terms of three years each on a rotating basis. On nomination by the Committee on Nominations, one new trustee shall be elected at the Annual Meeting, no trustee being eligible to succeed himself until after the lapse of one year. The expiration date of each trustee's term of office shall appear by his name in the Associational Minutes.

ARTICLE VIII THE ASSOCIATIONAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Associational Executive Board shall be composed of all Associational officers (Article VI, Section 1), the Associational Director of Missions, the Church & Community Development Director (in-office without voting privileges), each active pastor, two members chosen by each member church from its membership and certified to the Association in its annual report, and chairmen of all standing committees of the Association. The Associational Executive Board shall have the authority to act for the Association between sessions, except as limited by the Constitution. Associational Executive Board members are the connecting link between the Association and the churches. Executive Board members should represent the churches to the Association. Executive Board members should act as representatives for the Association to the churches. It is the responsibility of the Executive Board members to promote the programs, represent the needs and report to the churches concerning the work and ministry of the Association. Executive Board members should seek acceptable means of representing the Association to their respective fellowships. It shall be the duty of the Executive Board to meet quarterly and to make reports and recommendations to the Association in its Annual Meeting.

The quarterly meetings will be in January, April and July, on Monday after the third Sunday.

ARTICLE IX COMMITTEES

Section 1: The Association shall have the following standing committees, with their terms of office being from the close of the annual meeting through the following annual meeting.

A. To be nominated by the Committee on Committees and elected by the Association at the Annual Meeting:

1. Order of Business and Program Committee (By-Law IV, Section 1)
2. Executive Committee (By-Law IV, Section 2)

3. Evangelism Committee (By-Law IV, Section 3)
4. Finance Committee (By-Law IV, Section 4)
5. Ordination Committee (By-Law IV, Section 5)
6. Nominating Committee (By-Law IV, Section 6)
7. Constitution Committee (By-Law IV, Section 7)
8. Membership Committee (By-Law IV, Section 8)
9. Calendar Committee (By-Law IV, Section 9)
10. Bookkeepers Committee (By-Law IV, Section 10)
11. Historical Committee (By-Law IV, Section 11)
12. Secretary Extension Committee (By-Law IV, Section 12)
13. Christian Life Committee (By-Law IV, Section 13)
14. Church & Community Development Committee (By-Law IV, Section 17)
15. Church Reconciliation Committee (By-Law IV, Section 18)
16. Mission Committee (By-Law IV, Section 19)
17. Recreation and Thrift Committee (By-Law IV, Section 20)
18. Strategic Planning Committee (By-Law IV, Section 21)
19. Memorials Committee (By-Law IV, Section 23)
20. Youth for Christ (By-Law IV, Section 27)
21. Pastoral Ministries Committee (By-Law IV, Section 24)
22. Church Survey and Extension Committee (By-Law IV, Section 25)
23. Any other committee authorized by the association.
24. To be appointed by the Moderator at the annual meeting. Committee on Committees (By-Law IV, Section 16).

Section 2: The following committee shall be appointed by the Moderator at least thirty days prior to the Annual Meeting to serve during the Annual Meeting: Enrollment Committee (By-Law IV, Section 16).

ARTICLE X. AMENDMENTS

Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any Annual Session of the Association upon an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the voting members present. Proposed changes must be presented to the Association on the first day and voted upon by a standing vote of the Association on the last day. It is recommended that all proposed changes first be submitted to the Constitution Committee.

BY-LAWS

By-Law I. PARLIAMENTARY RULES

Robert's Rules of Order shall be followed as the Association's rules for conducting its deliberative institutions, except as the Association prescribes otherwise.

By-Law II. ASSOCIATION YEAR

The Association Year shall begin October 1 and close September 30.

By-Law III. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1: The Moderator shall preside over the meeting of the body according to the Constitution and By-Laws, appoint Committees on Committees and Committee on Enrollment. He shall be the Chairman of the Associational Executive Board and be an ex-officio (without voting privileges) member of all other committees. Upon completion of his term of office, the Moderator shall become a member-at-large (for two years) of the Mission Committee, Executive Committee and Executive Board.

Section 2: The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence, or at the pleasure, of the Moderator, and shall be the Vice-Chairman of the Executive Board.

Section 3: The Clerk-Treasurer shall send annual report forms to the member churches at least a month before the Association's Annual Meeting, distribute at the Annual Meeting copies of the digest of these reports, and make an accurate record of the proceedings of the

Association, supervise the printing and distributing of Missions to the member churches, keep on file copies of Minutes, records, and other documents of the Association, and shall also serve as Secretary of the Executive Board. He shall inform all members elected to office or appointed to serve on committees of such action. He shall receive and bank all funds of the Association in the name of the Association; disburse the same upon instructions from the Association, its Executive Board, or as designated in the budget (no money is to be disbursed which is not included in the budget except upon recommendation of the Finance Committee to the Executive Board or the Association in annual session); render an accurate report of receipts and disbursements and distribute same at the Annual Meeting and give a report at each quarterly Executive Board meeting and keep books accurate and up-to-date for examination.

Section 4: The Auditor shall, at the close of the Associational Year, make an audit of the Treasurer's records and report to the Association in session.

Section 5: The Historian shall collect and preserve historical data on the Association and its churches, and make a written report to each Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 6: The Sunday School Director shall cooperate with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the Sunday School Department. This officer shall attend Executive Committee meetings and offer creative plans to this committee that would promote this work.

The Associational Sunday School should assist church leaders to be more effective in their responsibility. This should include:

1. Provide opportunities for fellowship and inspiration.
2. Interpret the Sunday School Program.
3. Train Sunday School leaders.
4. Consult with Sunday School leaders concerning their program.
5. Provide organization and leadership for cooperative work among the churches.

Section 7: The Church Training Department shall cooperate with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the Church Training Department. This officer shall attend Executive Committee meetings, maintain the on-going work of this department at all times, and give an annual report to the Association.

Section 8: The Music Director shall provide leadership for the Association in session and when requested at other times during the year. This officer shall attend the Executive Committee meetings and offer creative plans to this Committee that would promote the work. He shall encourage music growth in the churches throughout the year and shall make a written report to the Annual meeting.

Section 9: The Brotherhood Director shall cooperate with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of men and boys in the churches. The officer shall attend the Executive Committee meetings and offer creative plans to promote the development of men and boys and an awareness of world mission needs.

Section 10: The Woman's Ministry Union Director serves on the Executive Committee of the Association and works with the Director of Missions, leads the WMU Council; consults with our associational WMU officers and assists them in their work; leads in providing opportunities for leaders and members of their church WMU's to have fellowship and receive inspiration concerning their mutual mission task; leads in interpreting the WMU program to church leaders; leads in training church WMU workers and members; consults with church leaders concerning initiation of WMU work and the implementation of existing work; provides at and plans for associational meeting; leads in associational WMU annual planning; leads in discovering mission action needs and in coordinating the work being done; and reports progress of WMU work to the Association and serves as contact between the Association and state WMU.

Section 11: The Chairman of the Library Council shall promote the beginning and maintenance of church libraries in the churches; provide training opportunities for church librarians; maintain and develop the associational library; attend the Executive Committee meetings; cooperate with the Director of Missions and make an annual report to the Association at its annual session.

Section 12: The Baptist Youth for Christ Director shall, under the supervision of the Director of Missions, serve as chairman of Youth for Christ Committee of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

Section 13: The Parliamentarian shall, at the Annual Meeting of the Association, rule on all questions of parliamentary procedure which shall arise during the sessions. The Parliamentarian shall serve as a resource person to the churches and shall, upon request, advise and assist the churches on matters of parliamentary procedure.

Section 14: The Audiovisual Coordinator shall assist all associational leadership in selection, production and use of audiovisual material. Upon request, he shall provide similar assistance to individual church leaders. He shall provide opportunities for training in the production and use of audiovisuals in education, motivation and worship. The Audiovisual Coordinator shall work with the librarian in storing, cataloging and promoting the use of audiovisual materials equipment. Maintenance of audiovisual equipment is the responsibility of the Audiovisual Coordinator.

Section 15: Vacancies occurring between Annual Sessions shall be filled by the Executive Board, except the office of Moderator, in which case the Vice-Moderator shall automatically become Moderator.

By-Law IV DUTIES OF COMMITTEES

Section 1: THE ORDER OF BUSINESS AND PROGRAM COMMITTEE shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, Associational Music Director, and three other members. It shall rotate the place of meeting among the groups of churches with the host church being determined by the group. It shall recommend the preacher and the alternate for the annual sessions. It shall prepare a printed program for the Annual Meeting for the Association, which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the Annual Meeting. It shall, on the opening day of the Annual Meeting of the Association, present the printed program for adoption and vote through the session when adjustments in the order of business become necessary. This committee will be responsible for promoting the Annual Meeting through the various news media.

Section 2: THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. Shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, Music Director, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, WML Director, Baptist Youth for Christ Director, Chairperson of the Church & Community Development Committee, President of the Pastors' Conference, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, President of the Convention on Conventions, Chairman of Christian Life Committee, Chairman of Membership Committee, Chairman of Finance Committee, Chairman of Evangelism, Chairman of Long-Range Planning Committee, and Audiovisual Coordinator.

2. When without a Director of Missions, this committee shall seek out and recommend to the Association, or its Executive Board, for election of a new Director of Missions according to By-Law VI, Section 11.

3. It shall administer all matters referred to it by the Association or Executive Board and act on routine or emergency matters concerning business management, approve employment of all office personnel, deal with problems relating to personnel, and maintain adequate equipment for the office. It shall meet regularly, not less than quarterly, but a quorum of seven is necessary to transact business.

Section 3: THE EVANGELISM COMMITTEE, composed of six members, shall promote the work of evangelism in the churches and the Association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its Executive Board.

Section 4: THE FINANCE COMMITTEE, composed of six members, two rotating annually, with the Treasurer shall study the Association's financial needs of an adequate program, present a budget to the Association for the following year, devise plans for ser-

ing the cooperation of the churches in raising funds to meet the budget, and make a written report to the Annual Meeting.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE, may make adjustments during the year in line items or through the assignment of miscellaneous funds in Section VII of the budget providing the adjustments:

1. --will not increase the total budget.
2. --will not alter the basic purpose or intent of the budget.
3. --will have full consent of those affected (individuals, department leaders, etc.)
4. --will not exceed a total of \$5,000 during a fiscal year.

The Committee shall be prepared to assist any church within the Association, upon request, with the stewardship programs offered by the Convention.

The Committee shall express gratitude to the churches for their stewardship development that enables them to participate in local, home, and foreign missions.

A contingency fund is to be maintained and maintained in the approximate amount of one calendar quarter of the Association's operating budget. This contingency fund is to be deposited in an interest bearing account.

The funds to be disbursed should a shortfall of general funds receipts occur, resulting in a lack of funds for regular operating expense.

Any disbursement of funds from the contingency fund must be upon a recommendation of the Finance Committee and approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 5: THE ORDINATION COMMITTEE, composed of five members, with the pastor of the home church (the church of which the candidate is a member), the Director of Missions, and deacons of the home and requesting churches, shall, when requested by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of a candidate for the Gospel Ministry.

The Committee requires that it receive a copy of that portion of the Minutes, signed by the clerk, of the church conference at which the home church voted to request examination of the candidate.

The Committee requires that the candidate be called by a church for ministry before requesting examination.

The Chairman shall notify the candidate of the time, place, and procedure.

The Committee suggests that the candidate be questioned at least two weeks prior to his ordination.

The Committee shall question the candidate about his conversion, his call, his priorities, his doctrine, and his personal life. The Committee may also counsel the candidate.

The candidate should feel free to seek advice from the Committee regarding any area of the ministry.

In every instance, the Committee shall be guided by the Scriptures, especially I Timothy 3:1-7 and Titus 1:5-8.

The Committee shall give written notice to the home church as to whether or not it recommends that the church proceed with the ordination.

The Chairman shall report the Committee's activities to the Executive Board quarterly and provide a written report for the Annual Meeting.

Section 6: THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE, composed of six members, shall contact and nominate the officers of the Association according to Article VI of the Constitution. This Committee shall also, in cooperation with the Nominating Committee of various departments (except the WMU and Brotherhood organizations), recommend workers for these various departments. The officers and workers of these respective organizations shall be nominated by the organization themselves and submitted to the Nominating Committee (Article VI, Section 1). They shall also nominate Associational representatives for the various institutions and agencies of our convention and members of the General Board of our Baptist State Convention. The Committee shall also assist the Executive Board in filling vacancies which occur between annual meetings of the Association. This Committee's nominations shall not preclude other nominations from the floor.

Section 7: THE CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE, composed of three members, shall be available to study changes or revisions to the Constitution, and to make recommendations as needed.

Section 8: THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE, composed of five members, shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution and By-Laws. The Membership Committee should be sensitive to groups seeking its services and be willing to present a statement of Baptist faith and practice and what it means to cooperate with other churches in the Association in a world-wide mission program. The Membership Committee shall annually review all churches and missions under the watchcare of the Association and may present them for membership within the Association or that they continue under the watchcare.

Section 9: THE CALENDAR COMMITTEE shall be composed of the following Association officers: Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, WMU Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director and Vice-Moderator as chairman. This committee shall work out as soon as possible each year an associational calendar for the coming year and present same to the ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS.

Section 10: THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE composed of three members, shall draw up and present to the Association resolutions of appreciation, plan and promote the work of the Committee in an annual planning meeting, and present resolutions of appreciation to individuals, organizations, and churches when there are events worthy of commendation. DEDICATE THE ANNUAL MINUTES TO A DESERVING PERSON.

Section 11: THE HISTORICAL COMMITTEE shall be composed of the Missioner as chairman and six other members. It shall be the duty of the Historical Committee to collect, compile, and preserve all materials of interest to the Association and member churches. It shall make its report at the Annual Association Meeting.

Section 12: THE SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE, composed of three members, shall publicize study courses and programs that are available, and shall plan, provide and promote Seminary Extension studies as they may be desired.

Section 13: THE CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMITTEE, composed of six members, will give continual attention to the moral climate of the community and shall initiate necessary action to maintain and improve the climate. The committee shall commend those persons and institutions that uphold Christian values, and shall support the churches in the teaching of Christian personal and social righteousness.

Section 14: THE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES, composed of five members, shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution (Article IX, Section 1), and shall assist the Executive Board in filing vacancies on all standing committees occurring between sessions. This committee shall also name the Chairmen of each committee.

Section 15: THE TELEPHONE CONTACT COMMITTEE shall be composed of one person from each group of churches in the Association (5). These committee members shall relay messages to pastors and key leaders during the year. All messages to be sent should be cleared with the Director of Missions.

Section 16: THE ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE shall prepare for and direct the enrollment of the members. A total enrollment shall be made for each day.

Section 17: THE CHURCH & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

A. Purpose—The purpose of the Church & Community Development Committee shall be to work with the CCM Director to lead the Association to address the priority ministry needs in Cleveland County, and to plan and coordinate programs of ministry to share Christ's love in meeting the spiritual, educational, emotional, and physical needs.

B. Organization—The Church & Community Development Committee shall be composed of the chairpersons of the component sub-committees. Executive personnel will be the WMU Director and/or the Mission Action Director of the W.M.U., Brotherhood Director and/or the Baptist Men's Director. The CCM Director will serve as chairman of the committee. Emergency Ministry needs not addressed in the constitution will be met at the discretion of the CCM Director after consultation with the Director of Missions.

C. SUB-COMMITTEES

1. **PRISON MINISTRIES**—The Prison Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate the ministries in our local prison camp.

2. **JAIL MINISTRIES**—The Jail Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate the ministries in our local jail.

3. **MIGRANT MINISTRIES**—The Migrant Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate the ministries among the migrant farm workers.

4. **JUVENILE COURT MINISTRIES**—The Juvenile Court Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate the ministries to the Juvenile Court personnel and clientele.

5. **LITERACY MINISTRIES**—The Literacy Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate ministries to the slow readers, non-readers and non-English speaking persons in developing and improving reading skills.

6. **EMERGENCY RELIEF MINISTRIES**—The Emergency Relief Ministries shall be composed of at least (5) six members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate ministries to the economically disadvantaged persons of Cleveland County.

7. **DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY MINISTRIES**—The Developmental Disability Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate ministries to the Developmental Disabled persons of Cleveland County and to their families.

8. **VISUALLY HANDICAPPED MINISTRIES**—The Visually Handicapped Ministries shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate ministries to the Visually Handicapped persons of Cleveland County and to their families.

9. **CHRISTMAS TOY STORE**—The Christmas Toy Store Ministry shall be composed of at least (5) six members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate the ministry to persons of needy children during the Christmas season.

10. **SUBSTANCE ABUSE MINISTRY**—The Substance Abuse Ministry shall be composed of at least (3) three members whose duties shall be to plan, promote, perform and evaluate ministries to address the needs of those afflicted with substance abuse problems and their families.

The personnel of the sub-committees shall provide assistance to churches through their missionary education organizations in the development of ministries to those included in the job description written above, and to encourage participation by the churches in ministries conducted on the association level.

D. **MEETING**—The personnel of the sub-committees will meet as needed to develop the programs of ministry. The Christian Ministry Development Committee shall meet annually for their planning and training.

Section 10: THE CHURCH RECONCILIATION COMMITTEE shall be composed of the present Moderator as chairman, two immediate past Moderators and two lay persons to be appointed annually by the above stated members. The chairman will report to the Executive Committee or the Executive Board the names of those lay persons appointed. This committee will be open to any person or persons of a member church seeking assistance with problems related to their church.

Section 11: THE MISSIONS COMMITTEE shall be made up of the following members: Chairman (Vice-Moderator), the Director of Missions, Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, Finance Committee Chairman, Chairperson of Church & Community Development Committee, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, WMU Director, President of the Pastors' Conference, and Archdiocesan Coordinator.

This Committee is to be available as a standing board, to support the Director of Missions as a person (as well as an officer in the Association), provide feedback concerning Associational programs and activities, conveying suggestions from the Association and offering support in prospecting programs to the Executive Committee and/or Executive Board. The Mission Committee shall seek to determine areas of needs within and without the Association and formulate recommendations to the Associational Executive Committee.

The Committee shall enthusiastically explore all mission possibilities throughout the Association, emphasizing the need for new teaching units, preaching points, missions, and churches; and it shall actively seek out potential sponsoring churches for the beginning of specific mission endeavors. Providing strategic outreach leadership for the Association shall be the Committee's highest priority.

Section 20: THE RECREATION AND DRAMA COMMITTEE shall promote a program of Christian recreation and drama in the churches. The Committee shall regard recreation and drama as a means, not an end. The Recreation and Drama Committee shall use their programs as a way to teach, a means of witnessing and an avenue of expressing the abundant Christian life. The Recreation and Drama Committee shall be responsible to give assistance to any church that should request help in the area of recreation and drama. The Committee's responsibilities shall include fellowships, Senior Adults, retreats, crafts, drama workshops and other assignments of the Association, if asked. The Chairman of the Recreation and Drama Committee shall plan with the Director of Missions and give a report of the committee's activities at the Executive Board quarterly meetings.

Section 21: THE STRATEGY PLANNING COMMITTEE, composed of five members, shall seek to understand the 'Priority Statements' of the Association, provide support and suggestions to the appropriate committees for implementation, and recognize personally and publicly the committees that achieve themselves so, and make significant accomplishment in achieving the 'Priority Statements.' At a time it judges appropriate, the Committee will also suggest to the Association the need for further strategy planning.

Section 22: YOUTH FOR CHRIST COMMITTEE, composed of a director and six members, shall be responsible for promoting and coordinating the following activities:

1. Youth Council Sessions.
2. Quarterly sessions of Youth for Christ in local churches.
3. A Rainside Crusade for Christ every 3 to 5 years.
4. Mission Vacation Bible School and/or Backyard VBS.
5. Serve as a support group to the Associational Summer Youth Worker.
6. Any other activity which the Director of Missions and/or Executive Committee deem necessary to foster a positive Christian witness for Christ.

Section 23: MEMORIALS COMMITTEE, composed of three members, will be responsible for:

1. Recognizing deceased ministers, staff, deacons, and members in an appropriate way.
2. Submitting report for inclusion in Associational Minutes.
3. Ministering to the families of associational officers, ministers and staff members when death occurs.

Section 24: PASTORAL MINISTRIES COMMITTEE

The Pastoral Ministries Committee shall be composed of six ministers and/or staff persons in the Association with two rotating off each year.

It shall be the duty of this committee to work with the Director of Missions in planning and promoting continuing educational opportunities for ministers and staff persons in the Association.

Section 25: CHURCH SURVEY AND EXTENSION COMMITTEE

The Church Survey and Extension Committee shall be composed of six members and shall encourage the Association to respond to the need for new churches and the development of young congregations. It shall be the responsibility of this committee to keep abreast of the growth and development of the townships within the Association and encourage the appropriate responses.

Section 26: Members of all these committees, except the CHURCH & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE and those appointed by the moderator, shall be elected to serve not more than three years on a rotating basis.

By-Law V TRUSTEES

The duty of the Trustees shall be to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other resources of said Association, and they shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the Association or its Executive Board.

By-Law VI DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS

His selection shall be upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee and on vote by the Association at its Annual Meeting, or between sessions of the Association, by its Executive Board. His time of office shall continue until terminated by mutual consent or request of either party. He shall be a member of all committees and organizations of the Association in a serving and advisory capacity.

By-Law VII CHURCH & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

Section 1: Employment - The Director of CCM shall be jointly employed by the Association, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Home Mission Board. The employee should be elected to work until the sponsoring groups mutually agree to renew the terms of service or the employer resigns. The CCM Director shall work under the supervision of the Director of Missions and in compliance with the Job Description provided by the State and Association.

Section 2: Basic Function - The basic functions are to work with the CCM Committee to organize, supervise and promote a program of activities to meet the spiritual, educational, emotional and physical needs of the people within the geographical boundaries of the Association.

Section 3: The CCM Director shall be an ex-officio member of the Associational Executive Board, Associational Executive Committee and Missions Committee without voting privileges.

Section 4: When without a Church & Community Development Director, the Associational Executive Committee shall be responsible for the appointment of a Search Committee to seek a person to serve as Church & Community Development Director according to By-Law VII Sections 1 and 2.

By-Law VIII AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any session of the Annual Meeting by a majority of the messengers present and voting.

By-Law IX DEFINE PROCEDURE

Section 1: The business session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

Section 2: Every report, resolution, or amendment offered to the Association shall be submitted in writing if requested by the Moderator.

Section 3: No person shall speak more than twice on the same subject except by permission of the Association.

Section 4: Messengers present from half the churches shall constitute a quorum.

Section 5: Unless the Association decides otherwise, Annual Sessions shall be held on a rotating basis with a church or churches in each of the six Associational Groups as follows: Polkville, Lenoir, Shelby, Kings Mountain, Cherokee, and Watauga.

By-Law X THE CONFESSION OF FAITH

The Baptist Faith and Message as revised and adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention on May 9, 1963.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF INTEREST

BEAVER DAM: Elected first full-time minister of education and youth. Held note-taking for educational building.

BOILING SPRINGS: 140th anniversary of church celebrated. Church voted to name T. Max Linton as pastor emeritus.

CALVARY: Plans made to break ground on Old Boiling Springs Road site for new church facilities. Tent revival held.

ELIZABETH: Built new office complex. Purchased new van and trailer.

FALLSTONE: Paid off debt on new building.

FLINT HILL: Construction began on place shelter. Visitation program began.

KINGS MOUNTAIN FIRST: New church was given to the church. \$250,000 given to the church from the estate of Syren Moorhead.

NEW CAMP CREEK: Drove up and voted on a church constitution. Dropped motion from roll.

OAK GROVE: 75th anniversary of church celebrated.

PATTERSON GROVE: Completed the renovation of the sanctuary.

PATTERSON SPRINGS: Called Hugh Richardson as pastor. Adopted expanded church assembly plan for all eligible church employees.

PEACH STREET: Paid off building debt.

PLEASANT HILL: Road burning.

POKEVILLE: Employed full-time minister of education and youth. Playground completed.

ROSS GROVE: New sanctuary dedication held October 19, 1986.

SANDY PLAINS: Lighting of steeple. Accepted gift of church van. Built new storage building. Accepted gift of chimes and steeple. Lighting, multi-purpose building and restrooms completed for ballfield. New hymnals.

SHELBY FIRST: Featured by ACTS on "Great Churches of America".

VICTORY: Church bought its first van.

ZION: Conducted memorial service for Libby and Rachel Sasser; memorial garden to be built. Paved the parking lot. Renovated offices and part of Sunday School. Purchased grand piano and handbell. Started video tape ministry and Old School Troup. Initiated building fund.

ZION: Celebrated 150th anniversary.

PROCEEDINGS **October 20, 1987** **Tuesday Afternoon**

1. Messengers and visitors gathered at Eastside Baptist Church, Shelby for the 137th Annual Session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.
2. Moderator Billy Cooper recognized Mrs. Dana Jenkins, who introduced Mrs. Beth Hoffman, Minister of Music and Youth at Dover Baptist Church. Mrs. Hoffman presented a 15-minute concert.
3. Mrs. Dana Jenkins, Associational Music Director and Minister of Music and Youth/Children Director of Patterson Springs Baptist Church, led in our hymn of praise, "Obed, Obed We Adore Thee." Mr. Charlton Board, Minister of Music at Boiling Springs Baptist Church, accompanied at the piano.
4. Dr. Hugh Richardson, pastor of Patterson Springs Baptist Church, read scriptures from II Corinthians 1. Rev. Morris Jordan, Minister of Music of First Baptist, Kings Mountain, led the opening prayer.
5. Moderator Billy Cooper, Minister of Education, First Baptist Church, Shelby, declared the 137th Session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association in order. He announced that the Wednesday morning session will meet at Eastside rather than at Zion who reported furnace problems that could not be corrected in time for the session. He asked visitors to inspect the attendance cards.
6. Dr. Harold Fite, pastor of Eastside was recognized. He stated that Eastside was happy to host all the members of the annual meeting.
7. On behalf of Rev. John Bridges, chairman of the Order of Business Committee, Rev. Braden Heathberry, pastor of Mount Sinai Baptist Church, gave the Order of Business report. He moved that this report be adopted with any necessary changes made. Rev. J.C. Gossard seconded the motion and it was approved.
8. The following organizational reports were made:

Brotherhood	Ed Massey
WMU	Lela Bell Washburn
Music	Dana S. Jenkins

These reports are found elsewhere in this volume.

9. Rev. Paul Wall, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, was recognized to explain the reason for changing the Wednesday morning session from meeting at Zion to Eastside. He stated the reason for the change was furnace problems.
10. Rev. Jerry Ratchels, pastor of Dover Baptist Church, and chairman of the Constitution Committee, read the proposed constitution changes. The vote on these changes are found elsewhere in this volume.
11. A warm welcome was extended to new ministers and staff from our Director of Missions, Chas Borders. These included: Rev. Arthur Colburn, pastor of New Prospect; Rev. Mickey Heyward, pastor of Christopher Road Mission; Rev. Morris Jordan, Minister of Music and Education at First Baptist, Kings Mountain; Rev. Eugene Hardin, pastor of Triangle; Mr. Charlie Cabaniss, Minister of Music & Youth, New Hope; Mr. Carroll Brackett, Youth Minister, Oak Grove; Dr. Randy Gardner, pastor of Bethlehem; Mr. Charlton Board, Minister of Music, Boiling Springs; Dr. Hugh Richardson, pastor of Patterson Springs; and Rev. & Mrs. Kevin Ratchels, pastor of Cedar.
12. Director of Missions, Chas Borders, was recognized for his annual report. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
13. Mrs. Dana Jenkins sang a medley of songs and the congregation joined her on the last two which included "Victory is Jesus" and "Blessed Be His Love."
14. Rev. Bob Davis, Church and Community Ministries Director, gave his report. As a part of the CCM report, Mrs. Cindy Melton, chairman of the Christmas Tree Store Commit-

ten, gave statistics on how we have grown from our first toy store which began in 1962. She explained the toy store process and encouraged those in attendance to please volunteer to help in this ministry. Rev. Stan Webb, chairman of the Substance Abuse Committee made an announcement for an upcoming meeting and made an appeal to pastors to address the drug problem by attending this meeting which will feature Rev. Ted Stone who is a former drug abuser. Miss Stephanie Hansen, a youth from Cascade Church, gave a report on what it meant to her personally to be involved in the Vacation Bible School for Mentally Retarded held at her church this past summer and how it caused her to give consideration to entering this field of work as a vocation. Jane Brendle, CCM Secretary, gave the report on Emergency and Relief Ministry. She shared several personal instances of families and individuals with whom she had shared resources and the blessings which followed. Bob recognized Martina Floyd and stated she would be available between sessions if anyone would like to sign up as a volunteer at the Winter Night Shelter. Mr. Davis called attention to the other ministries included in his report and expressed appreciation for the response from the churches for his plea for food. At this time, 192 persons stood to give a voice of the persons who accepted Christ through the Church and Community Ministries. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.

13. Dr. Jim Richardson, chairman of the Finance Committee, and pastor of Poplar Springs Baptist Church, presented the 1987-88 proposed budget for adoption. He made a motion the budget be adopted and Broader Horizons seconded the motion. The motion carried. This budget is found elsewhere in this volume.
14. At this time, Rev. Roger Balfew, pastor of Ware Baptist Church, and Associational Sunday School Director, was recognized by Cline Bookers. Rev. Balfew has served for 10 years as our Associational Sunday School Director and has received special recognition from the Baptist State Convention. Rev. Bookers expressed appreciation to Rev. Balfew for his service to the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.
15. Rev. Mickey Hayward, pastor of the Christopher Road Baptist Mission, was recognized to give a report from the mission. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
16. During the scheduled time for a Special Report on John W. Battle, and in the absence of Dr. Wayne Washburn, Mrs. Delores Hamrick gave a substitute report on the moderators of our association. She also asked churches to call on Dr. Hugh Richardson, pastor of Paradise Springs Baptist Church, who is a member of the Baptist State Convention History Committee and a member and officer of the North Carolina Baptist Historical Society, as a resource person for ministers, clerics, and historians. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
17. Cline Bookers recognized Mr. J.Y. Roper, member of Buffalo Baptist Church. Mr. Roper was presented a certificate of recognition of 45 years perfect attendance at the Kings Mountain Baptist Association annual sessions.
18. Rev. T.A. Linberger was recognized and gave a report from the South Mountain Baptist Camp.
19. Larry Morris, pastor of Putnam Memorial Baptist Church, was recognized to share information on MasterLife. He encouraged use of this training in churches. He reported on the success of this training in his church with a total of 174 persons involved.
20. Mrs. Diana Justice led the congregation in singing, "There Is A Name I Love to Hear."
21. Rev. Harold Fife was recognized to give instructions for the evening meal.
22. Mr. Charlie Cabaniss, Minister of Music, New Hope Church, gave the benediction.

Tuesday Evening October 26, 1987

25. As messengers and visitors gathered for our evening session, a medley of sacred favorites was played by Joan Massey on the organ and Sue Hamrick on the piano. Both ladies are from Elizabeth Baptist Church. Dana Jenkins sang "People Need the Lord."
26. Dana Jenkins led the congregation in singing "Blessed Assurance." Rev. Randy Gardner, pastor of Bethlehem Baptist Church, read scripture from I Corinthians chapter 13 and Rev. Arthur Colson, pastor of New Prospect Baptist Church, led the opening prayer.
27. Enrollment cards were taken up at this time from those who did not fill out a card for the afternoon session.
28. Mrs. Bonnie Price presented the Library Council report. She reported that 46 of our churches now have libraries. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
29. Director of Missions Clint Borders presented a plaque of recognition and appreciation to Jesse Thackerson, our association R.A. Director, for seven years of service.
30. Rev. E.M. Smith gave the Resolutions Committee report. This report is found elsewhere in this volume. Rev. Smith made the motion to accept this report and J.Y. Roper seconded the motion. The resolutions were passed on the vote.
31. Rev. Don Reed, Associate Director with the Volunteers in Missions Department of the Foreign Mission Board, gave us some details on our Sao Paulo, Brazil partnership. Our involvement in missions as an association is one of the reasons we were given the challenge of the Brazilian partnership. "To whom much is given, much shall be required." Brazil already has an aggressive outreach program in the mission field but 1,000 new churches are needed there by 1992. Partnership evangelism is also needed. This will consist of teams to go to Brazil to lead workers and to witness and share God's Love.
32. Rev. Frederick Housherry, pastor of Mount Sinai Baptist Church, gave the Committee on Commissioners report. He added the name of Charlie Catania of New Hope Baptist Church to the Substance Abuse Committee. Rev. Housherry mentioned that this report be adopted. Rev. Dave Gordon seconded and the motion passed with a vote.
33. Clerk-treasurer Joseph Catania gave the attendance report. The total for the day is 126 which includes 293 messengers and 42 non-messengers.
34. Moderator Billy Cooper called for reports from any commission agencies that might be present. There were none.
35. Dana Jenkins sang "In the Name of the Lord."
36. Rev. John Bridges, pastor of Lenoirville Baptist and our Associational Program Chairman, introduced Mr. William Fox, President of the North Carolina Baptist Convention, as our guest speaker. He shared with us what he was happening in Baptist life today. We as Baptists have always been free and independent people but have still worked together to make things happen as God wills them. Since World War II, "the Megs" churches have developed. This has changed church life and also the Southern Baptist Convention leadership. These "megs" churches are too independent, act in need of the association or even the convention. We seem to have gotten away from the warm and friendly church. Mr. Fox stated that he has noticed that the State of North Carolina seems to have none of these "megs" churches. The average church enrollment in North Carolina is about 38. He urged us as Baptists to help create a spirit of love so that we may work through our differences and get on with the Lord's work.
37. Rev. Don Jolley pronounced our benediction and the meeting was adjourned until Wednesday morning.

Wednesday Morning October 21, 1987

38. While Mrs. Neil Barnes, organist of Westview Baptist Church, gave a 15-minute concert on the organ, messengers and visitors gathered in the Flannide Baptist Church for the morning session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.
39. Mrs. Dana Jenkins led the congregation in singing, "To God be the Glory."
40. Moderator Billy Cooper called the session to order and thanked everyone for attending this session.
41. Rev. Mickey Heyward, pastor of Christopher Road Baptist Mission, read scripture from 1 Thessalonians 5:12-18. Rick Hanzlick, Minister of Education and Youth, Polkville Baptist Church, led in prayer.
42. The appointment of the Committee on Committees was read by Moderator Billy Cooper. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
43. Rev. Jerry Ransfelt was recognized to present the proposed constitutional changes. Concerning changing the name "Christian Social Ministry Director" to "Church and Community Development Director" and "Christian Ministry Development Coordinator" to "Church and Community Development Committee," Rev. Ransfelt moved these changes be made. Rev. Dan Jolley seconded the motion and it was approved. Concerning changing the 1988 associational annual meeting from Tuesday and Wednesday to Monday and Tuesday and changing the time for electing officers, Rev. Ransfelt moved these changes be made to the constitution. The motion was seconded by Phil Waugh and carried. These changes are found elsewhere in this volume.
44. Mr. Joe Catramis, associational clerk/treasurer gave the Executive Board report and moved the report be adopted. Dr. Jan Richardson seconded the motion and it carried. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.
45. Mr. Joe Catramis presented the treasurer's report. He moved the report be adopted, seconded by Dr. Harold Fin. The motion carried. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.
46. Rev. Dan Jolley, upcoming chairman of the Ordination Committee, presented the Ordination Committee report. He moved the adoption of this report. The motion was seconded by Rev. Jeff Hancock and carried. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.
47. Mrs. John Berry Hanzlick, archive historian and member of Poplar Springs Baptist Church, made a correction to the report she gave on the former moderation of the association. She also gave the Historian's Report in the absence of Dr. Wayne Washburn. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.
48. Clint Borders was recognized. He asked Dr. Wade DeLinger, our former moderator who now lives in Winston-Salem, to come forward. Dr. DeLinger was presented a plaque in recognition of his service to the association as moderator for the years of 1985-87.
49. Rev. Ken Cobb, pastor of Union Baptist Church, presented the Memorials Report. The congregation stood as Rev. Cobb led it a memorial paper for the deceased. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.
50. Rev. John Badger, chairman of the Order of Business Committee, expressed appreciation to this committee for their work in putting our program together. He also mentioned that Patterson Springs Baptist Church has issued an invitation for the 1988 annual session for the long session and Pleasant Hill Baptist Church for the short session. This is a recommendation from the Order of Business Committee and he moved that the recommendation be accepted. Clendon Young seconded the motion and it carried.

51. Rev. Phil Waugh, pastor of First Baptist Church, shared information on a 12-week Covenant Marriage Experience which he and his wife are certified to lead. He urged pastors/wives and laymen/wives to take advantage of this opportunity.
52. Moderator Billy Cooper asked Mr. Joe Cabanis to preside during the election of the moderator. Mr. Cabanis opened the floor for nominations for moderator. Rev. Dave Gordon nominated Rev. Billy Cooper. Rev. Jerry Ransfelt seconded the motion. Carlos Young moved the nominations close and Rev. Cooper be elected by acclamation. Mrs. Charlotte Smith seconded the motion and Rev. Cooper was elected. Rev. Cooper opened the floor for nominations for vice-moderator. Rev. Brenda Heatherly nominated Rev. Jeff Brandle. Rev. Mickey Hayward seconded the motion. Rev. Alton Martin nominated Rev. Dave Gordon. Following Rev. Gordon's request, Rev. Martin withdrew his nomination. Rev. Dave Gordon moved that Rev. Brandle be elected by acclamation, seconded by Rev. Terry Bird. Rev. Brandle was elected vice-moderator. Rev. Cooper opened the floor for nominations for clerk/treasurer. Mr. Carlos Young nominated Mr. Joe Cabanis. Mr. Fred Swift seconded the motion and Mr. Cabanis was elected.
53. Rev. Terry Bird, chairman of Pastoral Ministries Committee, and member of New Bethel Baptist Church, gave the report from the Pastoral Ministries Committee. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
54. Mrs. Dana Jenkins led the congregation in singing, "Great Is Thy Faithfulness."
55. Our newly elected vice-moderator, Rev. Jeff Brandle, pastor of Elizabeth Baptist Church, was asked to moderate for the remainder of the session.
56. Convention agencies were recognized at this time. The following gave reports to the association: Steve Hoffman from Baptist Children's Homes, Carlos Young from Baptist Hospital, and Ray Jones from the Baptist Retirement Homes.
57. Organizational Reports. Rev. Roger Ballen, association Sunday School Director and pastor of Waco Baptist Church, gave the Sunday School report. This report is found elsewhere in this volume. He also recognized Rev. Rachelle Ingle for 20 years perfect Sunday School attendance and also Mr. "Coat" Lutz for 30-year perfect Sunday School attendance. Rev. Dave Gordon gave the Church Training Report. This report is found elsewhere in this volume.
58. Rev. Ed Seniors, chairman of the Annuity Task Force, gave a report concerning churches entering the Expanded Annuity Program before January 1993. A copy of this report is found elsewhere in this volume.
59. Mrs. Dana Jenkins led the congregation in singing, "Love Lifted Me."
60. Mrs. Dana Jenkins introduced Mr. Charlton Board, Minister of Music, Boiling Springs Baptist Church, who sang, "Jesus the Source of My Life," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Sherri Cox.
61. Rev. Billy Cooper presented the moderator's message. He read scripture from 1 Thessalonians 1 which looks at a "model church." He stated that if we are to regain enthusiasm of the "model church" we need to see ourselves as others see us. Churches need to "break out" and do what God wants us to do in order to see America where we have 126,000 million uninsured. The 1990's will bring challenges to our churches and demands will be made as never before. Our association of churches need to create a vision, set goals, and move forward. God will honor our good work.
62. Mrs. Judy Parris gave the attendance report in the absence of Mr. Joe Cabanis. She reported a total of 178 in attendance with 122 as messengers.
63. Rev. Gene Hardin, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, gave the benediction.
64. Rev. Billy Cooper, moderator, declared the 117th session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association adjourned.

KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
137th Annual Session
October 20-21, 1987

Tuesday Afternoon - October 20, 1987
Eastside Baptist Church, Shelby

2:45	Mini Concert	Beth Heffner
3:00	Hymn, "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"	Dana Jenkins
	Scripture	Hugh Richardson
	Prayer	Morris Jordan
3:15	Business and Announcements	Moderator
3:15	Report of Order of Business Committee	John Briggs
3:20	Report of Organizations	
	Baptist Men	Red Mauney
	WMLU	Leta Dett Mauney
	Music	Dana Jenkins
3:40	Proposed Constitutional Change	Jeary Randle
3:50	Welcome New Pastors and Staff Members	Clara Jordan
3:55	Director of Missions Report	Clara Jordan
4:10	Hymn of Praise, "Victory is Jesus"	Dana Jenkins
4:15	Christian Social Ministries Report	Bob Davis
4:40	Finance Committee Report	Jim Richardson
5:00	Recognition Convention Agencies	Moderator
5:10	Christopher Road Mission Report	Mickey Hayward
5:20	Special Report on John W. Suttle	Wynn Washburn
5:35	Announcements	Moderator
5:40	Benediction	Charlie Calveria

Tuesday Evening - October 20, 1987

6:45	Medley of Sacred Favorites	Associational Choir
7:00	Hymn of Praise, "Honest Assurance"	Dana Jenkins
	Scripture	Randy Gaudin
	Prayer	Arthur Collins
7:10	Literary Council Report	Bernie Price
7:15	Resolutions Committee	E.M. Smith
7:20	Associate Director, Volunteer in Missions Department	
	Foreign Mission Board	Don Reed
7:45	Committee on Committees Report	Rebecca Hootchery
7:50	Attendance Report	Joe Calveria
7:55	Report from Convention Agencies	Moderator
8:05	Special Music	Dana Jenkins
8:10	Message	William Fox, President Baptist State Convention of North Carolina
8:40	Benediction	Don Jolley

Wednesday Morning - October 21, 1987
Eastside Baptist Church, Shelby

9:15	Special Music	Gregory/Piano/Dave
9:30	Hymns of Praise, "To God Be the Glory"	Dana Jenkins
	Scripture	Mickey Heywood
	Prayer	Ray Hamrick
9:45	Appointment of Committee on Committees	Moderator
9:50	Proposed Constitutional Changes	Jerry Rasmussen
9:55	Report of Executive Board	Joe Calhoun
	Report of Clerk-Treasurer	Joe Calhoun
10:05	Report of Ordination Committee	Dan Jolley
10:30	Harrison's Report	Wynn Westbrook
10:35	Attendance Report	Joe Calhoun
10:40	Memorial Tribute	Ken Cate
10:45	Election of Officers	Moderator
10:55	Report of Pastoral Ministries Committee	Terry Reed
11:00	Hymn, "Great is Thy Faithfulness"	Dana Jenkins
11:05	Report from Communion Agencies	
11:10	Introduction of New Associational Officers	
11:15	Report from Organizations	
	Sunday School	Roger Bellow
	Church Training	Dawn Gordon
11:15	Report from Assembly Board Task Force	Ed Swanson
11:25	Hymns of Praise, "Love Lifted Me"	Dana Jenkins
11:30	Special Music	Charlene Brown
11:35	Moderator's Message	Billy Cooper
11:40	Benediction	Dana Jenkins

ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE

John Bridges, chairman	Billy Cooper
Paul Brock	Joe Calhoun
Donna Hestherly	Dana Jenkins

1986-87 ANNUAL REPORT DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS

As I sat down to prepare this report it was difficult for me to comprehend the tremendous mission that the Kings Mountain Baptist Association has had and that we are pursuing through. If it is difficult for me, then it gives me some appreciation for your position.

You have provided a very functional facility that continues to serve our churches and staff, minister to the sick, the depressed, the distraught, the elderly, as well as those seeking to further their seminary education. What a broad range of needs you have chosen to address. The people who comprise our association are able to see the needs right here under our own doctery and reach out in a healthy and life giving ministry. You are doing these as the great Commission has indicated it should be done - beginning where you are and continuing to reach out with ever-increasing circles until we reach the furthestmost shores with the Good News of God's love and His precious gift to us in Jesus Christ.

As I travel in the circle of other Directors of Missions, I hear them saying over and over again, "Our people cannot see the mission needs here. Their concern is only elsewhere and not very strong for missions there." I cautioned you that you have not fallen victim of that common malady. We have a high degree of involvement in a wide range of mission needs within our own borders. We have seven of our churches listed in the top 100 churches contributing to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. They are Shelby First, Hixson, Sealing Springs, Bethel, Peach Grove, Hixson, and Double Springs. Four of these ranked in the largest amount contributed and four ranked in the per capita gifts - with Hixson appearing in both categories. So, we have evidence of the involvement to the furthestmost shores and your associational program is evidence of your involvement here in our own backyard.

We began a Retired Ministers and Spouses Fellowship this past year. Our officers are Ray, Dan Jolley, president; Rev. Ed Sisson, vice-president; and Mildred Davis, secretary. There are 95 retired ministers and spouses living in our area. Many of them spend most of their productive ministry in the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. It is a pleasure to join with our churches in providing a quarterly fellowship meeting with these servants of God.

This year you completed the first floor of your associational building. With the assistance of the churches and the Special Gifts Committee we now owe only \$21,000.00. The completion cost was \$63,261.18.

Christopher Road Mission is a glowing example of your commitment here in Cleveland County. One of the unexpected blessings was people and churches taking the initiative in contacting us to accomplish needed and significant phases of the work. Can you imagine what it is like trying to accomplish the many things that are required and then have people contact you and ask if they would be permitted to provide a specific service or the county to accomplish a vital part of the project? I am sure it is difficult for you to imagine how it affected the mission and those trying to coordinate the mission project. It felt like you were struggling along and all of a sudden someone picked you up and placed you way down the path of progress. We felt swept along on the strength of someone else, what a boost!

The operation of your mission projects requires a constant and growing number of volunteers. We have begun honoring those who give so unselfishly of their time and energy. Those who have been singled out for special recognition are: Mary Sue Thompson, Marie Wall, J.W. and Helen Gantt, Kathryn Martin, Bob Hoffman, Vicki Keston, Sarah Williams, Alta Perrell, Alma Francis, Kathryn Lucas, Gladys Putnam, and Frances Ford. These are only the tip of the iceberg of the vast number of persons who contribute to our mission effort. Pastors and staff ministers join the ranks of the volunteers who give of their skills and energies to accomplish the needed ministries.

We are thrilled to anticipate being a part of the Partnership Evangelism to Israel. Our Executive Board approved the project at the July 26th meeting at David Baptist Church. We have been asked to send two representatives to negotiate an agreement for the next five years. Billy Gieger, our moderator, and I will be going November 15 and returning November 24, 1987. This is a new chapter in missionary outreach and I am delighted we are a part of this new approach of pairing association to association.

Kings Mountain Baptist Association *Cleveland County, North Carolina*



GROVER GROUP

- Allen Memorial
- Bethany
- Bethlehem
- Green Past
- Immanuel
- Levi Valley
- Middleton
- New Bedford
- New Hope
- Patterson Springs
- Pleasant Hill
- Valley

KINGS MOUNTAINS GROUP

- Occident Presbiterian
- Daniel
- Travelside (R.M.)
- Truth
- Kings Mountain
- Kings Mountain First
- Kings Mountain Second
- Mariontown
- New Camp Creek
- Oak Grove
- Oak View
- Pathway
- Patterson Green
- Providence
- Trophy
- Windsor

LATTIMER GROUP

- Bowers Post
- Boiling Springs
- Boiling Springs
- Blue Hill
- Limestone
- Mount Zion
- Pleasant Ridge
- Poplar Springs
- Sixty Pines

POLKVILLE GROUP

- Carpetmaker's Green
- Cedar
- Community
- Douglas Shady
- Elbert Memorial
- Frederick
- Lancaster
- New Bedford
- Norman's Green
- Pleasantville
- Polkville
- Union
- Zion

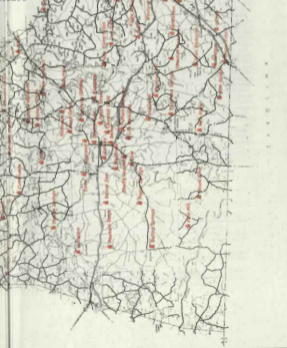
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- Cadbury
- Charlton Drive
- Dover
- Eastside (Shilby)
- Highland
- Lily Memorial
- North Street
- Pleasant Memorial
- Shilby First
- Shilby Second
- Windsor
- Zion

WACO GROUP

- Bethel
- Frederick
- Madison Memorial
- New Prospect
- Shilby Second

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This past year we received 88% of our projected budget of \$294,755.00. Our budget is a projection of what can be accomplished as our churches continue to support the ministries of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. Just last week a pastor and I were talking. He shared with me that their fellowship planned to increase Cooperative Program giving and institutional giving. The joy was so evident in his voice as he shared the action of the church family. These added resources will help us meet real needs. This experience has created renewed enthusiasm in me and also in those who share in our joint ministries.

We are where we are today because the churches value and support missions right here in Cleveland County. That support which we receive has more to do with what we accomplish than I like to admit. As your Director of Missions I want to thank you on behalf of every mission need for the growing support that you give. We have adopted 4% as a goal and I urge churches to get on a percentage basis and plan to increase their percentage in a systematic and responsible manner.

Now, in closing, I want to turn to the matter of accountability. Accountability is not an option for a Christian servant or agency, it is a necessity. We welcome accountability. Twice there has been an association wide evaluation of me as your Director of Missions. Four times a year the first item of the agenda of the Missions Committee is an evaluation of the Director of Missions. Weekly staff meetings help us to be accountable to each other and our task. Quarterly we make a report of receipts from the churches and expenditures of those funds. At the annual meeting you will examine and adopt our projected budget for 1987-88.

You no doubt have heard the statement, "Power corrupts and absolute power corrupts absolutely." The averting of gross abuse by television missions reveals a serious lack of accountability. Accountability would have corrected some of the abuse or informed those funding these events how their money was being spent.

We welcome accountability and would have it no other way. Seeking to be accountable here will prepare us for our ultimate day of accountability with the Lord, the righteous Judge.

These fourteen years have been exciting and challenging years for me. I have felt myself being stretched over and over again to rise to the challenge to serve you as your Director of Missions. I welcome the opportunity as the future unfolds before us.

Respectfully submitted,
Clare W. Jordan
Director of Missions

1986-87 ANNUAL REPORT CHRISTIAN AND COMMUNITY MINISTRIES KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. PRISON MINISTRY:

- A. **Worship Ministry** - Volunteers met regularly every other Tuesday evening for worship services. Refreshments (baked goods) were provided for the worship/fellowship experiences.
- B. **Bible Study** - Volunteers continue to reach out to the inmate population by holding weekly bible studies each Thursday afternoon. Furthermore, they took on the responsibility of conducting the Monday afternoon Bible Study, which was discontinued for a short while due to the regular leader of this service sustaining a back injury and having to be hospitalized.
- C. **Field Day Activities** - Provided refreshments (drinks and snacks) and cosmetic items as prizes for winners of individual and team competitions during field day events at the prison.
- D. **Christmas Gift Packages** - Prepared and presented a very nice gift packet to each inmate at Christmas. The gift packet consisted of various cosmetic items, gum, fruit, and candy. Also, at Christmas each member of the prison staff was provided with a box of chocolate covered cherries. Twenty church groups/individuals helped to provide gift packages.
- E. **Family Visitation** - Provided and served refreshments for family visitation on several Sundays. Provided polaroid family pictures for each family.

2. CHRISTMAS TOY STORE:

Total families served	294
Total children in families	725
Proclamations of faith	32
Rededications	13
Times volunteered	326
Churches/groups/individuals donating	117

3. **MINISTRY TO VISUALLY HANDICAPPED:** The committee sponsored a Halloween party held in the basement of the associational office. Three members of Zion WMCU and one volunteer hosted the party for fourteen blind and visually impaired individuals. \$44.25 was used from the budget for the party.

Summer Programs Included:

June 16 - Luncheon sponsored by Poplar Springs G.A.'s - seven volunteers assisted, 22 visually handicapped attended.

July 14 - Luncheon sponsored by Patterson Springs - 30 volunteers assisted, 13 visually handicapped attended.

August 14 - Activity sponsored by Beaver Dam - seven volunteers assisted, 14 visually handicapped attended.

May - We sponsored a pizza party for the visually handicapped of Gardner-Webb in May. There were eight students who attended and seven volunteers who assisted. Each student was given a "goodie" basket to provide "snacklines" during exam week.

4. **SUBSTANCE ABUSE COMMITTEE:** The Substance Abuse Committee sponsored a workshop on November 24, at Ebenezer Church. The total number of people was 88. The response was very good.

We surveyed the group at the end of the meeting and found several recommendations as to future activities and events that were desired by the participants. Also, several people volunteered to work with us in the future.

From that meeting a team of two young men have been going to various churches and county schools meeting with youth groups and discussing drugs and giving their testimonies. The response from teachers and leaders has been positive.

We plan a "Drama Contest" in the future in which we will ask students in the high schools to submit an original drama about drugs and alcohol. A committee is being chosen to select the best in these fields, and we would like to be able to give a prize to each winner, plus recognize them in the local newspapers.

Another specific workshop is being planned. This workshop will be designed for specific needs.

5. DUKE MATCH MINISTRY:

A. Community Match Program 3 to 1 March

Amount Received	\$11,086.92
Amount Matched	\$11,527.08
March Received	\$3,842.35
TOTAL AVAILABLE	\$23,328.90

B. Share the Wealth 1 to 1 March (Maximum \$25)	\$6,978.28
Grand Total Amount Received	\$21,507.18
Grand Total Amount Dispersed	\$22,870.18
Number families served: 288	

6. LITERACY MINISTRY: Our nine new council members are: Mr. & Mrs. P.A. Cline, Joan Sheppard, Joan Pivetti, Mary Pope, Glenda Caspe, Rita Simmons, Rose Byrne, and Evelyn Allen.

We are working to get our council going stronger than ever before. We had our meeting Monday, March 30, 1987. We voted on our officers. They are: Chairman Sarah Williams, Vice-Chairman Nancy Ruedell, Supplies Chairman Bob Davis, Director of Training and Workshop Committee Marie Stanley, and Student-Tutor Coordinator Ann Worden.

A Literacy Training Workshop was held at the associational office on September 18 & 19. Five new workers were certified. They are Pat Harris, Janet Rainsale, Tanna Wright, Ruth Pickett, and Barbara Gerson. We need to continue to make the problem of literacy a proper concern.

7. MIGRANT MINISTRY: Fourteen churches participated in our program at Beloved Community Center this year. Average attendance was 18 migrants, with a high attendance of 21. 205 volunteers assisted with the ministry. There were 12 professions of faith at the worship services.

8. MENTALLY HANDICAPPED: Our ministry this summer consisted of four day camps. These were sponsored by the youth of Kings Mountain First, Mt. Sinai, Pleasant Grove, and Beaver Dam. Fifty-two volunteers assisted with these day camps. Attendance of M.R.'s at these four camps averaged 10.

Oak Grove Artisans and Eastside Shelby each sponsored a week of Vacation Bible School. Average attendance at Oak Grove was 13 M.R.'s. Ten volunteers assisted. Average attendance at Eastside was 11 M.R.'s. Fifteen volunteers were involved.

9. JAIL MINISTRY: Forty-five churches have assisted with jail services this year. We had 71 volunteers involved in this ministry. There were 38 professions of faith reported by the volunteers.

10. FRIDAY LUNCH PROGRAM: We have had 50 church groups to assist with this ministry this year. 320 volunteers have assisted. 2,672 individual meals were served during the year. This was an average of 53.4 people who were provided a meal each Friday.

11. EMERGENCY AND RELIEF MINISTRY:

QUARTERLY TOTALS	DEC.	MAR.	JUNE	SEPT.	TOTALS
Applications Received	447	689	404	437	2977
Assistance Provided	480	663	401	433	1977
Groups/Individuals Donating	137	72	187	174	570
Volunteer Hours	196	108	125	260	789

FAMILIES ASSISTED

Clothing	78	1	82	125	286
Food	144	107	123	157	529
Foot	46	30	20	15	111
Utilities	78	305	56	45	345
Medicine	48	79	61	53	241
Transients	3	8	7	3	21
Transportation	9	28	8	18	43
Miscellaneous	13	7	27	9	56

We were pleased to be the local recipient of the Shelby C.R.O.P. Walk for hunger. We received \$2,784.61 to help with local hunger needs. We received \$1,223.75 from Prisoners' Hunger Relief. We also received \$1,800.00 from the Home Mission Board and \$2,500.00 from the North Carolina Hunger Fund at the Baptist State Convention. These four items plus the budget amount of \$500.00 makes a grand total of \$8,477.18.

12. VOLUNTEER RECEPTIONIST: In April, with the move of all CSM work to the lower level of our building we began a volunteer receptionist program. This has worked beautifully. We have 12 folks who work on a rotating basis and all are extremely helpful to him and myself.

We were so pleased to have Kim Houston as our summer worker this summer. She worked primarily with Visually Handicapped, Mentally Retarded, Migrants and the Friday Lunch Program. Kim did excellent work for us, and I appreciate her presence.

SUMMARY OF VOLUNTEER TIMES

1. Prison	421	7. Migrant	205
2. Toy Store	335	8. Mentally Handicapped	77
3. Visually Handicapped	51	9. Jail Ministry	71
4. Substance Abuse	25	10. Friday Lunch Program	522
5. Duke Match	—	11. Emergency & Relief	799
6. Literacy	1200	12. Volunteer Receptionist	132
GRAND TOTAL VOLUNTEER TIMES			3029

SUMMARY OF DECISIONS

Professions of Faith	
Jail Ministry	58
Toy Store Ministry	32
Migrant Ministry	13
Total Professions of Faith	103
Rededications	
Jail Ministry	25
Toy Store Ministry	13
Total Rededications	38

All of the above make the 1986-87 year of ministry the best and most productive we have ever had. 103 professions of faith, 38 renewed commitments - Praise the Lord for His work through wonderful people like you! Because of your love for Him, you make us work as Church and Community Ministries Director pure joy. Thank you for all you do for Him through the ministries of the 73 churches and our mission of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. Pray that we can continue to seek more and more meaningful ways to share our love for Him and His love for all people.

DONATIONS FOR CHURCH AND COMMUNITY MINISTRIES

MINISTRY	TOTAL RECEIVED	TOTAL DISBURSED	BALANCE
Top Store	\$5,175.84	\$5,105.64	\$80.20
Domestic Violence	1.00	- 0 -	1.00
Duke March	22,507.18	22,507.18	.00
Emergency and Relief	1,642.34	1,635.30	207.04
Food	12,587.40	12,145.25	426.15
Juvenile Court	483.30	442.08	42.22
Literacy	325.30	35.17	290.13
Medical	3,952.92	3,813.25	139.67
Migrant	145.17	129.25	15.92
Personal Items	73.50	65.00	8.50
Prison	856.89	764.94	91.95
Visually Handicapped	443.48	202.05	241.43
TOTALS	\$43,596.44	\$40,641.51	\$2,954.93

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Davis

Church and Community Ministries Director

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT 1987

Three regular meetings of the Executive Board were held during the past year. Our meetings were held on Monday evenings after the third Sunday during the months of January, April, and July, 1987. Our church hosts for the meetings were: January-Ross Grove, April-Palmetto, July-David.

At each meeting new pastors having moved to serve churches in our association were presented and welcomed.

Various committee reports were presented at each meeting, also reports of our Directors of Ministries and Directors of Christian Social Ministries. Financial reports of the Association were presented.

Our Executive Board approved plans and costs amount of \$63,028.00 for completion of the lower level of our associational office building.

Our Executive Board approved a recommendation to consider a change in the meeting times of our annual sessions due to the concern of the decrease in attendance at the annual meeting on the Wednesday morning sessions. The recommendation was to schedule sessions of our annual meeting for Monday evening, Tuesday afternoon, and Tuesday evening.

The Executive Board approved a recommendation from our Executive Committee that our association participate in a partnership mission program with New Peaks, Beaufort. The mission program would be for a period of three years. Also, that we send two representatives to Beaufort during the month of November 1987 at a cost to the association of \$2,400. Those two people would establish the contract for the mission project. The recommendation also included that our association provide a project with a Baptist association each year within the United States.

The Executive Board also approved a recommendation of the Executive Committee that the Kings Mountain Baptist Association establish a scholarship fund for a student interested in foreign missions. The scholarship fund would be in memory of Libby and Rachel Senter. The recommendation asks our churches to contribute to the fund. The recommendation also suggests a scholarship committee to be formed to establish the logistics of the scholarship and present full recommendations for its administration to our annual meeting.

The Executive Board approved a further recommendation that a central prospect file be established. This file would be made available to all our member churches. The Committee on Committees was asked to appoint a committee of persons interested in the project to administer its development.

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Joseph E. Calverton

Clerk-Treasurer

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Your Sunday School Department began its work for the 1986-87 church year with Outreach Director Ray Cobb presenting the Outreach Bible Study plan to the Pastor's Conference on October 6, 1987.

The next event was the Outreach Clinic organized by Rev. Cobb March 16-17, 1987 at First Baptist in Kings Mountain. Sixteen (16) churches were represented as 103 people studied the "Challenge" series of age-group books concerning teaching people for our Lord.

Mrs. Debra Smith organized the Veterans Bible School Choir at Elizabeth Baptist May 3. One hundred fifty-eight (158) people representing 36 churches participated in this excellent event.

Our association Teaching Improvement Director, Rev. John Hunter organized our fall Teacher Training Clinic. The "Bible Teaching" age group series was taught along with "Introduction to the Bible." There were 91 people in attendance.

Enrollment is up from last year at 17,119. However, average attendance has declined slightly to 9,124.

Your association Sunday School leadership for 1987-88 includes: Mrs. Debra Smith, Adult Director; Mrs. Cindy Waugh, Children's Director; Miss Linda Ellis, Preschool and VBS Director; John Hunter, Teaching Improvement Director; Joe Collins, Outreach Director; and W. V. Tackett, Homebound Director.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Ray Cobb, Director
Sunday School

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Church Training can greatly help Christians in their spiritual growth and service. It provides the programs and methods for training members for service. District penitentials, Equipping Center Modules, Baptist Disciples Study, The Survival Kit for New Christians and Baptiste Celebration are resources which are designed to help equip Christians for ministry.

Summary of Events

1. 1987 Church Training enrollment of 4350 is up 15% over 1986 enrollment.
2. 16 churches have 115 people enrolled in their Master/Life Program.
3. 11 children and 3 youth representing 8 churches participated in Bible Drill. 27 children and 3 youth were state winners.
4. "M" night had good participation. Bestial won the high attendance.

Goals for 1987-88

1. Develop new minister training
2. 10 churches participate in Bible Drill
3. 1 youth in Speaker's Tournament
4. M Night November 23, 1987 - First Hall

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. David Gordon, Director
Church Training

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The main purpose of any Brotherhood chapter in a Baptist church is to serve and witness to the local people of the community outside of the local church congregation. This is what we encourage the local chapters to strive for in our Association. One of our projects that was in line with this thinking this past year was the organization of several "T.O.E." squads that worked in conjunction with the Senior Centers of Cleveland County. We had five churches in our Association that turned a squad and aided many senior citizens in home repairs such as painting, yard work, adding wheel chair ramps, and the insulating of windows and doors.

As our main mission thrust we sponsored our annual Cleveland County Fair Prayer Breakfast. This year the breakfast was held on Wednesday morning, October 7 with a record number of 141, which was 102 fair workers. The fair workers also received New Testaments, enjoyed singing, had a meditation by Keith Dusen of First Hill.

Being the Associational Brotherhood Director this past year has helped me grow more in Christ and has made me appreciate the fine and helpful staff we have at our Associational office. I look forward to working with the Brotherhood in our Association next year.

Respectfully submitted,
Rod Massey
Associational Brotherhood Director

WMU REPORT

Our women have accepted the challenge of our theme, "Gifted to Serve, Called to Act" for 1986-87, making this year's WMU watershed. "Each one should use whatever gift he received to serve others faithfully, administering God's grace in its various forms." (1 Peter 4:10 NIV), a means of discovering our gifts and committing them to Him.

Last year was a growth year. New organizations were begun and 340 new members were added. We received special recognition at our state meeting at Ridgecrest in March. Several new G.A. groups and at least one BYW began this year. However, this year has been one of strengthening existing work. The council has spent many hours visiting, phoning, planning, teaching and meetings to help our churches.

Various age level activities held during the year were: (1) September Fall Leadership training at Finside, Shelby. (2) Banquet for Interactions and M.E.'s at Garden-Watts on September 28. (3) Recognition service for graduating intercessionals in April which also included a birthday party for our own Class Leaders. (4) The BYW held a Mission Action Training Lab in November and a Witness Training Lab in January. (5) The G.A.'s held an associational meeting in March at Double Springs Baptist Church with M.E. Paul Phillips from Africa as the speaker. Ninety persons attended. (6) The Mission Friends leaders went on a shopping trip in May to the Christian Supply and the Baptist Book Stores in Spartanburg, South Carolina for special supplies.

Our annual meeting in April at Double Springs Baptist Church was very special. Six of our own volunteers shared with us their experiences from places like Togo, South America, Indonesia and Zambia. We had approximately 200 present.

Our WMU was recognized as "Distinguished" for 1986-87.

It has been my joy to work with such a fine associational staff and with our great churches these five years. Being able to visit so different churches, serve many times, to teach, speak, train, plan and encourage has brought much happiness. I am grateful for all your help and support. Thank you for letting me serve as your WMU director.

Respectfully submitted,
Leta Bell Wamborn
WMU Director

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC REPORT

"Unity" is the key word that describes the music ministry of the Kaga Mountain Baptist Association. It has often been said that Music is a universal language. Certainly this is the case within our Kaga Mountain Baptist Association. Over this last year I have observed churches uniting together to present worshipful music programs not only for the Adult age, but for Youth and Children as well.

On June 11th of this year we experienced a wonderful Associational Drama and Music workshop that helped the smaller church to become more effective in it's music/drama programs. The clinician was Dr. Terry Fere and each participant learned how to better express themselves through music as well as teach that creativity and expression to the different congregations. A video tape is on file at the Association Office of this workshop.

I think it is important to remember that God desires for us to praise Him with singing and instruments. We should never lose sight of a music ministry in our local church no matter how small or large it's participants. We are called of God as Musicians to do our best to bring Glory and Honor to His name. The Associational Music Director will be more than willing to be of assistance to any church at any time.

Respectfully submitted,
Doris Butler Jenkins
Associational Music Director

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES TO BE VOTED ON AT 1987 ANNUAL MEETING

Due to a change in terminology by the Southern Baptist Convention it is recommended that we change our constitution and by-laws accordingly. Wherever the title "Christian Social Ministry Director" is used change to read "Church and Community Development Director." Wherever the name "Christian Ministry Development Committee" is used change to read "Church and Community Development Committee." Changes should be made in Article VII and Article IX, Section 1, SubSection A-14 of the constitution and in Article IV, Section 2, IV, and IV and Article VII, Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the by-laws.

CONSTITUTION

It is recommended that Article IV, Section 1 which presently reads "The association shall meet annually on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in October and continue until the business of the association is disposed of" be changed to read as follows: "The association shall meet annually on Monday and Tuesday after the third Sunday in October and continue until the business of the association is disposed of."

Article VI Officers and their Electors, Section 2, sentence 1 reads: "The moderator, vice-moderator and clerk-treasurer shall be elected on the morning of the last day of the annual meeting."

Suggested that sentence 1 of Article VI, Section 2 be changed to read: "The moderator, vice-moderator and clerk-treasurer shall be elected on the last day of the annual meeting."

(This vote concerning the Annual Meeting will effect the 1988 meeting.)

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Jerry Runkle, chairman

Mr. Jim Horn

Mr. Fred Flowers

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

To the casual observer most Baptist Churches are similar - the people, the buildings, the worship services. But certain factors help make each church unique - the story of its beginning, its struggles and triumphs through the years, and its mission in its unique setting. These stories make up a church's history.

A church like a person, tends to be shaped by its past. When made known, past events can continue to affect a church's future.

The report I bring to you today is simply a challenge to the 75 churches in the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

A church needs a History Committee that is made up of persons who are dedicated to locating and organizing materials that will be preserved and made available to educate present and future generations.

If you do not have a Church Historian, to keep important Historical data, and you depend on your Church Clerk to do this, let your Clerk know these are the only records being kept and you want them to include a Historical Digest.

Churches who wish to celebrate significant Anniversaries are not able to do so because of a lack of Historical Records.

Glenn, the Statesman wrote, "For what is the worth of a human life unless it is woven into the loom of our memories by the records of history?" The influence of a local church on its community, its Association, its State, and its denomination is reflected in its historical records.

History related events are usually enthusiastically received by Church members. Children enjoy reading information on the congregation and hearing stories about the Church's history. Members of all ages crowd around a church history bulletin board to look at pictures and talk about change. But without a systematic plan for locating and preserving records, parts of many church histories will be lost.

Throughout History, God has continued to reveal Himself to His people. The past interaction between God and Your Church deserves to be interpreted for the benefit of present and future members.

These are the churches in our Association who had significant Anniversaries this year:

Bethany	40th
Bethlehem	140th
Boiling Springs	140th
Carpenter's Grove	100th
Christian Freedom	10th
Fulton	170th
New Buffalo	45th
Oak Grove	50th
Plains View	40th
Shelby First	140th
Waco	145th
Zion	150th

Churches who will have significant Anniversaries in 1988 are:

David	200th
Elizabeth	100th
Faith	75th
Highland	80th
Kings Mountain	50th
Mount Sinai	140th
New Bethel	140th
New Camp Creek	45th
Oak View	70th
Piper Springs	90th
Prosperity Grove	110th

If you choose to observe an Anniversary in your church, invite your Associational Historical Commission. If we can be of help, just feel free to call on us.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. Wyan Washburn
Associational Historian

MODERATORS OF KINGS MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION 1951-1987

As most of you know Dr. Wyan Washburn, our Historian, was in an accident. He was to give a report on John W. Battle. I was privileged to hear that report given by Dr. Washburn at the instant meeting of The North Carolina Baptist Historical Society at Wake Forest University. It was an excellent report and Dr. Wyan did a tremendous job in delivering it. I hope he will be able to give that report in the near future. Those of you who know Rev. Smith will really appreciate hearing the stories about Rev. Smith.

As a substitute report I want to give you some information about the Moderators of this Association.

This is the 137th session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. The Association has had 31 moderators since its birth at Double Springs in 1851. The Reverend Thomas Dixon, Sr. was the First Moderator. He also served 6 other sessions: 1876, 1878, 1879, 1880, and 1901. Thomas Dixon, Sr. held one pastorate, at New Prospect for 34 years, the longest on record in the Association. It is said he organized twenty Baptist Churches, baptized over 6,000 persons, and married more than 3,000 couples. He was never late for any of his services. He was the 15th pastor of First Baptist Church of Shelby. He was married to a McVie from York, S.C. and they were the parents of a Governor of Alabama, a minister of international fame, a notable woman physician, a woman novelist and his nephew, Thomas Dixon, Jr. became a world famous author, playwright, dramatist, and public speaker.

All the Moderators, with the exception of only 6 have been Ministers of the Gospel. The 6 laymen were J.Y. Hamrick 1882-1883, being just back from Raleigh, where he served a term as State Auditor.

Major H.F. Schenck, who was the founder of the Cleveland Mill and power Company of Lenoirville served the Association for two terms, 1884 through 1886 and again in 1903. His wife, expansive and beautiful lawn gave the Town of Lenoirville its name.

Judge E.V. Webb was Moderator from 1897 through 1901. He was the Presiding Judge of the Western District Federal Court and at one time Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Gaston-Webb College. Part of the College name honors his family.

Humus Hannon, who was Music Director for the First Baptist Church in Shelby, for the Association, and the Baptist State Convention, was Moderator in 1901.

Calvin Young served as Moderator for the years 1915 and 1916. Mr. Young lives in Shelby and has done outstanding work with the State Convention, this Association, and his own Shelby First Church.

William McDaniel of Kings Mountain served as Moderator in 1917 and 1918. Prior to becoming Moderator he served as Vice Moderator for two years. Mr. McDaniel is an active deacon of Bethlehem Church. He has served on various committees of the Association. He has worked as a rural mail carrier for thirty years in the Kings Mountain area.

Other moderators of this Association have been Dove Parnell, G.W. Redfern (he served 3 terms), L.M. Berry, K.P. Logan, Robert Parnon, J.H. Yarbrough, A.L. Strough, A.C. Irvin, John W. Sartin, C.C. Cross, C.O. Gorman, R.H. Hicks, Oscar Ponderbush, R.M. Smith, James Hixley, C.A. Kirby, Jr., James Starkey, Russell Fitts, Roland Leath, Daniel Irby, Marion Adams, Alton Martin, Broderick Hensley, Dr. Wade Dellinger, and our present Moderator, Rev. Billy Cooper.

All the moderators, both Ministers and Laymen, have been men of outstanding ability, leaders in their churches and communities.

Respectfully submitted,
Darius Hamrick
Associate Historian

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

'Tis the old time religion, 'Tis the old time religion,
'Tis the old time religion, It's good enough for me.
Makes the Baptist love the Methodist,
Makes the Baptist love the Methodist,
Makes the Baptist love the Methodist,
It's good enough for me.

One morning last November my phone rang. When I answered, the caller said, "I'm Ruth Swafford, librarian at the Boiling Springs Methodist Church. I called the college library and asked for some help and they told me to contact you." I thought, I'm only elected to help the Baptists. But being a Subject of the King I said, I'll be glad to do what I can. When can we get together?" She said, "I'll pick you up right after lunch."

As I looked over the 500 volume library, she related to me her problems. I told her what I know, loaned her some of our "how to" books, and suggested she order certain materials from our Baptist Book Store.

At Key Leadership we were told that several denominations order our Baptist library materials regularly, because we have the best! And suddenly a thought came to me. It must have been from on high. I said to her, "Why don't you come to our next quarterly library meeting. It's to be a working session at New Bethel. You'll get to hear professional librarians Marie Williams and Ivy Sandler explain what we do as we go along." She said, "I'll be glad to."

When the time came she brought along her assistant. New Bethel's librarian, Wanda Kirby, seemed pleased as we worked for two hours. I was pleased that the Methodists were working for the Baptists.

You might like to get out your pencils to jot down a couple of dates in a minute. 48 of our churches report libraries on the Association letter September 30.

Our next quarterly meeting will also be a working session to be held 7 p.m. Thursday, November 19 at First Hill Church. I'm told the next Bioscom might not get out by then, so you might like to inform your librarian. I've decided the working sessions do more good than incense, because you can explain as you do and it helps the host church get things done. But don't wait for the quarterly meeting for help, call me anytime. I had a call from Heaver Dam 3 weeks ago. I went over and looked at the approximately one thousand volumes and am now leaving time to get with the workers.

I'd like to recommend the library conference held each Spring at Gateway the last Friday and Saturday in April. Bob Goodie, our State Convention Library Director arranges a most helpful conference with eight or more classes. Most of the faculty he gets from the state of Virginia. About 200 people attended the one last spring. It costs \$29.00 for the 3 meals, one night's lodging and registration.

Library week at Ridgecrest this year is June 27-July 2, 1986. I'm aware of our BGL problem; the working folk don't have time to read, and the retired don't have the copyright for lengthy reading. I suggest we get books on tapes to be played in car while driving. I phoned the Shelby Public Library and asked how many books they had on tape. They said 30 best sellers but no religious. I think we need to look into that further.

As I've said before: if you need help with your church library, call me and if I don't know the answer, I'll get you a person who does.

Respectfully submitted,
Bessie Roberts Price

MEMORIALS REPORTS

As we are in the days of the World Series, I am reminded of the words that the astronomer, William F. Kitt wrote just before his death and etched in the form of the baseball diamond:

"The Last of the Ninth for Me!"

"The doctor knows what his trained eyes see,
And he says it is the last of the ninth for me;
One more swing while the clouds lower dark,
And then I must leave this noisy park.

"Thus a glorious game from the opening ball,
Good plays, bad plays and thrilling ball work,
The speed of it burned my years away,
But I thank my God that he let me play!"

As we pass through this life we are reminded that time is not to be wasted. What we intend to do for Jesus should be done now. There has a way of getting gone fast and we need to be good stewards of that time. As God calls each year for our lives ones to come home, our hearts are filled with tears of sadness yet joy. Tears of sadness is freely expressed because we will miss their friendship, their love, and their companionship. Tears of joy run down our faces as we are reminded that God has them in the hollow of his hands.

We praise today to praise God for the opportunity to have known those who have departed to their heavenly home. Our churches have seen 236 laymen, 11 deacons and 4 pastors (Rev. Bill McKee, Rev. Earl Redding, Rev. N.S. Hardin, Dr. Clyde Chapman, Dr. Forrest Ponce, and Rev. Clarence Hight) reach the end of their work here on earth and are now sending their rewards from the heavenly Father. When we read 236 laymen and 11 deacons, we recognize that these represent individuals. Individuals who used the abilities and resources that God granted them to work in their church, their association and their community in Christ's work. Individuals who may have worked silently in the unseen places or out front for examples to follow but in whatever way God will reward openly in Heaven.

We praise today as an association to recognize them and to pledge that the work of the Lord will go on till we see them coming back with the Lord or pass from this life unto death.

as they have. We thank God for the memories of those that we have known as individuals and will cherish good times with them. We draw comfort from our Lord's words, "Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself: that where I am, there ye may be also." John 14:1-5.

It is our prayer that God will bless all the families that have been touched this past year by the death of a loved one. We pray that God will bless our associational faculty as we join the work of these fine brothers and sisters in Christ. Let us stand in a moment of silence for our departed members.

Respectfully submitted,
Ken Criss

ORDINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

This has been an exciting year for the Kings Mountain Baptist Association Ordination Committee. Committee members were Dr. Robert Criss (chairman), Mrs. Anna Wilson, Rev. Eugene Hallow, Mr. Ron Narney, and Rev. Eddie Grigg. Rev. Clint Bowden also met with us when possible.

The committee met three times this year for the purpose of examining candidates for ordination.

Lily Memorial Baptist Church requested an examination of Mr. John Adams. Mr. Adams had been called as Associate Pastor of Colonial Avenue Baptist Church in Roanoke, Virginia. The examination took place on October 18, 1986 at the Baptist Center. The meeting resulted in a unanimous recommendation for the ordination of Mr. Adams.

Zoar Baptist Church requested an examination of Mr. Don Clark, who was serving as a missionary equipped with Campus Crusade for Christ in Nairobi, Kenya. The examination took place on February 19, 1987 at Zoar Baptist Church. The committee recommended Mr. Clark for ordination with the following considerations: (1) Ordination is generally recommended for local church pastors and staff people. (2) Ordination is usually the responsibility of one's home church. Mr. Clark had close ties with Zoar Baptist Church, but it was not considered his home church. (3) Mr. Clark was encouraged to maintain a close relationship with Southern Baptists.

Elizabeth Baptist Church requested an examination of Mr. Darryl Revels. Mr. Revels was a student at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky and was being called as pastor of an American Baptist Church in Madison, Indiana. The committee recommended that Elizabeth Baptist Church proceed with plans for the ordination of Mr. Revels.

On behalf of the Ordination Committee, I thank you for the privilege of serving the Kings Mountain Baptist Association in this important responsibility.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Robert Criss, Jr.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Be it resolved that we, the messengers at this, the 117th Annual Meeting of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association:

1. Express our appreciation to the host churches, Fawnside and Zoar, to the pastors and staff members, and all the members of the churches, who so graciously welcomed and assisted us in the use of their facilities.

2. Express appreciation for the excellent meal to the Shelby Group of Churches, Bethel, Calvary, Church of the Cross, Down, Fawnside, Highland, Lily Memorial, Peach Street, Potham Memorial, Shelby First, Shelby Second, Westview and Zoar.

3. Commend those who served on the order of business committee: John Bridges, Chairman, Paul Beek, Broadus Heatherly, Billy Cooper, Joe Catrona, Dana Jenkins, for an excellent, inspiring and challenging program, and to those within and without the Association who served on the program in such a helpful way.

4. We also express our appreciation to the Moderator, Billy Cooper, for his effective manner of presiding over the sessions. To Clerk-Treasurer Joe Calhoun for his careful way of managing and reporting the contributions to the Association, and to Mrs. Margaret Lipson, Mrs. Judy Franklin and Mrs. Jane Brindle for their accurate recording of the proceedings.

5. Acknowledge the good work of the officers and committees who served during the past year, and pledge to work with those elected to serve during the new year.

6. Express appreciation to our Director of Missions, and the Christian Social Service Mission for their leadership, guidance and vision during the year, and the office staff at Baptist Center who helped all who called upon them.

7. Be it also resolved that we, the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, continue steadfastly to participate in all efforts aimed at reaching people for Christ in Cleveland County, the State of North Carolina, throughout the United States and to the ends of the earth.

Respectfully submitted,

C.A. Kirby

Rochelle Ingle

Ernest M. Smith, Chairman

PASTORAL MINISTRIES COMMITTEE REPORT

The Pastoral Ministries Committee has had the privilege of conducting and scheduling the following training opportunities for ministers and/or staff:

October 16-17, 1987: Dr. Dick Dale, professor of Pastoral Ministries at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary led a Church Growth Seminar in our association. It was a special blessing for us to have Dr. Dale come to our association since he usually leads regional seminars at Raleigh, etc.

January 25-26, 1987: Dr. Fred McGhee, Career Guidance Department, Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tennessee, will lead a T.D.P. (Think-Do-ide-Feel) Seminar. This is an outstanding seminar for couples.

March 21-22, 1988: Dr. Brooks Pfeiffer will lead a "Healthiness in Ministry" Seminar. Topics for discussion include: What are the signs of a healthy ministry? How can we stay healthy spiritually? How can we stay healthy physically?

October 31-November 1, 1988: "Crisis in the Family" Seminar. There seems to be more and more families in crisis. This will be an excellent opportunity for us to increase our ministry skills in this area.

These seminars will be available for you. An excellent year is planned. I strongly encourage your participation. I know how easy it is to miss these opportunities. I also know how thankful I have been for the times I have taken advantage of the training opportunities presented me.

I would like to thank other committee members, Harold Hix, Richard Pyles, Dennis Doughtin, and Ed Seamon and also would like to welcome new members, Ken Calks, and Brooks Gleachery.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Terry Reed, chairman

ANNUITY TASK FORCE REPORT

It is not too late. You can still enter the Expanded Annuity Program until January 1, 1989.

The Expanded Annuity Program can make your church feel good if there is a time when it is needed. You, by being a part of the program, will have already made the provision for such crisis.

Many of our 73 churches have already entered the program and we are grateful. Every one of our 73 churches have had the opportunity to have the program explained to them and many have taken advantage of the opportunity. Each church should give serious consideration to making this a part of each of the staff's package. The secular world does this and we should do no less.

Members of the Task Force are still available and will be happy to assist in anyway possible, so feel free to call us.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. E.H. Seawson, Chairman
Annuary Task Force

REPORT OF CHRISTOPHER ROAD BAPTIST MISSION

Praise the Lord for His Goodness!

Psalm 118: "How Great is Thy Goodness."

I am proud to report that this has been a very exciting year for your mission at Christopher Road. The Lord is performing miracle after miracle and you are part of that miracle.

In the past year, you have helped in building a beautiful educational and multi-purpose building. The contributions to the building fund were \$72,200.51 by the end of July. We are proud to report that we are only approximately \$5,000 in debt.

We are paying our debt well now by resolved. The good news is we have a building that would cost nearly \$180,000. Praise God!

We wish to say thank you to Mr. Colon Hamrick and Mr. J.R. Webster for their advice and labor of love.

A special thanks goes to all who gave of their Saturdays, "their time" and talents for the building. To the volunteers who did the actual construction, "our hats off to you." Yet we could not continue to build without those who gave money, "their offering to the Lord." We love you!

A church cannot be built without good leaders. God raised up many outstanding leaders from among you, the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. Dr. Paul Scovel, chairman of the Associational Mission Council, helped us in times of decision by giving us support and letting us make those decisions. The spirit of those who served on the Associational Council was one of help and cooperation. The mission would like to say, "We love you!" Those who have served are: Paul Scovel, chairman, Harold Casby, Rick Cross, Gerna Walker, Paul Wall, Scott Carpenter, Gerald Matthews, Tim Lambford, Louis Allen, Chas Borders, Marshall Rensley, Ray Brooks, Fred Swift, Charlotte Swift, Don Harris, Palmer Cannon, Timmy Park, Rebekah Ellis, Randy Godwin, David Gordon, Myrtle Greene, Evelyn Jackson, Margorie Lancaster, Vernon Martin, Joe McGarry, Betty Kainer, Warren Starnes, Peggy Wickland, Duane Smith, Doug Carlsde, and J.A. West.

To those who served and gave, God has used you, and I am very thankful for you. We have volunteers who came from the Canton area. We had volunteers from the Kings Mountain Association. And the important thing is "they came." Thanks. We love each of you!

Let us share some of the exciting events that have taken place, as a result of those labors of love.

We have grown from 25 in membership to 38. Our Sunday School went from 26 to 37 in enrollment. In the month of September we averaged over 70 each Sunday in worship services. The program of the mission have been extended to include a Wednesday night prayer supper and visioning. We have had two youth choirs started in the past month as well as a Continuing Witness team and two new Sunday School classes.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow! The membership and fellowship is growing with each week!

July 25 and 26 of 1987 was an historical event for the Kings Mountain Baptist Association and Christopher Road Mission. This date marked the completion of phase one of your mission. A dedication service was held on Sunday, July 26, and a plaque was given by the mission to Chas Borders for his love and help to the mission.

To each of you, in the churches of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, we are praising God for the miracles of love. Please continue to remember us in your prayers and support us as we grow a church at Christopher Road.

To God be the Glory,
Rev. Mickey Hayward, pastor
Christopher Road Baptist Mission

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KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S REPORT

October 1, 1986 - September 30, 1987

Balance on hand 10/1/86	\$ 5,042.69
Rec'd from churches for missions	148,641.65
Interest on checking account	429.65
Sale of paper	1,034.86
Sale of tapes	1,066.00
Literary materials	53.30
Youth Retreat	2,137.00
RA Basketball	2,483.00
Tax refunds	1,843.38
From state for Summer Worker (CSM)	900.00
From state for Associate Summer Worker	1,500.00
From state for furnishings	1,068.90
Laymen's Seminary Class	1,399.00
Miscellaneous income	2,366.81**
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	\$171,676.43

DISBURSEMENTS

Director of Missions	
Salary	\$14,942.42
Housing and utilities	7,864.08
Travel	2,996.52
Hospitalization	1,622.75
Life insurance	2,317.69
Retirement & Voluntary salary reduction for retirement	9,908.24
Christmas gift	120.00
TOTAL	\$39,771.61

CSM Director	
(Association only) Salary, travel and housing	18,771.56
Christmas gift	120.00
TOTAL	\$18,891.56

Office Manager/Secretary	
Salary	13,569.08
Insurance	765.56
Retirement	1,000.00
Christmas gift	120.00
TOTAL	\$15,454.64

Financial Secretary	
Salary	8,346.79
Retirement	642.11
Christmas gift	50.00
TOTAL	\$9,038.90

Child Secretary	
Salary	5,606.36
Retirement	446.04
Christmas gift	50.00
TOTAL	\$6,102.40

TOTAL PERSONNEL..... \$ 88,403.91

Operations, Baptist Center

Beacon	1,133.52	
Club-member (Blossomcraft)	783.00	
Special Mail-outs	1,311.70	
"Mission Only"	17.44	
DCM Conventions, Conferences, etc.	1,505.85	
CSM Conventions, Conferences, etc.	232.00	
Office utilities	4,164.27	
Printing of minutes	3,175.25	
PCA	2,225.80	
Insurance & Workmen's Compensation	1,575.00	
Paper & office supplies	6,789.29	
Maintenance contracts	949.61	
Telephone service	3,667.21	
Office equipment	1,781.79	
Contingency fund	10,000.00	
Building maintenance	1,508.41	
Laypersons' Seminary Class	1,121.65	
Tapes	2,872.18	
Beach Trip	2,400.00	
Miscellaneous Operations	1,335.24	
TOTAL		\$ 49,189.02

Equipping Activities

Church Secretary Training	202.82	
Seminars for pastors	342.78	
Leadership training for Elders		
Association & RMEBA	414.04	
Asst. Summer Worker salary	2,175.00	
Asst. Summer Worker supplies, etc.	575.93	
TOTAL		\$ 3,710.57

Christian Social Ministries

Retarded and aging	25.58	
Lunch program	451.66	
Youth & family services	1,224.42	
Alcoholism	1,723.50	
Prison	400.00	
Literacy	668.58	
Toys and	750.00	
Migrants	82.82	
Substance abuse	120.00	
Food	500.00	
Utilities	2,865.60	
Medicine	2,691.85	
Housing	1,888.00	
Transportation	110.50	
Medical Transportation	800.00	
Visually handicapped	240.01	
CSM Summer Worker salary	1,250.00	
CSM New work	1,073.19	
CSM Administration	260.71	
TOTAL		\$ 16,646.22

Organizational Ministries	
Sunday School	2,219.64
Church Training	94.28
Music	113.28
Homehood	2,789.27
WMU	1,678.22

TOTAL \$ 4,294.50

Departments and Commissions	
Order of Business Commission	45.78
Youth Commission (retreat)	2,234.93
Pewageless Commission	251.54
Finance Committee	5.88
Media	708.22

TOTAL \$ 2,986.35

TOTAL DISBURSED \$17,293.95

Total to be accounted for	\$17,876.43
Total disbursed	<u>17,293.95</u>
On hand 9/30/87	\$ 582.48

HISTORY ACCOUNT:

Balance 8/1/86	\$ 3,522.12
Earnings	<u>251.95</u>
Balance 9/30/87	\$ 3,774.07

CONTINGENCY FUND:

Balance 8/1/86	\$18,347.61
Deposits	<u>30,000.00</u>
Earnings	<u>752.95</u>
Balance 9/30/87	\$29,100.56

SPECIAL GIFTS ACCOUNT:

Balance 8/1/86	\$20,853.82
Loans	<u>40,000.00</u>
Gifts	<u>20,853.94</u>
Borrowed from Contingency Fund	<u>3,386.09</u>
Earnings	<u>1,097.02</u>

DISBURSMENTS:

Plaques	1,792.58
Reimbursed Contingency Fund	3,986.90
Contractor	61,047.08
Stones & bricks	1,895.68
Floor coverings	192.50
Cateters	618.00
Recording fee	1.00
Payroll loan	8,000.00
Interest paid	<u>1,982.32</u>
Balance 9/30/87	\$ 1,713.97

**Miscellaneous income includes insurance refund, secretary workshop, VHS materials, SS materials, World Day of Prayer, etc.

The Association expresses its gratitude to each church that shares in the expense and ministry of our association.

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph Calvessa, Clerk-Treasurer

CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS - MISSIONS ACCOUNT 10/1/84 - 9/30/87

	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	April-June	July-Sept	Total
Allen Memorial	552.15	546.53	435.26	563.48	1,897.42
Banner Lane	500.00	400.00	300.00	200.00	1,200.00
Bethany	404.29	533.23	526.56	345.43	1,409.51
Bethel	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00	1,600.00
Bethlehem	1,151.19	1,072.80	1,294.76	1,160.11	4,678.86
Boiling Springs	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
Buffalo	92.54	292.02	92.06	-	484.62
Calvary	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	1,400.00
Calvary Grove	93.00	-	-	-	93.00
Care	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	400.00
Christian Freedom	227.86	217.18	219.19	157.43	821.66
Churchill Drive	133.57	186.01	214.05	200.98	734.61
Community	-	-	-	-	-
David	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	2,000.00
Deuter Shalom	-	1,500.00	-	500.00	2,000.00
Deuter Springs	971.15	805.57	1,052.06	1,245.84	4,074.62
Dover	720.50	897.25	897.25	897.25	3,422.25
Dunstable Rd	345.59	342.82	344.17	160.54	993.11
Dunstable Shady	-	569.23	854.01	1,180.68	2,563.92
Elizabet	5,043.50	1,073.39	2,479.96	2,185.08	11,781.93
Elizabet	-	-	-	-	-
Elmer Memorial	-	-	-	-	-
Emmanuel	256.65	209.45	227.79	273.81	967.70
Faith	165.19	182.02	185.21	162.50	694.92
Faith	2,128.20	990.00	-	-	3,118.20
First St	715.00	715.00	715.00	715.00	2,840.00
Grove Place	648.87	576.90	702.81	777.64	2,706.22
Highland	274.75	228.22	215.85	257.26	1,076.08
Immanuel	-	-	-	-	-
Immanuel	500.00	250.00	450.00	500.00	1,700.00
Kings Min.	-	1,535.97	-	1,417.50	2,953.47
Kings Min. First	-	-	595.03	532.45	1,127.48
Kings Min. Second	552.79	525.66	453.00	453.00	1,984.45
Lafayette	450.00	450.00	450.00	450.00	1,800.00
Lancaster	250.00	-	250.00	500.00	1,000.00
Lily Memorial	200.00	100.00	200.00	150.00	650.00
Lynn Valley	173.47	261.68	276.41	203.38	1,014.94
Marionette	-	-	-	537.26	537.26
Midway	-	50.00	50.00	100.00	200.00
Midway	-	50.00	50.00	50.00	150.00
Mount Zion	650.00	700.00	700.00	700.00	2,750.00
Mt. Zion	162.51	162.51	162.51	162.51	650.04
Mt. Zion Memorial	350.00	350.00	350.00	350.00	1,400.00
New Bethel	-	-	-	-	-
New Bethel	-	-	-	-	-
New Buffalo	93.76	75.00	-	120.00	288.76
New Camp Creek	696.81	644.38	987.65	728.21	3,057.05
New Hope	1,200.00	-	-	-	1,200.00
New Prospect	159.88	169.45	204.80	185.50	720.63
Norman Grove	290.79	272.97	272.97	272.97	1,139.70
Northside	-	-	2,400.00	1,225.00	3,625.00
Old Grove	149.00	132.00	250.00	157.00	688.00
Old View	980.75	980.75	980.75	980.75	3,923.00
Patterson Grove	400.00	500.00	400.00	400.00	1,700.00
Patterson Springs	260.00	260.00	260.00	160.00	940.00
Peace Street	366.53	375.82	267.17	325.71	1,335.23
Peabody	57.00	125.00	120.00	75.00	377.00
Plain View	-	-	-	-	-

Pinecrest Church	565.64	600.00	450.00	600.00	1,915.64
Pinecrest Hill	-	-	600.00	600.00	1,200.00
Pinecrest Ridge	471.00	350.25	650.17	450.40	2,921.82
Polkway	-	-	-	-	-
Prokettle	754.12	907.00	590.34	790.32	2,451.78
Pugler Springs	1,800.00	-	1,800.00	1,800.00	3,600.00
Purman Memorial	907.60	953.50	715.32	634.64	2,491.06
Rose Grove	150.00	300.00	150.00	150.00	750.00
Sandy Plains	200.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	1,100.00
Shelby View	1,250.11	4,333.32	1,240.00	1,240.00	14,953.43
Shelby Second	475.03	306.66	614.77	474.99	1,871.45
Temple	278.32	313.20	360.95	346.34	1,298.81
Union	776.05	771.34	733.22	763.02	3,043.63
Victory	-	165.00	-	175.00	340.00
Waco	697.60	416.32	654.75	505.41	2,274.08
Wallace Grove	-	-	-	-	-
Westcott	-	302.36	140.62	54.41	497.39
Worshire	2,036.76	1,796.45	1,830.91	1,985.70	7,629.82
Zone	175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	700.00
Zone	1,293.48	1,858.22	1,875.22	2,478.26	7,475.18
	\$57,800.84	\$53,912.25	\$46,236.28	\$59,252.28	\$216,941.65

KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION **1987-88 Proposed Mission Budget**

I. PERSONNEL

A. EXPENDABLE INCOME

1. Director of Missions:

Salary	\$22,397
Housing & Utilities	8,736
Christmas gift	120
Total	\$31,253

2. CCM Director - State: HMB:

Salary \$1,887.60	\$4,179.00	12,372
Housing & Utilities		7,697
Christmas gift		120
Total		\$20,289
(Combined Total)		(25,785)

3. Office Manager/Secretary:

Salary	14,171
Christmas gift	100
Total	14,271

4. Financial Secretary:

Salary	7,432
Christmas gift	50
Total	7,482

5. Data office help - Salary

	1,360
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6. CCM Secretary:

Salary	6,245
Christmas gift	50
Total	6,295

Total Expendable Income:

\$81,080

B. EXPENSE ALLOWANCES

1 Director of Missions:			
Travel		4,950	
Conventions, etc.		1,750	
Total		6,700	
2 CCM Director - State:			
Travel	\$1,005.40	1000	500
Conventions, etc.			800
Total			1,300
(Combined Total)		<u>(3,305.40)</u>	
Total Expense Allowances:			\$ 8,396

C. BENEFITS

1 Director of Missions:			
Hospitalization		1,250	
Life Insurance		1,400	
Retirement		3,000	
Total		5,650	
2 CCM Director - State only:			
Insurance	\$3,294.04	-0-	
Retirement	<u>3,550.56</u>	-0-	
(State total)		(6,825.56)	
3 Office Manager/Secretary:			
Life Insurance		800	
Retirement		1,400	
Total		1,800	
4 Financial Secretary:			
Retirement		750	
5 State office help:			
Retirement		500	
6 CCM Secretary:			
Retirement		600	
7 Miscellaneous benefits:			
Workman's Compensation		200	
FICA, secretaries		2,100	
Total		3,300	
Total benefits			<u>\$ 11,654</u>
TOTAL PERSONNEL:			1201,690

II. OPERATIONS, BAPTIST CENTER:

A. Books	2,500	
B. Special Mail-outs	600	
C. "Ministers Only"	150	
D. Utilities	4,500	
E. Printing of minutes	3,000	
F. Paper & Office supplies	6,500	
G. Maintenance contracts	2,150	
H. Telephone service	4,000	
I. Office equipment	2,500	
J. Contingency fund	10,000	
K. Building maintenance	5,000	
L. Clerk/Treasurer - Honorarium	742	
M. Insurance	1,200	
N. AV Storage	500	
O. Miscellaneous operations	1,000	
P. Kitchen equipment	500	
TOTAL OPERATIONS:		\$42,892

III. EQUIPPING ACTIVITIES			
A. Church Secretary Training	500		
B. Seminars for pastors & clergy			
Marriage Enrichment Retreats	550		
C. Leadership training - Ebonians & EMBA	500		
D. Summer worker - Salary (State - \$1,500)	175		
Summer worker - travel	300		
Day camps, puppets, etc.	150		
Youth jamboree	175		
E. Discretion fund	500		
TOTAL EQUIPPING ACTIVITIES		\$ 2,800	
IV. CHURCH AND COMMUNITY MINISTRIES			
A. Ministry to Dev. Disabled and Aging	175		
B. Youth and family services	500		
C. Prison ministry	900		
D. Literacy ministry	625		
E. Migrant ministry	600		
F. Jail ministry	125		
G. Substance abuse ministry	300		
H. Emergency and relief:			
1. Food	500		
2. Utilities	3,000		
3. Medicine	1,000		
4. Housing	3,000		
5. Medical transportation	200		
6. Lunch program	600		
7. Ministry to street persons	1,000		
I. Visually handicapped ministry	500		
J. Christmas Toy Drive	850		
K. New Year	1,000		
L. CCM Administrative	600		
TOTAL CCM		\$18,175	
V. ORGANIZATIONAL MINISTRIES			
A. SUNDAY SCHOOL			
1. ASSIST training	600		
2. Workers Training Conference	1,000		
3. VBS Clinic	325		
4. ASSIST supplies	200		
Total	<u>2,125</u>		
B. CHURCH TRAINING			
1. Resource materials	300		
2. Leadership training	300		
3. Special emphasis	200		
Total	<u>800</u>		
C. MUSIC MINISTRY			
1. Honorarium for pianist	100		
2. Expenses for clinician	95		
3. Publicity, postage, and paper			
4. Honorarium for accompanist	80		
5. Associational choir expense	125		
Total	<u>400</u>		

D. BROTHERHOOD		
1. Fair breakfast	500	
2. RA's	300	
3. Conference	400	
Total	<u>1,200</u>	
E. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION		
1. Mail-outs and postage	300	
2. Age-level activities	550	
3. Materials	100	
4. Training for associational leaders	400	
5. Honorariums for speakers	150	
Total	<u>1,500</u>	
TOTAL ORGANIZATIONAL:		\$ 5,975
VI. DEPARTMENTS AND COMMITTEES		
A. YOUTH COMMITTEE		
1. February retreat	200	
2. Special youth rally	100	
3. Associational youth camp	100	
Total	<u>400</u>	
B. EVANGELISM COMMITTEE	250	
C. FINANCE COMMITTEE		
1. Postage and stationery	100	
2. Stewardship development & promotion	200	
Total	<u>300</u>	
D. CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMITTEE	300	
E. ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE	300	
F. MEDIA CENTER		
1. Books	250	
2. Library Week at Ridgecrest	175	
3. Local workshops	75	
4. Visual education	475	
5. Coordinator travel	200	
Total	<u>1,175</u>	
TOTAL DEPARTMENTS AND COMMITTEES		\$ 3,174
VII. MISCELLANEOUS	<u>1,000</u>	
Summary:		
I. Personnel	\$101,690	
B. Operations, Baptist Center	42,892	
El. Equipping Activities	2,650	
Di. Church and Community Ministries	19,575	
V. Organizational Ministries	5,975	
VI. Departments and Committees	3,174	
VII. Miscellaneous	<u>1,000</u>	
GRAND TOTAL BUDGET	<u>\$178,156</u>	

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Name of the person		Age	Sex	Height	Weight	Complexion	Build	Education	Occupation	Marital Status	Religion	Political Party	Other Information
1	Mr. A. B. Singh	45	M	5' 8"	150	Fair	Medium	High School	Teacher	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
2	Mr. C. D. Sharma	38	M	5' 6"	140	Fair	Medium	High School	Engineer	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
3	Mr. E. F. Gupta	52	M	5' 10"	160	Fair	Medium	High School	Doctor	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
4	Mr. G. H. Singh	40	M	5' 7"	145	Fair	Medium	High School	Teacher	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
5	Mr. I. J. Singh	35	M	5' 5"	135	Fair	Medium	High School	Engineer	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
6	Mr. K. L. Singh	48	M	5' 9"	155	Fair	Medium	High School	Teacher	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
7	Mr. M. N. Singh	30	M	5' 4"	130	Fair	Medium	High School	Engineer	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
8	Mr. O. P. Singh	55	M	5' 11"	165	Fair	Medium	High School	Doctor	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
9	Mr. Q. R. Singh	42	M	5' 7"	145	Fair	Medium	High School	Teacher	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	
10	Mr. S. T. Singh	37	M	5' 6"	140	Fair	Medium	High School	Engineer	Married	Hindu	Indian National Congress	

Name		Address		City		State		Country		Telephone		Telex		Fax		E-mail		Web		Other	
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Mr. J. J. Smith	123 Main St.	Anytown	CA	90210	USA	(415) 555-1234															
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State / Province / Department		Type of Project / Activity		Year		Status		Comments	
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Alabama	Alabama	1990	Completed	Alabama	1990	Completed	Alabama		
Alaska	Alaska	1990	Completed	Alaska	1990	Completed	Alaska		
Arizona	Arizona	1990	Completed	Arizona	1990	Completed	Arizona		
Arkansas	Arkansas	1990	Completed	Arkansas	1990	Completed	Arkansas		
California	California	1990	Completed	California	1990	Completed	California		
Colorado	Colorado	1990	Completed	Colorado	1990	Completed	Colorado		
Connecticut	Connecticut	1990	Completed	Connecticut	1990	Completed	Connecticut		
Delaware	Delaware	1990	Completed	Delaware	1990	Completed	Delaware		
District of Columbia	District of Columbia	1990	Completed	District of Columbia	1990	Completed	District of Columbia		
Florida	Florida	1990	Completed	Florida	1990	Completed	Florida		
Georgia	Georgia	1990	Completed	Georgia	1990	Completed	Georgia		
Hawaii	Hawaii	1990	Completed	Hawaii	1990	Completed	Hawaii		
Idaho	Idaho	1990	Completed	Idaho	1990	Completed	Idaho		
Illinois	Illinois	1990	Completed	Illinois	1990	Completed	Illinois		
Indiana	Indiana	1990	Completed	Indiana	1990	Completed	Indiana		
Iowa	Iowa	1990	Completed	Iowa	1990	Completed	Iowa		
Kansas	Kansas	1990	Completed	Kansas	1990	Completed	Kansas		
Kentucky	Kentucky	1990	Completed	Kentucky	1990	Completed	Kentucky		
Louisiana	Louisiana	1990	Completed	Louisiana	1990	Completed	Louisiana		
Maine	Maine	1990	Completed	Maine	1990	Completed	Maine		
Maryland	Maryland	1990	Completed	Maryland	1990	Completed	Maryland		
Massachusetts	Massachusetts	1990	Completed	Massachusetts	1990	Completed	Massachusetts		
Michigan	Michigan	1990	Completed	Michigan	1990	Completed	Michigan		
Minnesota	Minnesota	1990	Completed	Minnesota	1990	Completed	Minnesota		
Mississippi	Mississippi	1990	Completed	Mississippi	1990	Completed	Mississippi		
Missouri	Missouri	1990	Completed	Missouri	1990	Completed	Missouri		
Montana	Montana	1990	Completed	Montana	1990	Completed	Montana		
Nebraska	Nebraska	1990	Completed	Nebraska	1990	Completed	Nebraska		
Nevada	Nevada	1990	Completed	Nevada	1990	Completed	Nevada		
New Hampshire	New Hampshire	1990	Completed	New Hampshire	1990	Completed	New Hampshire		
New Jersey	New Jersey	1990	Completed	New Jersey	1990	Completed	New Jersey		
New Mexico	New Mexico	1990	Completed	New Mexico	1990	Completed	New Mexico		
New York	New York	1990	Completed	New York	1990	Completed	New York		
North Carolina	North Carolina	1990	Completed	North Carolina	1990	Completed	North Carolina		
North Dakota	North Dakota	1990	Completed	North Dakota	1990	Completed	North Dakota		
Oklahoma	Oklahoma	1990	Completed	Oklahoma	1990	Completed	Oklahoma		
Oregon	Oregon	1990	Completed	Oregon	1990	Completed	Oregon		
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania	1990	Completed	Pennsylvania	1990	Completed	Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island	Rhode Island	1990	Completed	Rhode Island	1990	Completed	Rhode Island		
South Carolina	South Carolina	1990	Completed	South Carolina	1990	Completed	South Carolina		
South Dakota	South Dakota	1990	Completed	South Dakota	1990	Completed	South Dakota		
Tennessee	Tennessee	1990	Completed	Tennessee	1990	Completed	Tennessee		
Texas	Texas	1990	Completed	Texas	1990	Completed	Texas		
Vermont	Vermont	1990	Completed	Vermont	1990	Completed	Vermont		
Virginia	Virginia	1990	Completed	Virginia	1990	Completed	Virginia		
Washington	Washington	1990	Completed	Washington	1990	Completed	Washington		
West Virginia	West Virginia	1990	Completed	West Virginia	1990	Completed	West Virginia		
Wisconsin	Wisconsin	1990	Completed	Wisconsin	1990	Completed	Wisconsin		
Wyoming	Wyoming	1990	Completed	Wyoming	1990	Completed	Wyoming		

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HISTORICAL TABLE

DATE	PLACE OF MEETING	INTRO. SERMON	MODERATOR	CLERK
1885	Zion, New Prospect	John E. Lawrence	C.O. Greene	Lawrence Roberts
1886	Present Ridge			
1886	Danville (N), Sandy Plains, Polkville	Oscar Funderburke	C.O. Greene	Lawrence Roberts
1887	Glendon-Weith, Trilling Springs	Harold House	E.R. Hicks	Lawrence Roberts
1888	Hamoth, Shelby Second	T.W. Fizes	Oscar Funderburke	Lawrence Roberts
1889	Falston, New Bethel	Roger Smith	Oscar Funderburke	Lawrence Roberts
1890	Present Ridge	J.H. Lawrence	Oscar Funderburke	Lawrence Roberts
1891	Zion	J.Z. Basy	Thomas Hason	Lawrence Roberts
1892	Kings Mountain 1st	H.L. Kincaid	E.M. Smith	Lawrence Roberts
1893	New Hope	Lawrence Thomas	E.M. Smith	Lawrence Roberts
1894	Waco	D.A.B. Wood	James Holder	Leary Nix
1895	Lawrence, Zion	Cop Dullinger	James Holder	Judy Stanton
1896	Danville Springs	Joseph T. McClain	James Holder	Billy G. Washburn
1897	Shelby 1st	Norman Brown	C.A. Kirby, Jr.	Hugh Borders
1898	Danville	James Stanley	C.A. Kirby, Jr.	Joseph Calamus
1899	Patterson Grove			
1899	Beddetham, Patterson Springs	W.J. Yensen	James Stanley	Joseph Calamus
1900	Hamoth	Clare Darden	James Stanley	Joseph Calamus
1901	Cover, New Bethel	Max Dillington	Russell Pitts	Joseph Calamus
1902	Poplar Springs, Trilling Springs	Joseph Sanders	Russell Pitts	Joseph Calamus
1903	Shelby 1st	Richard Pyle	Richard Leath	Joseph Calamus
1904	Kings Mountain 1st, Kings Mountain 2nd	Russell Pitts	Richard Leath	Joseph Calamus
1905	Greene, New Hope	Paul Mauney	Charles Young	Joseph Calamus
1906	Hamoth	Max Lincoe	Charles Young	Joseph Calamus
1907	Polkville	C.A. Kirby, Jr.	William McDaniel	Joseph Calamus
1908	Present Ridge, Shelby 1st	Clara Waterman	William McDaniel	Joseph Calamus
1909	Postville, Shelby	Charles Mellette	Daniel H. Jolly	Joseph Calamus
1910	Patterson Grove	Earl Becking	Daniel H. Jolly	Joseph Calamus
1911	Bedel	Wilcox Padgett	Marion Adams	Joseph Calamus
1912	New Hope, Beddetham	C.O. Greene	Marion Adams	Joseph Calamus
1913	Bower Dam, Mt. Sam	Clyde Chapman	Alton Martin	Joseph Calamus
1914	Hamoth, Waco	Joel Jenkins	Bronson Hootchery	Joseph Calamus
1915	Polkville, Union	Richard Pyle	Bronson Hootchery	Joseph Calamus
1916	Kings Mountain 1st, Macedonia	J.A. West	Wade Dullinger	Joseph Calamus
1917	Danville, Shelby	William Poe	Billy Cooper	Joseph Calamus

