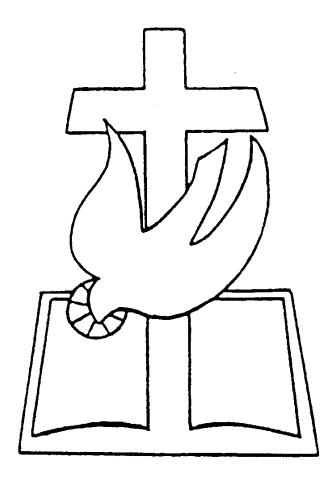
MINUTES of the

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION

OF SEPARATE BAPTIST IN CHRIST OF KENTUCKY, INC Buffalo, KY

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SEPTEMBER 19TH AND 20TH, 2003

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Next Session will be held Friday and Saturday, September 17th and 18th, 2004

MOTTO

We have no law but love, no creed but Christ and no discipline but the New Testament.

PLEDGES

AMERICAN FLAG

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands; one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

CHRISTIAN FLAG

I pledge allegiance to the Christian flag and to our Savior for whose kingdom it stands; one brotherhood, uniting all mankind in service and in love.

BIBLE

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word. I will make it a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. I will hide its words in my heart, that I might not sin against God.

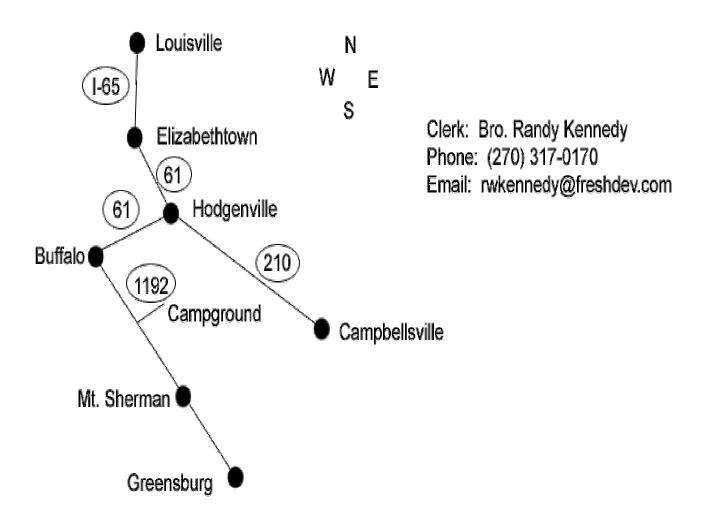


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PROGRAM FOR 2004

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION - 10:00 A.M. (EDT) (LARUE CO. TIME)

- 1. Service opened by prayer and congregational singing.
- 2. Pledges to the American Flag, Christian Flag, and Bible.
- 3. Devotional service.
- 4. Welcome address and response.
- 5. Reading of Rules of Order by the clerk.
- 6. Call the Association body together.
- 7. Call for church letters with Minute money, reading same and seat delegates.
- 8. Call for letters from new churches.
- 9. Recognition of visiting associations.
- 10. Appointment of committees.
- 11. Introductory sermon by Rev. Brandon Goodin; alt. Rev. Ronda Arnett.
- 12. Report of committee on Divine Service.
- 13. Adjourn until time announced by the moderator to begin next session.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1. Call to order by singing.
- Devotional service.
- 3. Obituary report read.
- 4. Recognize widows of deceased ministers and deacons, and spouses of deceased members of Nolynn Association.
- 5. Memorial prayer.
- 6. Memorial sermon by Rev. Nolan Howell; alt. Rev. Keith Sullivan.
- 7. Read Minutes of previous session.
- 8. Freewill offering (Association).
- 9. Unfinished business.
- 10. Recognize missions.
- 11. Call for corresponding letters and receive visiting brethren; appoint delegates to Sister Associations.
- 12. Call for treasurer reports.
- 13. Personally read minister reports, if present.
- 14. New business and miscellaneous business.
- 15. Call for committee reports.
- 16. Adjourn until evening service at 6:00 P.M.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

- 1. Gospel singing at 6:00 to 7:00 P.M.
- 2. Devotional service.
- 3. Doctrinal sermon by Rev. Gary McGaha; alt. Rev. Melvin Underwood.
- 4. Communion and washing of the Saints' feet.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION - 10:00 A.M. (EDT) (LARUE CO. TIME)

- 1. Service opened by prayer and congregational singing.
- 2. Devotional service.
- 3. Read Minutes of Friday afternoon session and Friday evening service.
- 4. Roll call Unfinished business.
- 5. Freewill offering (Association).
- 6. New business and miscellaneous business.
- 7. SBMI report.
- 8. Mission sermon by visiting minister (to be chosen by Divine Committee).
- 9. Special offering (SBMI for foreign missions).
- 10. Adjourn until time announced by the moderator to begin next session.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1. Call to order by singing.
- 2. Devotional service.
- 3. Read Minutes of previous session.
- 4. Unfinished business.
- 5. New business.
- 6. Election of officers on roll call.
- 7. Read Minutes of this session.
- 8. Service closed by prayer.

Zion and Calvary Hill – Divine Committee Faith and Coral Ridge – Program Committee

PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The 184th annual session of the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky, Inc. was held at the Nolynn Association Campground in Buffalo, Kentucky on September 19, 2003.

The Friday morning session was opened by an altar of prayer led by Bro. Billie Grimes. The congregation sang "Where the Soul Never Dies" led by Bro. Herbert Martin of Friendship Church accompanied by Bro. Rick Goff of Friendship. Our moderator, Rev. Jim Goff, led us in the pledges to the American Flag, Christian Flag, and the Bible as the congregation stood. The devotion service was given by Rev. Keith Sullivan, our assistant moderator. He read Psalms 27:1-5. An altar of prayer followed being led by Bro. Grady Thompson. The welcome address was given by Rev. Nolan Howell, and the response was given by Rev. Danny Bailey of the South KY Association.

Reading of the Rules of Order by the clerk was next. The Association body was then called together by our moderator, Rev. Jim Goff. A total of 16 ministers and 21 deacons were present and in harmony. The moderator had the ministers and deacons stand together and by their silence, they agreed to do business for this setting of the Association.

A call for church letters with Minute money, reading same, and seating delegates was next. Rev. Melvin Underwood made a motion, seconded by Bro. Arnold Stidham to read all church letters and receive all delegates under one motion. Motion carried. The following church letters were then read: Calvary Hill, Coral Ridge, Faith, Friendship, Glasgow, Little Barren, Louisville, Mt. Salem, Mt. Zion, Munfordville, Oak Grove, Okolona, Otter Creek, Pleasant Ridge, Sand Lick, True Gospel, Union, and Zion. Rev. Melvin Underwood made a motion, seconded by Rev. Keith Sullivan, to accept the letters, seat the delegates, and print the letters in the Minutes. Motion carried. The moderator had the appointed delegates and standing delegates to stand and all voted at peace. Rev. Jim Goff then declared the 184th setting of the Nolynn Association in session. A call for letters from new churches was next. There were none. We then recognized visitors from Sister Associations. We had 8 visitors from Central Indiana and South Kentucky, combined, to stand. Their names are printed in the Minutes under the heading "Visitors From Sister Associations".

Committees for the 2004 Association were then appointed. They were Constitution (Bro. Noah Vance - chairman, Bro. Bobby Arnett, Bro. James White, Rev. Robert Gosser, Rev. James Hale), Enrollment (Sis. Regina Goff - chairperson, Sis. Charlotte Jordan, Sis. Freida Benningfield), Association Revival (Bro. Rick Goff - chairman, Bro. Olyn Sprowles, Bro. Winfred Simpson), and Communion and Feetwashing (Bro. Wendell Benningfield - chairman, Bro. Billie Grimes, Bro. Elroy Pepper). Rev. Gerald Gardner will be the SBMI member for the coming year.

The congregation sang "Watching You" led by Bro. Wendell Benningfield of Mt. Salem Church accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown of Okolona Church as Rev. Melvin Underwood came forward to preach the introductory sermon. He read Psalms 137:1-9. Rev. Underwood said that we need to pray more and that we need to feel the Holy Spirit. "Prayer is the key to unlock the door." Prayer is the greatest thing that we can do. We can all pray for encouragement and strength. We need to be spiritual leaders. If we preach the Word, we'll have life in our church. He said that we need the gospel back in our churches. Rev. Underwood

talked about the apostle Paul not being popular, but he loved God, and he preached it. The most important thing is for the lost to repent and get right with God. Jesus gave His life for the church of the living God. Rev. Underwood then read II Corinthians 11:24-28. He said that we need to respect and honor our institutions (churches). Members of the church are on the winning team. We need to share the same doctrine and have a vision and a desire. Bro. Keith Brown started the congregation off by singing "Amazing Grace" as everyone walked up to shake Rev. Melvin Underwood's hand. Bro. Rick Goff then lead us in "I'm Going that Way" as Bro. Keith Brown accompanied him. Everyone praised the Lord.

The clerk then read the appointed committees for 2003 which were Program, Condition, Obituary, Audit, Divine, Resolutions, and Temperance.

The clerk read a full report of the Divine Committee. Bro. Randy Kennedy made a motion to accept the report, and Bro. Keith Brown seconded it. Motion carried. The dismissal was prayed by Bro. Arnold Stidham. The blessing on the noon meal was given by Rev. Troy Grider of South KY. We were adjourned until 1:00pm.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The Friday afternoon session was called together by singing "I Want to Know More About My Lord" led by Bro. Elroy Pepper of Sand Lick Church accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown. The devotion was given by Rev. Mathew Lawhorn of South KY Association. His scripture was Romans 12:1-2. An altar of prayer then followed being led by Bro. Charles Jordan.

The Obituary report was read, and the widows of deceased ministers and deacons and spouses of deceased members of the Nolynn Association were recognized. A motion was made by Bro. Randy Kennedy, seconded by Rev. James Hale, to accept the report and print it in the Minutes. Motion carried. A total of 1 member stood to be recognized in memory of those who had passed away as the moderator called on Rev. John Davidson to pray the memorial prayer.

Rev. Robert Gosser came forward to preach the memorial sermon. He read Galatians 5:1-7. Rev. Gosser talked about memorials. He requested that we remember the one that has held up for over 2000 years...the empty tomb. He focused on verse 7. He said that he can see a great falling away since 34 years ago when he started preaching. "If we're to have strength and power in God, we need to come together with one purpose." He referenced Galatians 3:1. "Why don't we trust God as people did in days of old?", he asked. We're a spoiled nation and have too many conveniences that cause us to leave God out of many things. God is the one that can help us work and worship together to have more unity. We need to stand for Jesus more. "Present the body a living sacrifice or be hell bound." He closed by saying that the truth can hurt those people that aren't living up to God's Word.

The reading of the Friday morning session was next. Bro. Randy Kennedy made a motion, seconded by Rev. Melvin Underwood, to receive them as read with any needed corrections or additions and print them in the form of Minutes. Motion carried.

A freewill offering for the Association was next. Bro. James White prayed the blessing on the offering. Bro. Herbert Martin, accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown, led the congregation in singing "When We All Get to Heaven" as a total of \$426.19 was received in offering.

Unfinished business was called for next. The clerk read the tabled motion concerning item 2 from the 2002 Ministers and Deacons Report which is intended to modify Article (2) of the Permanent Rules Adopted To Govern This Body. This motion reads as follows:

We recommend that Article (2) of the Permanent Rules Adopted To Govern This Body be changed to include the following phrase: "including updating the Association's incorporation papers (annually)".

Bro. Rick Goff made a motion to move the motion off the table for voting, seconded by Bro. Charles Jordan. The body voted on the motion, and it carried. Article (2) of the Permanent Rules Adopted To Govern This Body will be modified.

The moderator then called for Missions to be recognized. There were none.

A call for corresponding letters being read by our corresponding secretary and receiving visiting delegates was next. The following letters were read: Mount Olive Association, Central Indiana Association, South KY Association, and Christian Unity Association. Bro. Wendell Benningfield made a motion, seconded by Rev. Keith Sullivan, to receive the letters and to recognize the delegates from the Sister Associations. Motion passed. The delegates attending were Rev. Jerry Ridge of Central Indiana, and Rev. Mathew Lawhorn, Rev. Danny Bailey, and Rev. Troy Grider of South KY.

Delegates to Sister Associations were then appointed as follows:

Association	Delegates
Central Indiana	Rev. Melvin & Sis. Dianna Underwood, Rev. Keith &
	Sis. Ella Mae Sullivan
Christian Unity, NC	Rev. James & Sis. Barbara Hale, Rev. Melvin & Sis.
	Dianna Underwood
Mt. Olive, Tennessee	Rev. James & Sis. Barbara Hale
Northeast Florida	Rev. Brandon and Sis. Allison Goodin, Bro. Charles
	& Sis. Charlotte Jordan
South Kentucky	Rev. Keith & Sis. Ella Mae Sullivan, Rev. James &
	Sis. Barbara Hale, Bro. Noah & Sis. Pat Vance, Rev.
	John and Sis. Elaine Davidson
Southwest West Virginia	Rev. Keith & Sis. Ella Mae Sullivan

Treasury reports were read and accepted as follows:

Report	Motion	Second
Kitchen Treasury	Randy Kennedy	Arnold Stidham
Southern SS Treasury	Melvin Underwood	Robert Gosser
Trust Fund	Randy Kennedy	Keith Brown
Home Mission Treasury	Melvin Underwood	James Hale
Nolynn Treasury	Randy Kennedy	Robert Gosser
Dorm Fund	Melvin Underwood	Herbert Martin
Paving Fund	Randy Kennedy	Olyn Sprowles
Youth Camp Treasury	Melvin Underwood	Arnold Stidham

All treasurer reports were referred to the Audit Committee.

Minister reports were personally read by ministers present. A total of 17 letters were read by the ministers. A motion was made by Bro. Noah Vance,

seconded by Bro. Rick Goff, to accept the letters and print them in the minutes. Motion carried.

New and miscellaneous business was next. The clerk mentioned that Rev. Charlie Houk was appointed for the Saturday afternoon devotional service since Rev. Mathew Cowan and Rev. John Davidson would not be present to preach. The clerk also mentioned that the moderator appointed Bro. Rick Goff as the new Youth Encouragement Committee member.

The clerk then read the Program Improvement Committee's report (p. 34) that contained their recommendations for improving the future program. The body voted on tabling the recommendations for one year for review. Motion carried.

Several reports were read and supported as follows:

Report	Motion	Second
Southern SS Report	Randy Kennedy	Melvin Underwood
Presbytery	Arnold Stidham	Olyn Sprowles
Ministers/Deacons Report	Charles Jordan	Wendell Benningfield

The call for Committee reports was next. They were read and accepted as follows:

Report	Motion	Second
Kitchen Report	Rick Goff	Arnold Stidham
Revival Committee Report	Keith Brown	Robert Gosser
Home Mission Fund Report	Keith Sullivan	John Davidson
Resolutions	Noah Vance	Herbert Martin

Bro. Rick Goff announced that he could help interested churches with their sound systems and only charge the churches the wholesale price for the necessary sound equipment.

Bro. Randy Kennedy took some time to talk about the new Separate Baptist web site. He addressed all questions that came to the floor.

The service was dismissed in prayer by Rev. John Perkins. The blessing on the evening meal was given by Rev. Thomas Wallace.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

The Friday evening service was called together by singing from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Those singing were as follows: Bro. Herbert Martin, Rev. Melvin Underwood, Sis. Dianna Underwood, Bro. Keith Brown, Sis. Debbie Brown, Rev. James Hale, Bro. Rick Goff, Sis. Regina Goff, Rev. Troy Arnett, Rev. Jerry Ridge, Sis. Kathy Ridge, Sis. Wilma White, Bro. Noah Vance, Sis. Janie Penick, and Rev. Gerald Gardner.

The devotional service was then led by Rev. Gary McGaha. He read Genesis 18:1-8. An altar of prayer followed led by Rev. Jerry Ridge of Central Indiana. Rev. James Hale came forward to preach the doctrinal sermon. He read from II Timothy 3:16-17. Rev. Hale pointed out that our Articles of Faith states that we believe that the Old and New Testaments are the infallible Word of God. He said that one of these days, God is going to cry out to our nation, "Where art thou?" He pointed out various examples of what we believe such as: Adam and Eve sinned, Noah built an Ark, that we must be born again and stand against sin, and that God is a rewarder of those that diligently seek Him. We believe in the Ten Commandments and in our Articles of Faith. He said that we must have faith

to believe. Rev. Hale told us his testimony about how he was saved. He said that if we put our trust in God that we'll see things happen. We believe that Jesus Christ is coming back.

The deacons, led by Bro. Keith Brown and the Communion and Feetwashing Committee, had charge of the communion service and washing of the saints' feet. Bro. Herbert Martin prayed over the fruit of the vine, and Bro. Albert Peace prayed over the bread. There were approximately 38 that took part in the service. After several songs and spirit-filled testimonies, we all sang a song and went out.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The Saturday morning session was opened by prayer led by Rev. Jimmy Mason of South Kentucky. The congregation sang "When He Calls I'll Fly Away" led by Bro. Herbert Martin of Friendship Church and accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown. Rev. Troy Grider of South Kentucky had charge of the devotion. He read St. Luke 24:28-32. An altar of prayer followed.

The reading of the Friday afternoon session and Friday evening service was next. A motion was made by Bro. Randy Kennedy, seconded by Bro. M.E. Dorsey, to accept them as read with any needed corrections or additions and print them in the form of Minutes. Motion carried.

Roll call of delegates of the churches was next.

Unfinished business was called for by the moderator. Several reports were read and accepted as follows:

Report	Motion	Second
N. SS Report	Keith Brown	Arnold Sprowles
N. SS Treasury	Melvin Underwood	Olyn Sprowles
Program Committee	John Benningfield	Angie Etherton
Temperance Committee	Arnold Sprowles	Bob Lowry

New and miscellaneous business was next. The Trustee Report was read. Rev. Robert Gosser made a motion to accept the report, seconded by Rev. Gary McGaha, and motioned carried. The conclusion of the Standing Committee Report was read next. Rev. Melvin Underwood made a motion to vote on each item separately, seconded by Rev. Ronda Arnett, and motion carried. All three items passed with item 1 (p. 26) being tabled for one year. Item 1 (p. 26) of the partial Standing Committee Report was read. Bro. Charles Jordan made a motion to accept it, seconded by Bro. Michael Jordan, and motion carried.

A freewill offering was next, and Bro. Herbert Martin prayed the blessing for the morning offering. The congregation sang "Love Lifted Me" led by Bro. Paul Meyer of Faith Church accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown. A total of \$205.55 in offering was received for the Association.

The SBMI report was given by Rev. Melvin Underwood, our 2002-2003 SBMI representative. Rev. Gary McGaha made a motion, seconded by Bro. Rick Goff, to accept the report and print it in the Minutes. Motion carried.

Bro. Charles Jordan made a motion to hear Rev. Steve Palmer's report, seconded by Rev. James Hale, and motion carried. After Rev. Steve Palmer finished reading his report to the body, Bro. Charles Jordan made a motion to accept it and print it in the minutes, seconded by Bro. Michael Jordan, and motion carried (p. 42).

Rev. Jerry Ridge of Central Indiana Association came forward to preach the mission sermon. He read from I Corinthians 4:1-2. He stated that faithfulness to God is a requirement in our work. He focused on stewardship and faithfulness. We're going to give an account of our lives someday. Rev. Ridge said that our life should be an open book because we shouldn't have anything to hide. God's stewards should have to do a little digging. He said that we need to reject the devil's council and take up the Word of God. If we're not faithful in God's stewardship, we will be put out. God won't require you to do something that you can't do. He will provide. Rev. Ridge also talked about how God talked to Moses and used him to carry out His stewardship. He said that we have a great responsibility to God since lost people tend to turn to us for council before turning to God. "God is the great provider if we put our faith and trust in Him." He went on to say that we need to keep training the youth in the way they ought to go — teach them the right way and hold strong. We have to do what God bids us to do. The more you do for God, the more He blesses.

Bro. Herbert Martin led us in "When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder", accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown, as the congregation participated in a Christian handshake.

Bro. Rick Goff prayed the blessing over the offering for missions. Bro. Keith Brown came forward to play "Just A Little Talk With Jesus." The mission offering was \$227.00.

Bro. Charles Jordan then prayed the blessing over the special offering for Walker Smith. Bro. Keith Brown continued playing "Just A Little Talk With Jesus" as \$901.00 was collected (note – final offering was \$932.00).

The dismissal of the Saturday morning session was prayed by Rev. Sam Warner of South Kentucky. The blessing on the noon meal was prayed by Rev. Ronda Arnett. We adjourned to meet back at 1:30pm.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Rev. Jerry Ridge requested a special prayer for Walker Smith on Walker's mother's behalf. The congregation came together in prayer.

The Saturday afternoon session was called to order by singing "It's A Grand And A Glorious Feeling" led by Bro. Wendell Benningfield of Mt. Salem accompanied by Bro. Keith Brown.

Rev. Jim Goff recognized the kitchen help. They received a well-deserved standing ovation from the congregation.

The devotional service was given by Rev. Charlie Houk, and he shared his testimony. An altar of prayer followed led by Rev. Brandon Goodin.

The Saturday morning session minutes were read, and Bro. Randy Kennedy made a motion, seconded by Rev. Melvin Underwood, to receive them as read with any needed corrections or additions and print them in the form of minutes. Motion carried.

Unfinished business was called for by the moderator. The following reports were read and accepted to print in the Minutes:

Report	Motion	Second
Condition Committee	Rick Goff	Arnold Sprowles

The clerk announced the members appointed by the moderator of the newly created Outreach Committee (p. 38).

New business was then called for by the moderator. The following reports were read and accepted to print in the Minutes:

Report	Motion	Second
Audit Committee Association Revival	Robert Gosser Melvin Underwood	Ronda Arnett Arnold Stidham
Enrollment Committee	James Hale	Gary McGaha
Youth Camp	Arnold Stidham	Herbert Martin

The election of officers on roll call was next. The officers of the Nolynn Association for 2004 were elected as follows:

Office	Elected
Moderator	.Rev. Jim Goff
Assistant Moderator	.Rev. Keith Sullivan
Clerk	. Bro. Randy Kennedy
Assistant Clerk	.Rev. Melvin Underwood
Treasurer	. Bro. Charles Jordan
Assistant Treasurer	. Bro. Keith Brown
Corresponding Secretary	. Bro. Wendell Benningfield
Trust Fund Treasurer	. Bro. Noah Vance
Nolynn Historian	
Presbytery Board (3 year)	
Presbytery Board (2 nd alternate)	.Rev. Gerald Gardner
Association Trustee (5 year)	. Bro. Albert Peace
Youth Activities Board (5 year)	. Sis. Cozetta Sprowles

A motion was made by Rev. Melvin Underwood, seconded by Rev. Robert Gosser, to vote by standing vote for the 2004 Association Revival evangelist. Motion carried. Rev. James Hale and Rev. Gerald Gardner were nominated. Rev. Gerald Gardner was voted in as our evangelist for the 2004 Association Revival.

The Saturday afternoon session minutes were read by the clerk, and Bro. Randy Kennedy made a motion, seconded by Rev. Melvin Underwood, to accept them as read with any needed corrections or additions and print them in the form of Minutes. Motion carried. The Association was closed in prayer by Bro. Olyn Sprowles.

Signed: Rev. James Goff, Moderator Bro. Randy Kennedy, Clerk

ROLL CALL – APPOINTED DELEGATES

Calvary Hill: Becky Ashbaugh, Rebecca Boyle, Darryl Dunford, Louisa

Dunford, Diane Elliott, Angie Etherton, Shirley Ingram

Coral Ridge: Stanley Brown, Delcie Garner, Charlotte Jordan, Michael Jordan,

Marsha Perkins, Tommy Perkins

Faith: Francis Madison, Barbara Heiskell, John Madison, Jessica

Meyer, Keith Meyer, Ella Mae Sullivan, Karen Sullivan

Friendship: Lester Beckner, Margaret Beckner, David Randols, Ruby

Randols, Regina Goff, Irene Johnson, Wilma White

Glasgow: Stanley Ramsey, Joan Ramsey, Betty Tarter

Little Barren: Ruth Ann Young, Ann Thompson, Wanda Coffey, Carolyn Jones,

Kelli Wilson, Barbara Young, Hilda Compton

Louisville: Tommie Hash, James Skaggs, Gordon Shofner, Bob Lowrey,

Marcy McGaha

Mt. Salem: None

Mt. Zion: John Benningfield, Carolyn Milby, Geneva Peace, Nadine

Grimes, Shelby Wolford, Rose Bostic, Annetta Skaggs

Munfordville: Dennie Warren, Imogene Warren, Karen Nunn, Elizabeth

Dorsey, Kim Nunn, Tammy Biggs, Andrea Higdon

Oak Grove: Ernest Davis, Jerry Scott, Glenda Simpson, Pat Davis, Suvada

Arnett, Connie Smith, Regina Houk

Okolona: Joyce Depoyster, Debbie Brown, Leigh Ann Brown, Brian Bates,

Trish Bates, Wilson Underwood, Forrest Pitts

Otter Creek: Frances Skaggs, Janice Despain, Ruby Underwood, Nola

Wallace, Kathy Skaggs

Pleasant Ridge: Versie Clopton, Edith Warren, Bobby Warren

Sand Lick: T. J. Hodges, Ruth Chaney, Gladys Milby, Janie Penick, Doug

Penick, Shirley Pepper, Leslie Milby

True Gospel: Nell Huff

Union: Doriene Clark, Leona Stillwell

Zion: Randy Kennedy, Louise Shofner, Cozetta Sprowles, Linda

Sprowles, Evelyn Hedgespeth, Shannon Kennedy, Glenda

Skaggs

VISITORS FROM SISTER ASSOCIATIONS

Central Indiana Association: Rev. Jerry & Sis. Kathy Ridge, Rev. Steve

Palmer

South Kentucky Association: Rev. Troy Grider, Rev. Danny Bailey, Rev.

Matthew Cowan, Rev. Fred & Sis. Estelle Dalton, Rev. Samuel Warner, Rev. Jimmy & Sis. Louise Mason, Rev. Mathew Lawhorn

STATISTICS

Church	Received	Deceased	Dismissed	Total
Calvary Hill	0	0	0	145
Coral Ridge	0	0	0	66
Faith	0	0	0	24
Friendship	2	0	0	164
Glasgow	0	0	0	12
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Louisville	0	0	3	173
Mt. Salem	0	0	4	12*
Mt. Zion	7	3	0	298
Munfordville	1	0	1	70
Oak Grove	0	0	0	77
Okolona	6	0	6	41
Otter Creek	1	2	2	71
Pleasant Ridge	2	4	0	268
Sand Lick	10	0	0	64
True Gospel	0	0	0	48
Union	2	1	0	87
Zion	0	0	0	222
Total	33	12	19	1,964

^{*}Corrected by church clerk.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Church and Pastor

Church Location

Calvary Hill

Rev. Charlie Houk

Church Phone: (502) 543-3590

Two miles North of Shepherdsville, KY off Hwy 61 on Hwy 1020. Go ½ mile, church is on the left.

Coral Ridge

Rev. Robert Gosser (Rev. Clyde Lindsey - Pastor Emeritus)

South of Louisville, KY at 11006 National Turnpike in the Coral Ridge community.

Faith

Rev. Nolan Howell

Church Phone: (502) 231-4959

Take Gene Snyder Freeway to Beulah Church Rd Exit. Go South on Beulah Church Rd (864). Go ½ mile to church (7808 Cooper Chapel Rd).

Friendship

Rev. Melvin Underwood

Church Phone: (502) 447-9821

5000 Wellsworth Ave at Helen Ave. The church is located approximately ½ mile west of Dixie Hwy (31-W) between Rockford Ln and Upper Hunters Trace in the Shively Community of Louisville, KY.

Glasgow

Rev. Phillip Burton

Church is located 4 miles North of Glasgow, KY on Tick Ridge Road. Coming South on Hwy 31-E, continue past Hwy 70 and turn left on Tick Ridge Rd.

Little Barren

Rev. Eudell Stilts

From Greensburg, KY, follow Hwy 68 West approx. 14 miles. Turn right on Hwy 729. Go 1 ½ miles to church.

Louisville

Rev. Gary McGaha

Church Phone: (502) 368-5174

5517 National Turnpike, Louisville, KY 40214. Go North about 3 miles on National Turnpike off Gene Snyder Freeway. Church is located beside Bank of Louisville at the corner of Southside Dr and National Turnpike.

Mt. Salem

None

From Hodgenville, KY, follow Hwy 61 South through Buffalo and Mt. Sherman. Continue 1 mile and turn right on Burd Rd and go ½ mile to Sand Ridge Rd. Go 2 miles and turn right at Die-Shiboley Church Rd. Church is ½ mile on right.

Mt. Zion

Rev. Gerald Gardner

From Hodgenville, KY, follow Hwy 31-E South approx. 9 miles to Magnolia. Take Hwy 1079 South for 3 miles to church.

Munfordville

Rev. Verlin Perry

Church Phone: (270) 524-1572

From Munfordville, KY, follow Hwy 88 West approx. 2 miles. Cross I-65. Church is on the right.

Church and Pastor

Church Location

Oak Grove

Rev. Keith Sullivan

From Summersville, KY, follow Hwy 61 South. Turn onto Hwy 88 and go approx. 3 miles, cross the river and turn left onto Hwy 1464. Go 3 ½ miles. Church is on the right.

Okolona

Rev. Troy Grider

Church Phone: (502) 962-9016

4505 Mud Ln, Louisville, KY. Take Gene Snyder Freeway to Preston Hwy South. Go approx. 1 mile to Mud Ln, turn right and follow road approx. 1 mile and church is on the right.

Otter Creek

Rev. Jimmy Mason

From Hodgenville, KY, take Hwy 210 East approx. 11 miles. Turn left on Otter Creek Rd. Church is approx. 1 mile.

Pleasant Ridge

Rev. Brandon Goodin

From Hodgenville, KY, take Hwy 61 South through Buffalo, then 2 miles to Hwy 1192. Turn left, go past Campground, go approx. 5 miles to church.

Sand Lick

Rev. Kenny Kimbler

From Hodgenville, KY, take Hwy 61 South through Buffalo, Mt. Sherman, and Allendale. Turn left on Hwy 569. Go to Pleasant Valley Church, turn right and go 1 mile to church sign. Turn left and follow signs to church.

True Gospel

Rev. James Huff

From Campbellsville, KY, take Hwy 210 to Hwy 3183. Turn right, go 3 blocks to Candace St. Turn right, go ½ block to Crescent Hill Dr. Turn left. Church is on the right at 109 Crescent Hill Dr.

Union

Rev. John Perkins

From Hodgenville, KY, take Hwy 210 East approx. 11 miles. Turn right on Hwy 1174. Go 2 miles to end of black-top. Church is on the right over the bridge.

Zion

Rev. Ronda Arnett

From Hodgenville, KY, take Hwy 210 East approx. 15 miles. Turn left onto 462 and make another left approx. ½ mile (462). Go approx. 2

miles. Church is on top of hill.

CLERK DIRECTORY

Church	Clerk/Address/Email	Phone
Calvary Hill	Sis. Melissa Kennedy 5112 Hwy 44E, Shepherdsville, KY 40165	(502) 921-2816
Coral Ridge	Bro. Stanley Brown 6607 Evangeline Ave, Louisville, KY 40214	(502) 361-1830
Faith	Sis. Sondra Meyer PO Box 91764, Louisville, KY 40291	(502) 231-9141
Friendship	Sis. Regina Goff 5208 Rollingwood Tr, Louisville, KY 40214	(502) 364-0437
Glasgow	Sis. Betty Tarter 231 Anders Dr, Bowling Green, KY 42101	(270) 843-3476
Little Barren	Sis. Ruth Ann Young Box 253, Greensburg, KY 42743	(270) 565-2035
Louisville	Bro. Gordon Shofner 2406 Blevins Gap Road, Louisville, KY 40272	(502) 933-2682
Mt. Salem	Bro. Russell Parrish 901 Mt Sherman, HCL Rd, Magnolia, KY 42757	(270) 299-2300
Mt. Zion	Sis. Marlene Slayton 2082 Aetna Furnace Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757	(270) 324-3797
Munfordville	Sis. Elizabeth Dorsey 3121 Wilkie Rd, Louisville, KY 40216	(270) 448-6646
Oak Grove	Bro. Winfred Simpson 300 Winfred Simpson Rd, Greensburg, KY 42743	(270) 932-5678
Okolona	Sis. Carami Brown 115 Robin Rd, Louisville, KY 40229	(502) 955-6378
Otter Creek	Sis. Kathy Skaggs 3124 Maple Road, Campbellsville, KY 42718 KathySkaggsEsq@aol.com	(270) 469-4000 Cell: (615) 830-8800
Pleasant Ridge	Sis. Shirley Noe 120 Upton Rd, Magnolia, KY 42757	(270) 324-4830
Sand Lick	Sis. Sharon Pepper 120 T Pepper Rd, Greensburg, KY 42743	(270) 932-3351
True Gospel	Sis. Anna Huff 109 Crescent Hill Drive, Campbellsville, KY 42718	(270) 789-3785
Union	Sis. Doriene Clark 140 Union Church Rd, Buffalo, KY 42716	(270) 465-5733
Zion	Sis. Cozetta Sprowles 542 Levelwood Rd, Campbellsville, KY 42718	(270) 465-7976

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Minister/Helpmate	Address	Phone
Arnett, Ronda/Gail Arnett, Troy Davidson, John L./Elaine Gardner, Gerald/Margie Goff, James/Ann Goodin, Brandon Gosser, Robert/Jean Hale, James/Barbara Houk, Charlie/Regina	5101 Hwy 1464, Greensburg, KY 42743 4279 Hwy 1464, Greensburg, KY 42743 208 Gentry Mill Rd, Russell Springs, KY 42642 403 W High St, Hodgenville, KY 42748 1020 Gagel, Louisville, KY 40216 5950 New Lebanon Rd, Campbellsville, KY 42718 367 Glenview Rd, Louisville, KY 40229 382 Ridge View Dr, Shepherdsville, KY 40165 309 Mt Lebanon Church Rd	(270) 932-7260 (270) 932-4976 (270) 866-3577 (270) 358-3222 (502) 368-4101 (270) 789-9880 (502) 955-6415 (502) 921-4019 (270) 932-9226
Howell, Nolan/Grace Huff, James/Nell Lindsey, Clyde/Doris McGaha, Gary/Marcy Perkins, John/Hazel Perry, Verlin/Wanda Stilts, Eudell/Becky Sullivan, Keith/Ella Mae Underwood, Melvin/ Dianna	Greensburg, KY 42743 1113 N Jackson Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757 105 Crescent Hill Rd, Campbellsville, KY 42718 307 Chieftain Dr, Fairdale, KY 40118 5519 National Turnpike, Louisville, KY 40214 4618 Parker Grove Rd, Magnolia, KY 42757 4913 Margo Ave, Louisville, KY 40258 381 Sullivan Rd, Greensburg, KY 42743 7109 Peppermill Ln, Louisville, KY 40228 310 Crestwood Ln, Louisville, KY 40229	(270) 324-3278 (270) 789-3785 (502) 367-8393 (502) 368-5174 (270) 324-3407 (502) 937-4720 (270) 932-3944 (502) 231-9985 (502) 957-5834
Wallace, Thomas	1806 Shiloh Rd, Campbellsville, KY 42718	(270) 789-6886

MINISTERS FROM OTHER ASSOCIATIONS

Minister/Helpmate	Address	Phone
Burton, Phillip/Guetta	50 Kena Rd, Glasgow, KY 42141	(270) 678-5958
Grider, Troy/Marcia	220 Davis Ln, Columbia, KY 42728	(270) 384-9386
Kimbler, Kenny/Katha	400 Beach Ridge Road, Jamestown, KY 42629	(270) 343-4969
Mason, Jimmy/Louise	Route 3, Box 460, Albany, KY 42602	(606) 387-8996

HONORABLY INACTIVE

Minister/Helpmate	Address	Phone
Davenport, Verlon	Box 369, Liberty, KY 42539	(606) 787-5039

ORDAINED DEACONS

Deacon/Helpmate	Address	Phone
CALVARY HILL McDonald, Robert	1605 Deering Rd, Louisville, KY 40272	(502) 933-1178
CORAL RIDGE Jordan, Charles/Charlotte	5529 Garrow Ave, Louisville, KY 40219 cejordan@insightbb.com	(502) 964-8448
FAITH Heiskell, Robert/Barbara Meyer, Paul/Sondra	128 Venetian Way, Bardstown, KY 40004 PO Box 91764, Louisville, KY 40291	(502) 349-2013 (502) 231-9141
FRIENDSHIP Gleitz, Steve/Gail Goff, Rick/Regina Martin, Herbert Stidham, Arnold/Mary White, James/Wilma	1813 Wolf Dr, LaGrange, KY 40031 5208 Rollingwood Tr, Louisville, KY 40214 1908 Moody Ln, LaGrange, KY 40031 122 Seneca Tr, Louisville, KY 40214 4028 Henderson Ave, Louisville, KY 40213	(502) 225-9319 (502) 364-0437 (502) 222-5137 (502) 363-4694 (502) 368-0885
LITTLE BARREN Jones, Robbie/Carolyn Thompson, Grady/Ann Young, Frankie/Barbara Young, Meryl/Ruth Ann	3168 Little Barren Rd, Greensburg, KY 42743 356 G Thompson Ln, Greensburg, KY 42743 1850 Little Barren Rd, Greensburg, KY 42743 PO Box 253, Greensburg, KY 42743	(270) 565-4792 (270) 932-7898 (270) 565-2032 (270) 565-2035
LOUISVILLE Davidson, Randy/ Veronica Dunbar, Quinton/Frances Payne, Barney/Marilyn Shofner, Paul/Barbara	7700 Chet Ln, Louisville, KY 40214 7701 Burr Ln, Louisville, KY 40214 172 Kamp Dr, Mt Washington, KY 40047 4113 Hunsinger Ln, Louisville, KY 40220	(502) 366-0009 (502) 363-0805 (502) 538-2783 (502) 491-1872
MT SALEM Benningfield, Wendell/ Freida Middleton, Billy/Ruth Parrish, Russell/Mary	2819 Mt Sherman Rd, Magnolia, KY 42757 5348 Greensburg Rd, Buffalo, KY 42716 901 Mt Sherman HCL Rd, Magnolia, KY 42757	(270) 324-3340 (270) 325-3507 (270) 299-2300
MT ZION Murray, Paul/Debbie Peace, Alberton/Geneva Thompson, Jesse/Pauline Vance, Noah/Pat Wolford, Marvin/Shelby	1798 Aetna Furnace Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757 140 Lavenia Ln, Magnolia, KY 42757 6874 Aetna Furnace Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757 1765 Aetna Furnace Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757 3849 Aetna Furnace Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757	(270) 528-2351 (270) 324-3273 (270) 324-3251 (270) 324-3639 (270) 324-3854
MUNFORDVILLE Dorsey, M E/Elizabeth Warren, Clarence Jr/ Imogene	3121 Wilkie Rd, Louisville, KY 40216 84 Slayton Mill Rd, Magnolia, KY 42757	(502) 448-6646 (270) 324-3725
OAK GROVE Arnett, Bobby/Suvada Simpson, Winfred/Glenda	4279 Hwy 1464, Greensburg, KY 42743 300 Winfred Simpson Rd Greensburg, KY 42743	(270) 932-4976 (270) 932-5678

Deacon /Helpmate	Address	Phone
OKOLONA Brown, Keith/Debbie	115 Robin Rd, Louisville, KY 40229	(502) 955-6378
OTTER CREEK Bell, Carl/Geneva	119 Sunset Ave, Hodgenville, KY 42748	(270) 358-4441
PLEASANT RIDGE Perkins, Doyt/Phyllis Skaggs, James/Opal Warren, James/Edith	3265 Greensburg Rd, Buffalo, KY 42716 62 Stroley Alley, Mt Sherman, KY 42764 1001 Bennett Rd, Buffalo, KY 42716	(270) 325-3568 (270) 325-3358 (270) 325-3267
SAND LICK Beams, Garnett/Betty	4590 Marshel Ridge Rd	(270) 932-7119
Pepper, Elroy	Greensburg, KY 42743 1877 Hodgenville Rd	(270) 465-3484
Pepper, Ivan	Campbellsville, KY 42718 988 R Pepper, Greensburg, KY 42743	(270) 932-4521
TRUE GOSPEL Wilson, Charles	413 Pitman Ave, PO Box 333 Campbellsville, KY 42718	(270) 465-5899
UNION Stillwell, Micky/Leona	22 Skaggs Rd, Buffalo, KY 42716	(270) 325-3593
ZION Grimes, Billie/Myrtle Hedgespeth, Harden/ Evelyn Sprowles, Arnold/Linda Sprowles, Buddy/Irene	207 Sheridan Dr, Campbellsville, KY 42718 130 Friendship Pike, Campbellsville, KY 42718 75 Steeple Chase Dr Campbellsville, KY 42718 4013 New Jackson Hwy	(270) 465-5770 (270) 465-4297 (270) 789-1921 (270) 358-9929
Sprowles, Olyn/Cozetta	Hodgenville, KY 42748 543 Levelwood Rd, Campbellsville, KY 42718	(270) 465-7976

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION TREASURER REPORTS

(Annual Financial Statements)

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION TREASURER REPORT 9/21/2002 through 9/19/2003

Beginning Balance – September 20, 2002\$	2,258.47
Income	
Church Contributions\$	4,239.24
Minute Money\$	2,215.00
Association Revival Offerings\$	757.00
2002 Association Offerings\$	1,500.48
Private Contributions\$	308.75
SBMI Offering (plus \$80.00 pass through)\$	179.00
Interest Paid by Bank\$	92.80
Telephone Patronage\$	28.23
Total Income\$	9,320.50
Expenses	
Insurance\$	1,416.76
Minute Books\$	•
Lawn Care\$	1,045.00
Housekeeping\$	450.00
Association Revival\$	400.00
Clerk\$	450.00
Assistant Clerk\$	250.00
Electric\$	463.84
Telephone\$	405.51
General Association (Minute Money)\$	375.00
Water\$	494.49
Propane Gas & Tank Rental\$	215.96
SBMI (plus \$80.00 pass through)\$	179.00
Buffalo Fire & Rescue Dues\$	35.00
Bank Service Charges\$	2.40
Treasurer (C. Jordan, Sr. declined to accept) \$	0.00
Incorporation Fees\$ Total Expenses\$	69.00
Total Expenses\$	$7,27\overline{4.96}$
Ending Balance – September 19, 2003 \$	A 204 01
Limity Datatice - September 13, 2003	7,304.UI

Charles E. Jordan, Sr., Treasurer

NOLYNN YOUTH CAMP REPORT 9/21/2002 Through 9/19/2003

eginning Bank Balance – September 21, 2002\$	2,960.21
Receipts\$	6,955.98
Total Available\$	9,916.19
Expenses\$	7,113.05
nding Bank Balance – September 19, 2003\$	2,803.14
etail Of Expenses	
Food\$	2,105.54
T-Shirts & Related Supplies\$	932.96
Craft Supplies\$	625.13
Camp Evangelist\$	500.00
VBS Literature\$	458.95
Kitchen Supplies\$	449.36
Maintenance\$	293.03
Pizzas/Cheese Sticks\$	243.45
VBS Supplies\$	239.79
Coke Wagon Rental\$	201.60
Bank Charges\$	158.65
Camp Insurance\$	150.00
Mowing\$	150.00
Garbage Pickup\$	115.81
Tent for Playground\$	75.00
Guest Speaker\$	75.00
Horseback Riding\$	75.00
Duplicate Registration Payment\$	60.00
Bandannas & Related Supplies\$	52.16
Trophies\$	44.00
Bibles (2)\$	39.15
Miscellaneous Cash Expenses\$	68.47
Total Expenses\$	7,113.05

Charles E. Jordan, Sr., Treasurer

DORM FUND TREASURY REPORT 9/21/2002 Through 9/19/2003

Beginning Bank Balance – September 20, 2002	9,534.55
Income Church Contributions	700.00
Expenses David McKinney (Drain/Concrete) \$ Ervin G. Houchens Foundation, Inc \$ Gary McGaha (Electrical work/supplies) \$ Total Expenses \$	16,000.00 123.00
Ending Balance – September 19, 2003\$	7,485.35
Charles E. Jordan, S NOLYNN HOME MISSION FUND FINANCIAL REPORT	Sr., Treasurer
Beginning Balance – September 21, 2002	\$ 5,292.53
Receipts Donations Total Income	\$ 1,471.78 \$ 1,471.78
Presbytery Board (5 meetings x 3 members @ \$25.00)	\$ 1,200.00
Ending Balance – September 20, 2003	\$ 5,189.31
Rev. Eudell Stil	ts, Treasurer

PAVING FUND REPORT 9/21/2002 Through 9/19/2003

AUDIT COMMITTEE

We, the Audit Committee, have found all Treasurers' Reports to be accurate.

Mt. Zion, True Gospel, and Glasgow

VARIOUS COMMITTEE REPORTS – 2003 SESSION

OBITUARY REPORT

Calvary Hill: None
Coral Ridge: None
Faith: None
Friendship: None
Glasgow: None

Little Barren: (2) Sis. Maybell Jones, Sis. Claris Warf

Louisville: None Mt. Salem: None

Mt. Zion: (3) Bro. Orland Druen, Sis. Martha Milby Wells, Bro. Herman

Pottinger

Munfordville: None Oak Grove: None Okolona: None

Otter Creek: (2) Sis. Lilly Underwood, Sis. Golda Despain

Pleasant Ridge: (4) Bro. Leon Thompson, Sis. Verdie French, Bro. Paul Perkins,

Bro. Hershel "Pete" Taylor

Sand Lick: None True Gospel: None

Union: (1) Bro. Herman Skaggs

Zion: None **Total:** 12

Okolona, Munfordville, and Union

ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE

Total	253
Sister Association Visitors	11
Lay Members	
Delegates	123
Deacons	48
Ministers	32
We, the Enrollment Committee, wish to report the following fo	or both days:

Carolyn Milby, Shelby Wolford, Barbara Hale

CONDITION COMMITTEE

We, the Condition Committee, feel our Association as a whole needs to grow more spiritual. We encourage our existing members to take a more active part in their churches and our association. We want to encourage our youth and adults to participate in <u>ALL</u> the functions of the association. We need to pray that God would send us more preachers, deacons, and lay people that would be willing to work in the association. Because the world has changed, we as Christian people should be more willing to do <u>whatever</u> necessary to get lost souls into our churches to hear the Word of God preached and (hopefully) get them saved. We should be more prayerful for each other. We feel this would improve the condition of our association.

Friendship and Little Barren

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

As members of the Resolution Committee, we resolve to daily express our Christian love and concern for those with whom we may come in contact with, and to set the example by which those watching our lives might be drawn to our Lord and Savior. We resolve to not only take an active part in our individual churches and Association, but to encourage others of all ages to get involved. We encourage the study of the entire Bible so that we may know and be prepared to obey the Will of our Lord.

We resolve that the Association Clerk print the Association Minutes and programs for next year with the quantities to be left to his discretion and that the clerk be paid \$450.00 and assistant clerk \$250.00 for their services. We also resolve that the treasurer be paid \$250.00. We also resolve that this Association meet the General Association annually with letter and delegates and that we send \$375.00 Minute money.

We resolve to encourage the churches of our Association to send donations to our Kitchen Fund to ensure plenty of food for our Association and guests.

Oak Grove and Pleasant Ridge

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

"And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible." (I Cor. 9:25) To be temperate is to use self control through moderation and/or abstinence.

Thus Christians must abstain from:

- 1. Any consumption of alcoholic beverages.
- 2. All sexual relationships outside the sanctity of marriage. Therefore, fornication and adultery are sinful behavior before God.
- 3. Homosexuality, in or outside of marriage, as it is sinful before God.
- 4. Evil communication, filthy language, gossip, speaking evil of one another, or slandering one another. These are sin and can be very destructive as well as bringing condemnation of oneself.
- 5. Any participation in gambling (buying chances, playing the lottery, casinos, etc.) as they are sinful before God.

The Bible also teaches us to respect the sanctity of human life, both of the born and the unborn. Thus, all euthanasia or mercy killing is biblically forbidden. Jesus said, "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in Heaven." (Romans 13:14, I Cor. 15:33, I Cor. 9:25-27, Titus 2:11-12, Matthew 5:16)

Louisville, Otter Creek, and Sand Lick

ASSOCIATION REVIVAL COMMITTEE

The 2003 Revival Committee would like to thank Rev. Brandon Goodin for the spirit-filled messages. The first four messages were what we as an association could do to further our work for the Lord. The last three were messages of encouragement.

This committee would like to encourage Brothers and Sisters of this body to attend these revival services for the support of the association and your own spiritual growth.

The total offering was \$757.00, and the evangelist received \$400.00. Attendance was 411 with an average of 59 each night.

Bro. Noah Vance, Bro. Bobby Warren, and Bro. Arnold Stidham

2003 STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT (PARTIAL)

The Standing Committee met at the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist Campground on August 16, 2003 at 3:30 PM to begin to prepare our report. There were 8 members present at this meeting.

After opening with prayer led by Bro. Gordon Shofner, Bro. Charles Jordan, Sr. was elected as clerk for this meeting.

The following recommendation was made:

1. We recommend that a committee be appointed for the purpose of seeking, and then contacting other churches or Associations that may share some of their history with our Association.

There being no other business, we were dismissed by prayer led by Bro. Bobby Arnett.

Noah Vance, Chairman Charles E. Jordan, Sr., Clerk

2003 STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT (CONCLUSION)

The Standing Committee met at the Nolynn Association Campground on September 20, 2003 at 10:15 AM to finish our report to the 2003 Nolynn Association. There were 11 members present at this meeting.

The following recommendations were made:

- 1. We recommend that the Saturday evening service (of the Nolynn Association Revival) be canceled.
- 2. We recommend that a memorial page be inserted in the minute book in tribute to Bro. Herman Skaggs with the caption, "What Will I Leave Behind?". Also to be included that he led the singing for more revivals than anybody else in this area and sang at more funerals.
- 3. We recommend that a special offering be taken at the session for the purpose of the support of Walker Smith, son of Rebecca and Rodney Smith.

Noah Vance, Chairman Charles E. Jordan, Sr., Clerk

HOME MISSION FUND COMMITTEE

The Home Mission Fund has been supporting the Presbytery Board, as they travel taking care of business for the Nolynn Association. Also, the Home Mission Fund has been supporting Rev. Jimmy Mason the past twelve months for his mission work at Otter Creek church.

Also, we, the committee, would like to thank Glasgow, Oak Grove, Mt. Zion, and Zion for their support. We would like to encourage the rest of the churches to pray about helping in supporting the Home Mission Fund as well.

Rev. Eudell Stilts, Chairman Bro. Arnold Stidham

NOLYNN YOUTH CAMP BOARD REPORT - 2003

The youth board would like to report that we enjoyed a wonderful youth camp this year. Next year's camp will be June 20-25, 2004. Mark your calendars now for next year.

We want to thank Rev. Jerry Ridge for his spiritual preaching and all his help during the camp. We praise God for the conviction spirit present in our revival services and for the lives that were changed!

We would like to express our thanks to all the youth (from the youngest to the oldest) that took time to attend camp. You are the reason so many adults give their time to camp. We look forward to seeing you next year!

Our gratitude is extended to the churches and individuals that financially supported the camp. Your love for the work helps the camp to continue!

We are thankful for the air-conditioned building in which we had classes, ate our meals, and held special programs. This is a most appreciated addition for all of us at camp!

We would like to report to the association that there was good compliance with the new dress code with fewer problems than usual.

This board requests your prayers that we would conduct the type of youth camp that will bring honor to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, and will faithfully hold up the standards of this association.

Sis. Cozetta Sprowles, Rev. James Hale, Rev. Eudell Stilts Bro. Charles Jordan Sr., Rev. Melvin Underwood,

MINISTERS AND DEACONS MEETING REPORT

The annual Ministers' and Deacons' meeting was held August 16, 2003 at 7:30 PM. A total of 10 ministers, 14 deacons, and 9 wives and family members were present for a total of 33. The service was opened with singing, led by Bro. Herbert Martin. The pianist was Bro. Keith Brown. Our moderator, Rev. Jim Goff, read Psalms 100. Prayer followed, led by Rev. Gary McGaha. The floor was opened for business. Bro. Charles Jordan gave a partial report of the Standing Committee.

- 1. A motion was made by Rev. Gary McGaha, seconded by Bro. Charles Jordan, to present to the Association a recommendation, to set a committee of three ministers and four deacons to thoroughly study and search out a common thought and simple wording of Article 15; not to change the way we believe, but to correct the wording of the article to where there is no confusion. Motion was defeated.
- 2. A motion was made by Rev. Gary McGaha, seconded by Bro. Charles Jordan, to change Article 8 of the Constitution to read as follows:

The Presbytery Board will be as an advisory board to the Associational body and the churches of this Association. The Presbytery Board will not dictate the direction or the function of the Associational body or any church of this Association.

When the Presbytery Board has been invited to a church of this Association, the Presbytery Board may act (ecclesiastically) to investigate any and all manners coming up in or between churches, or the members of any church, or churches that may affect the doctrine of the Separate Baptist movement and deal with any and all problems, or disputes of any nature, biblically, and present their advise addressing the situation. If the matters cannot be resolved, these matters will be noted and presented to the Association's ordained ministers and deacons at their annual meeting and forwarded to the annual Association with recommendations from both the Presbytery Board and the ordained ministers and deacons, to be voted on by the Associational body with personal written ballots.

The Presbytery Board will meet with all licentiate ministers and set aside deacons twice during the Associational year. The dates to be determined by the Presbytery Board and notices sent out by the Association's clerk to all licentiate ministers and set aside deacons. Every licentiate minister must attend two and every set aside deacons must attend one of these meetings. During these sessions, the Presbytery Board will make presentations on the duties of a minister and deacon using the Bible as a guide (refer to Article 1 of the Articles of Faith). The presentations and the dates of these sessions will be presented to the Ordained Minister's and Deacon's annual meeting and forward with any needed and approved changes to the Associational body for approval for every year.

Motion was defeated. Rev. Melvin Underwood made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Rev. Gary McGaha.

Rev. Jim Goff, Moderator Rev. Melvin R. Underwood, Assistant Clerk

PRESBYTERY BOARD REPORT 2002 – 2003

We, the Board, met with the Sand Lick Church on December 8, 2002 for the purpose of investigating Bro. Kenny Kimbler of the South Kentucky Association to be the pastor at Sand Lick Church. The Board was in favor of Bro. Kimbler to pastor the church.

We met with the Otter Creek Church for a business meeting on January 12, 2003.

The Board met with the Friendship Church to set the ordination date for Bro. Steve Gleitz as a deacon and his wife Gail as a helpmate on April 13, 2003. The Board voted to ordain them on May 10, 2003.

We received a letter from Bro. Michael Perkins stating that he and his wife, Debbie, were leaving our association as a minister and helpmate (effective April 25, 2003 along with their cards).

We met with the Friendship Church on May 10, 2003 and ordained Bro. Steve Gleitz as a deacon and his wife Gail as a helpmate.

We the Board met with the Otter Creek Church for a business meeting on July 20, 2003.

We, the Board, met with the Otter Creek Church on August 17, 2003 for a business meeting. We also investigated Bro. Jimmy Mason of the South Kentucky Association as the pastor of the church. We voted for him to pastor the church.

We, the Board, met with the Okolona Church August 31, 2003 to investigate Bro. Troy Grider of the South Kentucky Association to pastor their church. We voted in favor of Bro. Troy Grider to pastor the church.

Rev. Keith Sullivan, Chairman Rev. Melvin R. Underwood, Rev. Ronda Arnett

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION REPORT SOUTHERN SECTION – 2003

On June 1, 2003, the Southern Section Sunday School Convention was held at the Nolynn Association Campground for the following churches: Little Barren, Munfordville, Union, True Gospel, Mt. Salem, Otter Creek, Sand Lick, Glasgow, and Oak Grove.

The convention was opened with all the young children singing "This Little Light Of Mine" and "B-I-B-L-E". Our D.S.S.S., Bro. Troy Arnett, welcomed everyone and read scripture from Isaiah 52:7-12. We then had an altar of prayer. The congregation then sang "He Set Me Free" while the morning offering was received. Bro. Rod Walters gave the blessing on the morning offering.

The following churches presented their programs: Munfordville, Union, Mt. Salem, and Otter Creek. The congregation then sang "I'm Going That Way" and "I'm In A New World". The blessing was given on the noon meal, and Bro. Troy dismissed us for lunch until 1:00 PM.

The afternoon session was opened with a song "The Glory-Land Way". We then had an altar of prayer. The congregation sang "The Old Time Religion" while the noon offering was received. Bro. Dave Smith gave the blessing on the noon offering.

The floor was then opened for business. Bro. Troy opened the floor for D.S.S.S. Bro. Troy Arnett was nominated and elected for the following year. The floor was then opened for Assistant D.S.S.S. Bro. Charlie Houk was nominated and elected. The floor was opened for Secretary/Treasurer. Sis. Regina Houk was nominated and elected. Sis. Loretta Arnett was nominated and elected for Assistant Secretary/Treasurer.

A motion was made and accepted to continue with bookmarks for the following year.

Munfordville volunteered to work in the kitchen for the Southern Section Sunday School Convention next year.

The treasurer's report was then read for the 2003 convention. A motion was made and accepted to receive as read.

A motion was made and accepted to give the Kitchen Fund \$100.00. Our afternoon program was Oak Grove.

Plaques were presented as follows:

First place	Munfordville (104.5%)
Second place	Mt. Salem (98.72%)
Third place	Oak Grove (91.0%)

The banner went to Munfordville with 119.4%.

The 2004 convention will be as follows: Munfordville, Union, True Gospel, Mt. Salem, Otter Creek, Sand Lick, Glasgow, Oak Grove, and Little Barren.

Bro. Troy Arnett, D.S.S.S. Sis. Regina Houk, Secretary/Treasurer

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION TREASURY REPORT SOUTHERN SECTION – 2003

Balance Brought Forward 2002\$	527.13
Receipts	
Morning Offering\$	200.00
Afternoon Offering\$	98.76
Total Receipts\$	298.76
Expenses	
Paid for Bookmarks\$	120.00
Paid for 2003 Plaques\$	70.00
Kitchen Supplies\$	122.29
Donated to Kitchen Fund\$	100.00
Total Expenses\$	412.29
Balance for 2003 Convention\$	413.60

Sis. Regina Houk, Secretary/Treasurer

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION REPORT NORTHERN SECTION – 2003

The Northern Section Sunday School Convention was held on June 8, 2003 at the Nolynn Association Campground for the following churches: Coral Ridge, Louisville, Mt. Zion, Pleasant Ridge, Okolona, Friendship, Zion, and Calvary Hill. Faith was not present.

The convention was opened by singing "When God Dips His Love In My Heart". Our D.S.S.S., Bro. Randy Kennedy, welcomed everyone and read Ecclesiastes 9:7-10. We had an altar of prayer led by Bro. Noah Vance. The congregation sang "I'll Live In Glory" while the morning offering was received. Rev. Gary McGaha gave thanks over the offering.

The following churches presented their programs: Coral Ridge, Louisville, Mt. Zion, Pleasant Ridge, and Okolona.

Rev. Melvin Underwood blessed the noon meal, and Bro. Randy dismissed the service until 1:30 PM.

The afternoon session was opened by singing "I Never Shall Forget The Day". We then had an altar of prayer led by Rev. Ronda Arnett. The afternoon offering was taken while the congregation sang "I'd Rather Be An Old-Time Christian". Rev. Troy Arnett gave thanks over the offering.

Bro. Randy opened the floor for business. Rev. Troy Arnett was nominated and elected for D.S.S.S for 2004. There was a motion and second that Sis. Shannon Kennedy serve as his secretary/treasurer.

The treasurer's report was read. A motion and second was made to accept it as read, and the motion carried.

A motion was made and accepted to retain \$100.00 in the treasury and give the remaining amount to the Kitchen Fund. The kitchen workers were recognized with a standing ovation.

A motion was made and accepted to close business.

The afternoon programs were as follows: Friendship, Zion, and Calvary Hill.

The plaques were then presented:

First place......Friendship
Second place.....Okolona
Third place.....Zion

The banner of attendance went to Pleasant Ridge with 167.45%.

The 2004 Convention will be as follows: Calvary Hill, Coral Ridge, Louisville, Faith, Mt. Zion, Pleasant Ridge, Okolona, Friendship, and Zion.

Bro. Randy Kennedy, D.S.S.S. Sis. Shannon Kennedy, Secretary/Treasurer

NOLYNN ASSOCIATION DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION TREASURY REPORT NORTHERN SECTION – 2003

Balance Brought Forward 2002\$	100.00
Receipts	
Morning Offering\$	445.50
Afternoon Offering\$	152.00
Total Receipts\$	597.50
Expenses	
Paid for postage\$	2.96
Paid for plaques\$	31.85
Donated to Kitchen Fund\$	562.69
Total Expenses\$	597.50
Balance for 2003 Convention	100.00

Sis. Shannon Kennedy, Secretary/Treasurer

SBMI REPORT

The SBMI met at the Mt. Hope Separate Baptist Church February 22, 2003. Bro. Randy Kennedy of the Nolynn Association showed us his proposal for the new General Association web site. His presentation was very impressive. You can look at the new web site at http://www.freshdev.com/sb/ (Clerk note: This web site is now the official web site at http://www.separatebaptist.org). The old web site will be done away with when Bro. Randy has completed setting up the new web site.

We then turned the floor over to Bro. Jerry Ridge. He told us that the Lord was leading him into the foreign mission work in Ivory Coast. His work in the foreign field will be on short term basis. He is also studying the French language and is doing quite well in reading and speaking the language. He and Bro. Lonnie Palmer went to the Ivory Coast in July for 3 weeks. This enabled Bro. Jerry to learn more about the mission work. The board voted to give Bro. Lonnie Palmer \$2,000 for expenses to go with Bro. Jerry and teach him about working in the country as a missionary.

Bro. Steve Palmer was at the meeting also. As of now, I know of no plans for him to return to the Ivory Coast. But I understand Bro. Steve has had some surgery since returning to the States. At some future date, he may have some plans to return.

We discussed how to eliminate our communication problems with our missionaries, whomever they may be. We voted and passed that in the future before a missionary would leave to go in the foreign field, the SBMI would meet with them 30 days prior to leaving to discuss what they wanted to accomplish while there. And upon their return, not more than 30 days after, we would meet with them again to discuss what they had accomplished.

The meeting was adjourned.

I want to thank the Mt. Hope Church for the wonderful lunch.

Since our February meeting, Bro. Jerry Ridge and Bro. Lonnie Palmer have gone to the Ivory Coast and returned. They had a good visit. If you would like to know more about the trip, contact Bro. Jerry Ridge at (606) 387-5048 and set up an appointment for him to come to your church. He will be glad to come.

I want to thank the Nolynn Association for the privilege to have been your SBMI representative for the past 6 years. Pray for Bro. Gerald Gardner as he takes over this position for the coming year.

Yours in Christ, Rev. Melvin R. Underwood SBMI Representative, Nolynn Association Separate Baptist Missions, Inc.

Make checks payable to **SBMI** or **Separate Baptist Missions**, **Inc**. Please designate on your check **Home** or **Foreign Missions** and include the name of your church and Association. Send all money to:

Bro. Jimmie McGaha Box 321 Taylorsville, IN 47280 Phone: (812) 526-2906

TRUSTEE REPORT

We, the trustee committee, are pleased to submit this report for the 2003 association year.

We had two work days to perform maintenance duties on the campground as needed.

We also have had sidewalks installed around the building and spread gravel to expand the parking lot.

We have finished up the new addition including connecting the air conditioners. Final occupancy certificate for the building was obtained in June.

All of the flood lights were checked in August and repaired as needed. The driveway was sealed as voted on at the last association.

We have accomplished much this year, but there is still much work to be done. Please pray for us, your trustee committee, that we will always be found doing the Lord's will and His work.

Bro. Albert Peace, Chairman Bro. Marvin Wolford, Bro. Winfred Simpson, Bro. Rick Goff, Rev. James Hale

PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT REPORT

To the Nolynn Association, we the committee, as appointed by the moderator to investigate ways of improving the current program to generate new interest by the attendees, do hereby submit the following information for consideration by the body of the association.

It is our recommendation that the proposed changes be read to the delegates, discussed and then tabled for one year to allow the delegates to consider the proposed changes. This time period would also allow delegates time to submit to this committee, or a new committee as appointed by the moderator, any proposed changes that they would like to see considered. At the end of the year, the committee can submit any further proposed modifications and at that time each change, or the document as a whole, can be discussed and voted on.

Below is the modified version of new, suggested program:

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION - 10:00 A.M. (EDT)

- 1. Service opened by prayer and congregational singing.
- 2. Pledges to the American Flag, Christian Flag, and Bible.
- 3. Devotional service.
- Reading of Rules of Order by the clerk.
- 5. Call the Association body together.
- 6. Call for church letters with Minute money, reading same and seat delegates.
- 7. Call for letters from new churches and recognize missions.
- 8. Recognition of visiting associations and receiving visiting brethren.

 Moderator to announce at this time that a sign up list is available at the enrollment table for anyone who would like to be a delegate for the Nolynn Association to our sister associations.
- 9. Call for corresponding letters.
- 10. Appointment of committees.
- 11. Introductory sermon.
- 12. Report of committee on Divine Service.
- 13. Adjourn until time announced by the moderator to begin next session.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1. Call to order by singing and taking up of the afternoon freewill offering.
- 2. Devotional service.
- Obituary report read.
- 4. Recognize widows of deceased ministers and deacons, and spouses of deceased members of Nolynn Association.
- 5. Memorial prayer.
- 6. Memorial sermon.
- 7. Moderator to direct attendees to fellowship hall for one hour workshop(s).
- 8. Attendees to reunite in main sanctuary for further proceedings.
- 9. Read minutes of morning session.
- 10. Call for treasurer reports.
- 11. Association business section (old and new)
- 12. Call for committee reports.
- 13. Adjourn until evening service at 6:00 P.M.

FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

- 1. Gospel singing at 6:00 to 6:45 P.M.
- 2. Call to prayer by moderator.
- 3. Doctrinal sermon.
- 4. Communion and washing of the Saints' feet.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

- Service opened by prayer and congregational singing while receiving the morning freewill offering.
- 2. Devotional service.
- 3. Read minutes of Friday afternoon session and Friday evening service.
- 4. Roll call Unfinished business.
- 5. New business and miscellaneous business.
- 6. SBMI report.
- 7. Mission sermon.
- 8. Special offering for SBMI.
- 9. Adjourn until time announced by the moderator to begin next session.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1. Call to order by singing.
- 2. Devotional service.
- 3. Read minutes of previous session.
- 4. Unfinished business.
- 5. New business.
- 6. Election of officers on roll call.
- 7. Read minutes of this session.
- 8. Service closed by prayer.

NOTE: The main goal of this committee was to free up a one-hour time period in the Friday afternoon session to allow for a workshop (or even multiple workshops in the future) that will provide the delegates with positive information to take away from the association meeting. It is our hope that this positive attitude can be carried back to our churches by the delegates and conveyed to the members that were not able to attend the meeting. The workshop topic (or topics) as well as who will teach the workshop can be selected by the program committee, or the moderator can appoint a special committee to complete the task.

Rev. Melvin Underwood, Chairman Rev. Nolan Howell, Bro. Rick Goff Bro. Randy Kennedy, Rev. Brandon Goodin

VARIOUS COMMITTEES FOR 2003 - 2004

APPOINTED COMMITTEES FOR 2004

Audit	Louisville, Otter Creek, and Sand Lick
Condition	Mt. Zion, True Gospel, and Glasgow
Divine	Friendship and Little Barren
Obituary	Zion and Calvary Hill
Program	Okolona, Munfordville, and Union
_	Faith, Mt. Salem, and Coral Ridge
Temperance	Oak Grove and Pleasant Ridge

ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

Please check the following list for your church's assigned desserts and work duty.

Please precut desserts!

	Church	Desserts	Helpers
	Friendship	4	3
	Glasgow	4	3
>	Mt. Salem	4	3
<u> </u>	Mt. Zion	6	3
Friday	Munfordville	4	3
'	Okolona	4	3
<u>LL</u>	Pleasant Ridge	4	3
	True Gospel	4	3
	Zion	4	3
	Calvary Hill	5	3
>	Coral Ridge	4	3
<u>\alpha</u>	Faith	4	3
Ō	Little Barren	4	3
=	Louisville	4	3
#	Oak Grove	5	3
Saturday	Otter Creek	4	3
S	Sand Lick	4	3
-	Union	4	3

If you have leftovers on Friday, we may use some of them, but please check first. Please pick up all leftovers on Saturday.

Helpers should report to kitchen at 11:00am to organize duties and eat. The two groups above with switch days each year.

Friday Evening Meal Workers will be chosen out of the group of Friday noon workers to serve and cleanup for supper.

IMPORTANT:

Please note that this chart will be permanent, except for switching days each year. It is for the Association meals only and will be printed in the Minutes each year.

I want to thank all the churches that have been donating money to help with the food. Please include a separate check to **Kitchen Fund Nolynn Association**, in your church letter, marked, **food donation**, if you'd like to contribute.

If anyone has any questions or schedule conflicts, please contact Sis. Dianna Underwood at (502) 957-5834.

ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE

Regina Goff (chairperson), Charlotte Jordan, Freida Benningfield

CONSTITUTION / RULES OF ORDER COMMITTEE

Noah Vance (chairman), Bobby Arnett, James White Robert Gosser, Jim Hale

ASSOCIATION REVIVAL COMMITTEE

Rick Goff (chairman), Olyn Sprowles, Winfred Simpson

(Duties: Select men for devotions, collect offerings, report back to the Association, choose the evangelist in the event that the one chosen by the Association cannot come for any reason, and provide provisions for the visiting evangelist if from a Sister Association.)

STANDING COMMITTEE (2003-2004)

CALVARY HILLCORAL RIDGE	
FAITH	
FRIENDSHIP	
GLASGOW	None
LITTLE BARREN	Bro. Grady Thompson
LOUISVILLE	Bro. Gordon Shofner
MT SALEM	Bro. Russell Parrish
MT ZION	Bro. Noah Vance (Chairman)
MUNFORDVILLE	Bro. Dennie Warren
OAK GROVE	Bro. Bobby Arnett
OKOLONA	Bro. Keith Brown
OTTER CREEK	Bro. Carl Bell
PLEASANT RIDGE	Bro. Bobby Warren
SAND LICK	Bro. Elroy Pepper
TRUE GOSPEL	Bro. Charles Wilson
UNION	Bro. Micky Stillwell
ZION	Bro. Buddy Sprowles

The Standing Committee will aid and assist the Moderator and the Clerk in any need that may come before them during the year.

COMMUNION AND FEETWASHING COMMITTEE

Wendell Benningfield (chairman), Billie Grimes, Elroy Pepper

COMMITTEE TO GOVERN EVENTS AT CAMPGROUND

Campground Trustees

SOUTHERN SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Troy Arnett Charlie Houk, Assistant

NORTHERN SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Troy Arnett

HISTORICAL CLERK

Charles Jordan

RECORDING SECRETARY

Clyde Lindsey (Duty: Compile Minutes 1950-1977)

MEMBER OF SEPARATE BAPTIST MISSIONS, INC.

Gerald Gardner

HOME MISSION FUND COMMITTEE

Eudell Stilts (Treasurer), Arnold Stidham, John Perkins

YOUTH ENCOURAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Cozetta Sprowles, Brandon Goodin, Rick Goff

(Duty: Work with the churches and pastors at their request to help promote, build, and maintain youth programs; thus keeping our young people and allowing greater growth in all of our churches.)

PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

Melvin Underwood (chairman), Nolan Howell, Rick Goff, Randy Kennedy, Brandon Goodin

OUTREACH COMMITTEE

Michael Jordan (chairman), Keith Brown, Randy Kennedy

EVENTS OF ASSOCIATION (2003-2004)

Place and Time (Eastern)	Date
District Sunday School Convention (Southern)	
Campground – 10:00 AM EDT	June 6, 2004
District Sunday School Convention (Northern)	
Campground – 10:00 AM EDT	June 13, 2004
Annual Youth Camp and Bible School	
Campground - Daily	June 20-25, 2004
Evangelist: Rev. David Irwin	
Standing Committee Meeting	
Campground – 3:30 PM EDT	August 21, 2004
Ministers and Deacons Business Meeting	
Campground – 7:30 PM EDT	August 21, 2004
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ASSOCIATION REVIVAL August 22 – 28, 2004 (7:30 PM EDT Nightly)

Date	Devotion
Sunday, August 22, 2004	
Monday, August 23, 2004 Tuesday, August 24, 2004	Rev. Melvin Underwood
Wednesday, August 25, 2004 Thursday, August 26, 2004	
Friday, August 27, 2004 Saturday, August 28, 2004	

The evangelist will be Rev. Gerald Gardner. The Moderator will open and close each service. A choir will be formed by our churches each night.

Rick Goff, Olyn Sprowles, and Winfred SImpson

ADDITIONAL OFFICERS, BOARDS, AND TREASURERS OF NOLYNN ASSOCIATION

Presbytery Board (2003-2004)

Melvin Underwood (chairman)
Association Trustees
Marvin Wolford (chairman)
Youth Activities Board
James Hale

Nolynn Association Campground Fund

Make checks payable to Nolynn Association Campground. Send checks to Charles Jordan, 5529 Garrow Ave, Louisville, KY 40219.

Home Mission Fund

Make checks payable to Nolynn Mission Fund. Send checks to Eudell Stilts, 381 Sullivan Road, Greensburg, KY 42743.

Nolynn Association Trust Fund

Make checks payable to Nolynn Association Trust Fund. Send checks to Noah Vance, 1765 Aetna Furnace Hwy, Magnolia, KY 42757.

Nolynn Youth Camp And Bible School

Make checks payable to Nolynn Youth Camp.
Send checks to Charles Jordan, 5529 Garrow Ave, Louisville, KY 40219.

What Will I Leave Behind



Bro. Herman Skaggs August 1, 1919 – April 5, 2003

Herman C. Skaggs of North L & N Turnpike, Hodgenville, formerly of the Union Church Community, son of the late Plez Carter Skaggs and Nora Alice Thompson Skaggs, was born August 1, 1919, in Taylor County, Kentucky. He died at 11:00AM, Saturday, April 5, 2003, at his home at age 83.

He united in marriage to Etha Mae Scott January 24, 1939. Besides his wife, he is survived by one daughter and son-in-law, Helen and Ralph Morris of Louisville; one grandson and his wife, Gary and Nina Morris of Louisville, and many other relatives and friends.

He was a farmer and blacksmith and shod horses. He professed faith in Christ and was a member of the Union Separate Baptist Church where he served as a deacon for many years. He was active in the music ministry and formerly held many singing schools. Bro. Herman led the singing for more revivals than anybody else in this area and sang at more funerals. It never failed that someone would request him to sing, "What Will I Leave Behind". He always wore a warm, welcoming smile and treated everyone with kindness and respect. He is a saint that will be greatly missed from this association.

Thank You from the Smiths

Thank you all very much for the love offering. It is wonderful that God has people like you serving Him. Please continue to pray for Walker and for us. May God Bless You.

Love, Rodney, Rebecca, & Walker Smith

Letter from Missionaries Steve/Rhonda Palmer

We want to reiterate our thanks to all who faithfully prayed for us and sacrificed so much to see God bless Separate Baptist Missions in the Ivory Coast. Our prayer is that we would see more couples answer the call to go into "the fields white unto harvest" and win the lost the world over.

It was thrilling to watch God bless the students during the 2001 Bible Institute. We were also encouraged by the progress of our music students and excited by the potential impact Rhonda's nursing ministry was generating. We continue to praise the Lord for our young people who are following in our footsteps by evangelizing in neighboring villages.

The first indication that the 2001 term would not last the three years as planned arose when the special donations for the pick-up truck and crate of supplies needed to continue the work were slow coming in. Then we had several unforeseen expenses such as extra shipping costs, increased African banking fees, African Christian medical emergencies, and equipment failures that overextended our budget. We consulted with SBMI's Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary, and Indiana representative about the overall situation. After meeting in South Kentucky, SBMI stated that although donations were down, there were funds to keep us on the field a few more months and left the decision up to us. After much prayer, we made the difficult decision to come home.

The wisdom of obedience to God has been born out in the events that followed our return home earlier than planned. Just before we left, there were reports of the murder of French and Lebanese citizens to the west of Abidjan. After our departure, the Islamic rebels fought in Abidjan then took control of the northern half of the country. The Americans at Bouake were rescued in the midst of the shooting by French troops then air lifted out by American soldiers. Then France evacuated their citizens. The Koulango Christians have since told us about three different battles that took place within 10 miles of our house. While we were praying for the safety of our Koulango Christians during the war, they were expressing thanks to God for getting us home before the war broke out.

The most recent news from the Koulango Christians (August 2003) demonstrates God's faithfulness to protect and bless His people. None of the Christians were killed during the war and there have been several unsaved profess Christ during our absence. One young evangelist is even moving from Laoudi-Ba to the new work at Borosanghui to establish the Christians there.

May God ever be praised! Our phone number is the same as it was before we left, but we do have a new address. Please feel free to call on us if we can be of service.

Steve and Rhonda Palmer Phone (812) 371-3442 PO Box 362 Taylorsville, IN 47280

MINISTER REPORTS

Rev. Ronda Arnett

During the past year, we have had the pastoral care of the Zion Church. We have served on the Presbytery Board. The Lord has blessed our family. We have had a good year in the Lord. Pray for us that the incoming year will be better.

Rev. Troy Arnett

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ: Since our last Association, I have had a very good year in the Lord. I have had the opportunity to preach in several of our churches this past year. I have served as DSSS for the Southern Section this past year. I have been elected as DSSS for the Northern and Southern Sections this upcoming year. Remember me in your prayers that I might always be found doing the Lord's will. Your Brother in Christ.

Rev. John L. Davidson

This has been a wonderful year in the Lord. God has blessed us so much. We give Him all praise. In His service.

Rev. Gerald Gardner

Greetings to Nolynn Association. I have pastured Mt. Zion Church for the past year and have been called back for the coming year. It's been a blessing working with people of Mt. Zion. Please pray for us and the church that God's Will will be done. Yours in Christ.

Rev. Jim Goff

We are glad to meet and to greet you at another Association. We have had a good year in the Lord working with the people at Free Union Church. We have seen several people saved this past year; there were several of them young people. There are still so many that live there in the neighborhood that are still lost. We sure hope and pray that we can see them saved before it is too late. We hope and pray that God is blessing each one of you in your churches. We appreciate your prayers, and we won't forget you. We love you all, and we pray that God will bless you really good. Your Brother in Christ.

Rev. Brandon Goodin

Brothers and Sisters, I have had the pastoral care of the Pleasant Ridge Church this past year and plan on doing the same in this coming year. I have been involved with several revivals including our Associational of which I am very thankful for. My wife gave birth to our fourth child on September 10, a boy, Mason Lane. The people of this Association have been very kind and supportive to my family this past year. For that, I am thankful.

Rev. Robert Gosser

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, we are happy to greet you at another association. We praise the Lord for another wonderful year. We've preached 46 sermons, baptized 1, helped in 2 funerals, and God blessed to let us attend all our sister associations this year. Praise Him for all His many blessings. May God bless you. Your Brother in Christ.

Rev. James Hale

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ. Greetings to the Nolynn one hundred and eighty-fourth Association. I have had the pastoral care of Calvary Hill Church for nineteen years. Have had lots of blessings being pastor of Calvary Hill. With God's help and members', they built a new church. We pray that the church will continue to grow. Have not accepted a church for the following year. God has richly blessed another year. I have preached one revival this year. I am a member of the Youth Board and Trustee Board.

Rev. Charlie Houk

Greetings to the 2003 Nolynn Association. We feel blessed to once again be able to be with you. During the past year, we have had the pastoral care of the Oak Grove Church where we have been blessed. Please pray for my family and me as we go through this next year to do the work of the Lord. May God bless.

Rev. Nolan Howell

Greetings to the Nolynn Association, I have had the pastoral care of the Faith Church for the past year and have been called back for the incoming year. Remember us in your prayers. Your Brother in Christ.

Rev. Clyde Lindsey

I have had the pastoral care of Coral Ridge Church the past year. Due to health reasons, I was not able to fill that office. I want to thank all the ministers who filled in for me. Thank you for your prayers, visits, and cards.

Rev. Gary McGaha

Greetings to the Nolynn Association. We are glad to attend this year. We have had a good year with the Lord as our guide. We have had the pastoral care of Louisville Separate Baptist Church. We have conducted one funeral. We look forward to this year with our new sanctuary nearly at completion. We need your prayers and pray for you all. Yours in Christ.

Rev. John A. Perkins, Jr.

Greetings Brothers and Sisters in Christ. Presently, I have the pastoral care of Union, and I have been called back for another year. I have preached one weekend revival, two funerals, and assisted in another. I have baptized two and have preached in various churches. Your prayers are desired and appreciated. Your Brother in Christ.

Rev. Verlin Perry

Brothers and Sisters in Christ of the Nolynn Association, I have had the pastoral care of the Munfordville Church for the past year and called back for the next year. I have conducted two funerals and baptized one this past year. Pray for me and my family that God would help us this coming year as my wife, Wanda, has been very sick. We need the touch of the Lord's hand upon us that we could look for a city who's builder and maker is God. God bless all His people.

Rev. Keith Sullivan

I have been the pastor of Little Barren Separate Baptist Church for the past year. Pray for us in our work for the Lord in the coming year.

Rev. Eudell Stilts

Greeting to our Brothers and Sisters in Christ. We are glad to meet with you again, as this year has went by so fast. We have pastored Mt. Salem this year. Our heart is saddened as we felt lead to leave their church this year. We will miss the good people there.

We have accepted the call from Little Barren Church for the coming year. We are looking forward to working with them.

We have preached three revivals this year and preached in other churches, nursing homes, and hospitals. Pray for Becky and I that we will always do God's will.

Rev. Melvin R. Underwood

I've had the pastoral care of the Friendship Church this year and have been called back for the incoming year. I've preached one funeral and married one couple. Pray for me and Dianna in our service for the Lord.

Rev. Thomas L. Wallace

Since our last Association, we have visited some of our churches and enjoyed the preaching of God's Word and the fellowship. We ask each one to pray that God will have His will and way in our lives. Your Brother In Christ.

CHURCH LETTERS

Calvary Hill Separate Baptist Church

The Calvary Hill Separate Baptist Church in Christ sends greetings to the Nolynn Association at the Nolynn Campground.

It is our desire to be seated in Godly council with you upon the acceptance of our letter and delegates. Our delegates for the 2003 session are Sis. Diane Elliott, Sis. Angie Etherton, Sis. Becky Ashbaugh, Sis. Rebecca Boyle, Sis. Shirley Ingram, Sis. Louisa Dunford, and Bro. Darryl Dunford. Our alternates are Sis. Melissa Kennedy and Sis. Ella Berry. Our delegates to the General Association are Sis. Angie Etherton, Sis. Diane Elliott, and Sis. Barbara Hale.

We are sending \$125.00 and requesting 20 Minutes.

Our pastor for the past year has been Bro. James Hale. He said he would not be pastor for the incoming year. As of this letter writing, we have not called a pastor for the coming year.

Our church officials are Bro. Marvin Hatch (Moderator), Sis. Dana Wilson (Clerk), Sis. Diane Elliott (Treasurer), Bro. James Hale and Bro. Robert McDonald.

Our **Vacation Bible School** is the second week in July. We want to thank the Lord for the attendance we had.

Our church services are **Sunday School** at 10:00 AM. **Worship service** is 11:00 AM. **Sunday night services and youth services** at 6:00 PM. **Wednesday night Bible study and youth services** at 7:00 PM.

Our **Homecoming** is the first Sunday in June. Our **communion and feetwashing** is on Sunday night before Thanksgiving at 6:00 PM. **Christmas play and dinner** is the second Saturday night in December at 6:00 PM.

Please remember our church in your prayers that we would do more for the Lord to see lost souls saved.

This letter was approved at our August 27, 2003 business meeting.

Bro. Marvin Hatch, Moderator Sis. Ella Berry, Clerk

Coral Ridge Separate Baptist Church

The officials and members of the Coral Ridge Separate Baptist Church send greetings to the Moderator, ordained officials, appointed delegates, and visitors to the 184th annual session of the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky, convening at the Nolynn Association Campground, on September 19, 2003.

We wish to be seated in Godly council with you, upon acceptance of our letter and delegates. For the 2003 session, our delegates are: Bro. Stanley Brown, Sis. Delcie Garner, Sis. Charlotte Jordan, Bro. Michael Jordan, Sis. Marsha Perkins, and Bro. Thomas Perkins. Sis. Charlotte Jordan will be our delegate to the General Association, convening in October of this year.

We are sending \$100.00 to help in the cost of printing the Minute Books, and are requesting 15 of them for our church.

Our church officials for the 2003-2004 Associational year will be: Moderator, Bro. Thomas Perkins; Clerk, Bro. Stanley Brown; and Treasurer, Bro. Charles E. Jordan, Sr. Our **Sunday evening worship** service now begins at 6:00pm.

We have elected Rev. Robert Gosser as our Pastor for the coming two years, and we also elected Rev. Clyde Lindsey to serve as our Pastor Emeritus, a lifetime position.

Please remember Rev. Gosser and our church in your prayers, and continue to pray in behalf of Rev. Clyde Lindsey's health.

This letter was read and approved at our last Business Meeting, held on September 14, 2003.

Bro. Thomas Perkins, Moderator. Bro. Stanley Brown, Clerk

Faith Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky convening at the Nolynn Association Campground from Faith Separate Baptist church. Our delegates are as follows: Sis. Karen Sullivan, Sis. Barbara Heiskell, Sis. Ella Mae Sullivan, Sis. Francis Madison, Bro. John Madison, Bro. Keith Meyer, Sis. Jessica Meyer. Alternates Sis. Sondra Meyer and Sis. Lavenia Rigney. Our delegates to the General Association are Sis. Ella Mae Sullivan and Sis. Barbara Heiskell.

We are sending \$100.00 for 20 minutes. Our **annual homecoming service** is the first Sunday in October. Our church services are as follow: **Sunday School** is at 10:00 AM with **worship** following at 11:00 AM.

Rev. Nolan Howell has been our pastor the last year. We have called Rev. Nolan Howell this year for a 2 year term. Our church officials are Bro. Paul Meyer (Moderator, Sunday School Superintendent) and Sis. Sondra Meyer (Clerk, Sunday School Secretary).

This was done by order of the church at the August business meeting on August 24, 2003.

Bro. Paul Meyer, Moderator Sis. Sondra Meyer, Clerk

Friendship Separate Baptist Church

The Friendship Separate Baptist Church in Christ sends greetings to the Nolynn Association at the Nolynn Campground in Buffalo, Kentucky on September 19 and 20, 2003. Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

We are happy to greet you with the following delegates: Bro. Lester Beckner, Sis. Margaret Beckner, Bro. David Randols, Sis. Ruby Randols, Sis. Regina Goff, Sis. Irene Johnson, and Sis. Wilma White. Our alternates are Sis. Christine Embry and Sis. Jean Gosser. Delegates for the General Association are Bro. Lester Beckner, Sis. Margaret Beckner, and Sis. Wilma White. Alternate is Sis. Regina Goff.

We held a fall revival with Rev. Jim Thorpe as evangelist in November. We held a spring revival with Rev. Eudell Stilts as evangelist in April.

Rev. Melvin Underwood has been our pastor for the past year. We have called Bro. Melvin Underwood as our pastor for the coming year. Bro. James White is our Moderator; Bro. Rick Goff is the Assistant Moderator; Bro. Arnold Stidham is the Treasurer; Sis. Regina Goff is the Clerk; Bro. Steve Gleitz is the

Sunday School Superintendent; Bro. David McKinney is the Assistant Superintendent; and Sis. Laquinta McKinney is our Sunday School Secretary.

We are contributing \$200.00 to the Nolynn Association Treasury and Minute Fund and are requesting 40 Minutes. We are supporting the activities of our Association both spiritually and financially. Our contributions for the past year were as follows: Campground - \$8,585.67, SBMI - \$800.00, and \$200.00 to the Association Kitchen Fund for meals.

We have received two new members this year. We have not lost any members in death.

We have **Sunday School** at 9:45 AM and **Worship Service** at 11:00 AM every Sunday. We also have service every **Sunday night** at 6:30 PM. On the second Sunday in July, we have our **Church Homecoming**. We also have **Communion and Feetwashing** on the Sunday night before Easter and the Sunday night before Thanksgiving. Everyone is welcome.

Our ordained officials are: Ministers – Bro. James Goff, Bro. Robert Gosser, Bro. Verlin Perry, and Bro. Melvin Underwood. Deacons – Bro. Steve Gleitz, Bro. Rick Goff, Bro. Herbert Martin, Bro. Arnold Stidham, and Bro. James White.

Please continue to remember our church in your prayers as we strive to serve the Lord until His coming.

This letter was read and approved at our September 3, 2003 business meeting.

Bro. James White, Moderator Sis. Regina Goff, Clerk

Glasgow Separate Baptist Church

Greetings to the moderator, ordained officials, delegates, and visitors to the Nolynn Association from the Glasgow Separate Baptist Church.

We greet you with letter and delegates. Our delegates for both Nolynn and General Association are the same, and they are Bro. Stanley Ramsey, Sis. Joan Ramsey, and Sis. Betty Tarter.

We are sending \$75.00 and requesting 20 Minutes. We are also sending \$100.00 (\$50 for the kitchen fund and \$50 for the Association fund).

Our statistics are the same: 12 members, 0 deaths, 0 dismissals.

Bro. Matthew Cowan has told us the Lord is not leading him to stay with us for the on-coming year. As of this date, we have not called anyone, but we moved to adjourn to meet again September 13, 2003 for the purpose of calling a pastor. If at this time a pastor is called, a letter to that affect will be brought to the Association.

Done by order of the church at our August 2003 meeting.

Yours in Christ, Sis. Betty Tarter, Clerk

Little Barren Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptists in Christ convening at the campground on September 19 and 20, 2003.

We are glad we can meet you again with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Sis. Ruth Ann Young, Sis. Ann Thompson, Sis. Wanda Coffey, Sis.

Carolyn Jones, Sis. Kelli Wilson, Sis. Barbara Young, and Sis. Hilda Compton with Sis. Aleda Thompson and Sis. Penny Young as alternates.

We did not choose delegates for the General Association.

We have had a good year with Rev. Keith Sullivan as our pastor. We have called Rev. Eudell Stilts for the incoming year.

Bro. Greg Wilson has been retained as Church Moderator and Sis. Ruth Ann Young retained as Clerk.

We have had a good Sunday School the past year with Bro. Tony Young as the Superintendent.

Our **Sunday School** begins at 9:00 AM (Central Time) each Sunday with **worship service** following at 10:00 AM (no worship service on 5th Sundays).

Our **Homecoming** is the 2nd Sunday in August.

Our **Communion and Foot Washing** is held the 3rd Sunday in May.

We had a revival in April of this year with Rev. Randy Shaw as the evangelist.

We are sending \$100.00 minute money and request 15 Minutes.

We have had something wonderful and exciting to happen in our church in August – Bro. Meryl Young announced that the Lord has called him to preach, and he has accepted the call.

Remember him and our church in your prayers.

Bro. Greg Wilson, Moderator Sis. Ruth Ann Young, Clerk

Louisville Separate Baptist Church

The Louisville Separate Baptist Church in Christ sends greetings to the 184th annual session of the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ convening at the Nolynn Association Campground on September 19 and 20, 2003.

We are happy to meet you with this letter and the following delegates: Bro. Tommie Hash, Bro. James Skaggs, and Bro. Gordon Shofner. Bro. Bob Lowrey and Sis. Marci McGaha are our alternates.

We are sending \$250.00 to the Association as minute money, and request 40 copies of the minutes. We are sending \$150.00 for the food fund.

Our church officials for the incoming year are: Bro. Paul Shofner (Moderator), Bro. Gordon Shofner (Clerk), and Bro. Donnie Warner (Acting Treasurer).

Rev. Gary McGaha has served as our Pastor this year and has been called back to serve the incoming year.

We have begun construction of our new Sanctuary and expect it to be completed in October. Our annual Homecoming, which was normally held in August, has been rescheduled for this year only so that we can have the event in our new building.

Our regular services are as follows: **Sunday School** at 9:45 AM, **Sunday Worship Service** at 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM. Our annual **Bible School** was held in June. Our annual **homecoming**, normally scheduled for the third Sunday in August, will be on October 26 for this year only. Our **Communion and Footwashing** services are held on Palm Sunday and the third Sunday night in November each year. We have **Prayer Meeting** on Wednesday nights at 7:00 PM.

Please remember our church in prayer that we will follow Jesus and let Him lead us and direct us. Our mission is to see the lost saved before it is eternally too late.

Written by order of the regular monthly business meeting, September 3, 2003.

Bro. Paul Shofner, Moderator Bro. Gordon Shofner, Clerk

Mt. Salem Separate Baptist Church

We, the Mt. Salem Separate Baptist Church, are glad to meet the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist with our letter. We have no appointed delegates to be seated.

Our pastor was Bro. Eudell Stilts. We have not called a pastor for the incoming year at this time. We have regular service every **Sunday morning** at 10:00 AM (EST) except for **5**th **Sunday which is called off**. **Prayer meeting** each Wednesday at 7:30 PM.

We are sending \$50.00 and asking for 10 minutes. We have had a good year, and God has sent blessings by to help us along the way. Pray for us that we will always do the Lord's will.

This done by order of the church at business meeting September 17, 2003.

Bro. Wendell Benningfield, Moderator Bro. Russell Parrish, Clerk

Mt. Zion Separate Baptist Church

The Mt. Zion Separate Baptist Church is glad again this year to meet the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Bro. John Benningfield, Sis. Carolyn Milby, Sis. Geneva Peace, Sis. Nadine Grimes, Sis. Shelby Wolford, Sis. Rose Bostic, and Sis. Annetta Skaggs. Alternates are Bro. Edward Thompson and Sis. Joyce Reynolds.

Delegates appointed to the General Association are Sis. Rose Bostic, Sis. Geneva Peace, and Sis. Pat Vance. Alternates: Sis. Carolyn Milby and Sis. Shelby Wolford.

We have had two revivals since we last met; one in the fall with Bro. Darrin Wolford and one in the spring with Bro. Paul Hines. Our Bible School was in July.

We have gained 7 new members this year and lost 3 by death; Bro. Orland Druen, Sis. Martha Milby Wells, and Bro. Herman Leigh Pottinger.

We are sending a check in the amount of \$200.00 for minutes. The number of minutes to be sent will be left to the clerk's discretion.

The church officials are as follows: Bro. Gerald Gardner (Pastor), Bro. Jess Thompson (Moderator), Bro. Bobby Wolford (Asst. Moderator), Sis. Marlene Slayton (Clerk), Sis. Christine Lobb (Asst. Clerk), Sis. Carolyn Milby (Treasurer), and Sis. Joyce Reynolds (Asst. Treasurer).

Done by the order of the church at our regular business meeting August 3, 2003.

Bro. Jess Thompson, Moderator Sis. Marlene Slayton, Clerk

Munfordville Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ: The Munfordville Separate Baptist Church in Hart County, Kentucky sends greetings to the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptists in Christ when convening at the campground in Larue County, Kentucky on September 19 and 20, 2003.

We are glad to meet you again with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Bro. Dennie Warren, Sis. Imogene Warren, Sis. Elizabeth Dorsey, Sis. Karen Nunn, Sis. Tammy Biggs, Sis. Kim Nunn, and Sis. Andrea Higdon. Our alternates are Bro. Wesley Warren and Bro. Johnathan Biggs. Our delegates to the General Association are Bro. Verlin Perry, Sis. Wanda Perry, Bro. M. E. Dorsey, and Sis. Elizabeth Dorsey.

Our church services are full time with **Sunday School** each Sunday morning starting at 9:30 AM followed by **preaching service**. **Communion and feetwashing** service is held on the first Sunday in May following our preaching service. Our **homecoming** is the fourth Sunday in May.

We have had one weekend revival this year beginning on October 24 through October 28 with Bro. Eudell Stilts as the evangelist. We had wonderful services.

We held our fourth Bible School this year. It was a tremendous success with an average attendance of 30. We look forward to Bible School each year and invite everyone to join us.

We sent some donations to the campground to be applied to the building addition.

Our pastor for the past year has been Rev. Verlin Perry. We have called Rev. Perry for the coming year.

We are sending \$150.00 minute money and would like to have 30 minute books.

Our ordained minister is Rev. John Arthur Perkins. Our deacons are Bro. M. E. Dorsey and Bro. Junior Warren.

Our membership is 70. We have gained 1 and lost 1 this past year.

The Lord has been so good to us at the Munfordville Church. We request your prayers that God will continue to bless. Done by the order of the church at our regular business meeting on July 20, 2003.

M. E. Dorsey, Moderator Elizabeth Dorsey, Clerk

Oak Grove Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky: We are glad to meet you with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Bro. Ernest Davis, Bro. Jerry Scott, Sis. Suvada Arnett, Sis. Glenda Simpson, Sis. Connie Smith, and Sis. Regina Houk. Our alternates are Sis. Cindy Scott and Bro. Dave Smith. Our delegate to the General Association is Sis. Glenda Simpson.

Our church services are as follows: (CDT) **Sunday School** every Sunday at 9:30 AM with **Worship Service** following, **Worship Service** also on Wednesday night after the second Saturday at 6:30 PM. **Prayer Meeting** on the remaining Wednesday nights at 6:30 PM., and **Business Meeting** the second Saturday of

every month at 6:30 PM. Our **Homecoming** is the first Sunday in July. Our **Vacation Bible School** starts the first Monday in June at 6:30 PM. Our **Communion and Footwashing Services** are on Thursday before Good Friday at 6:30 PM and on Sunday following the second Saturday in July at 11:00 AM.

The Vacation Bible School enrollment was 70. Since we last met, we had two revivals with the first being in September with Rev. Robert Knight as the evangelist. We had good spiritual services. The second revival was in March with Rev. Brandon Goodin as the evangelist. We had good spiritual services.

We have neither gained nor lost any members this year.

Rev. Charlie Houk has been our pastor for this associational year. At this time, we do not have a pastor for the coming year.

We are sending \$150.00 minute money and requesting 35 minutes.

Our kitchen helpers for the 2004 Association are Sis. Glenda Simpson, Sis. Connie Smith, and Sis. Sarah Simpson.

Our church officials are as follows: Bro. Bobby Arnett (Moderator), Rev. Charlie Houk (Asst. Moderator), Bro. Winfred Simpson (Clerk), and Sis. Glenda Simpson (Treasurer).

It is our request that we be remembered in the prayers of all Christians. This was done in order at our regular business meeting on August 9, 2003.

Bro. Bobby Arnett, Moderator Bro. Winfred Simpson, Clerk

Okolona Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptists in Christ: The Okolona Separate Baptist Church sends greetings when convening at the Nolynn Campground, September 19-20, 2003. We are happy to meet you with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Sis. Joyce Depoyster, Sis. Debbie Brown, Sis. Leigh Ann Brown, Bro. Brian Bates, Sis. Trish Bates, Bro. Wilson Underwood, and Bro. Forrest Pitts. Alternate: Sis. Carami Brown. Our delegate to the General Association is Sis. Debbie Brown.

Our church services are as follows: Sunday School 9:45 AM, Sunday morning worship service 11:00 AM, Sunday evening worship 6:00 PM, Wednesday evening prayer service 7:00 PM. Our communion and feet washing services are the evening of Palm Sunday and the Sunday evening before Thanksgiving. We hold our Homecoming service on the fourth Sunday in August. Our Christmas dinner and play is held annually on the first Saturday in December, the dinner scheduled for 6:00 PM with the play following at 7:00 PM.

Bro. Mike Perkins resigned as our pastor of the Okolona Separate Baptist Church on April 7, 2003. We have had many visiting preachers come to help us in this time of need. We have called Bro. Troy Grider from the South Kentucky Association to be our pastor for the coming year. Bro. Troy and Sis Marsha Grider, as well as our church, all very excited for this upcoming year to witness souls being saved.

Our Sunday School has grown, due to a successful Vacation Bible School that was held in July.

God has blessed us in the past year and have had one soul saved and two baptized.

Our church officials are Bro. Keith Brown (Moderator), Sis. Carami Brown (Clerk), and Bro. Keith Brown (Treasurer).

We are sending \$40.00 in minute money and request 15 minute books. This was done by order of the church, August 6, 2003.

Sis. Carami Brown, Clerk

Otter Creek Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ: The Otter Creek Church sends greetings when convening at the Nolynn Campground on September 19th and 20th, 2003. We are happy to greet you again with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Sis. Frances Skaggs, Sis. Janice Despain, Sis. Ruby Underwood, Sis. Nola Wallace, and Sis. Kathy Skaggs. We have no alternates. Our delegates to the General Association are Sis. Janice Despain, Sis. Bernice Oaks, and Sis. Kathy Skaggs.

Our church services are as follows: **Sunday school** each Sunday at 10:00 AM. **Worship service** at 11:00 AM each Sunday. Our **communion and footwashing** are the first Sunday in May.

We are sending \$75.00 Minute money and request 25 Minutes.

We have one deacon, Bro. Carl Bell.

We have received one member, lost 2 by death, namely Sis. Lillie Underwood and Sis. Golda Despain, and 2 by letter. Our membership is 71.

Bro. Jimmy Mason is our pastor, and we have called Bro. Mason for the coming year. Bro. Jimmy Mason is our Moderator, Sis. Kathy Skaggs is our Clerk, and Sis. Frances Skaggs is our Treasurer.

We request to be remembered in your prayers.

Done by order of the church at the church business meeting on August 17, 2003.

Bro. Jimmy Mason, Moderator Sis. Kathy Skaggs, Clerk

Pleasant Ridge Separate Baptist Church

Pleasant Ridge Separate Baptist Church sends greetings to the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist Jesus Christ.

The following have been chosen as delegates: Sis. Versie Clopton, Sis. Edith Warren, and Bro. Bobby Warren. Delegates to the General Association: none.

Since we last met, we have had two revivals. The first revival was in September, 2002 with Rev. Wayne Burton as the evangelist. The second was in April, 2003 with Rev. Gerald Gardner as the evangelist.

We have **Sunday School** each Sunday morning at 10:00 AM. Bro. Ronnie Benningfield is the Sunday School Superintendent. **Worship service** is at 11:00 AM. **Sunday night service and Children's Church** is at 6:00 PM. The second Sunday of each month at 3:00 PM, the church has **singing at Sunrise Manor Nursing Home**. Our **Communion and Feetwashing service** is the first Sunday in May during morning worship service. We have two revivals during the year. Our **Homecoming** is the Sunday following the third Saturday in October.

We have received two new members. We have dismissed none. We have lost 4 by death, namely Bro. Leon Thompson, Sis. Verdie French, Bro. Paul Perkins, and Bro. Hershel "Pete" Taylor. Total membership is 268.

Rev. Brandon Goodin has been our pastor for the past year. We have called Rev. Brandon Goodin to be our pastor for the incoming year.

Our church officials are: Bro. James Crim (Moderator), Sis. Shirley Noe (Clerk), and Sis. Linda Noe (Treasurer).

We are sending \$100.00 and requesting 25 Minutes.

Remember us in your prayers that we may be in the center of God's will.

Done by the order of the church September 7, 2003 at the regular business meeting.

Bro. Troy Skaggs, Moderator Sis. Shirley Noe, Clerk

Sand Lick Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ:

We are glad to meet you with letter and delegates. Our delegates are: Bro. T. J. Hodges, Sis. Ruth Chaney, Sis. Gladys Milby, Sis. Janie Penick, Bro. Doug Penick, Sis. Shirley Pepper, and Bro. Leslie Milby. Alternates are Sis. Nancy Milby and Sis. Betty Beams. Our delegates for the General Association are: Sis. Ruth Chaney, Sis. Janie Penick, and Bro. Doug Penick.

Our church officials are: Bro. Elroy Pepper (Moderator), Sis. Sharon Pepper (Clerk), and Sis. Cindy Berry (Treasurer).

We had our revival in June of this year. Bro. Kenny Kimbler and Bro. Ashley Shuffett shared the preaching of our revival.

We had 7 people to be baptized and gained 10 new members.

We have called Bro. Kenny Kimbler as our pastor for the oncoming year.

We are sending \$75.00 minute money and are request 15 Minutes.

Our **Sunday School** starts at 10:00 AM EST, and our **worship** service starts at 11:00 AM EST. Our **Communion and Feetwashing** service is on Sunday before Easter.

I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me. Philippians 4:13. Done by the order of the church on August 8, 2003.

Bro. Elroy Pepper, Moderator Sis. Sharon Pepper, Clerk

True Gospel Separate Baptist Church

To the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist churches, we are glad to greet you again with letter and delegates. Our delegate is Sis. Nell Huff.

We did not have any revivals this year. We have not received any new members, dismissed any, or lost any by death.

We are sending \$45 minute money and requesting 15 Minutes.

Our church services are as follows: Sunday School (10:00 AM), worship service (11:00 AM), Sunday evening (7:00 PM), Wednesday night prayer service and Bible study (7:00 PM).

Bro. James Huff has been our pastor the past year and has been called for the coming year.

Our church officials are Bro. James Huff (Moderator), Sis. Anna Huff (Clerk), and Bro. Charles Wilson (Treasurer).

This done in order at special business meeting July 23, 2003. Please remember our church and our pastor in your prayers.

Bro. James Huff, Moderator Sis. Anna Huff, Clerk

Union Separate Baptist Church

The Union Separate Baptist Church is glad again this year to meet the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist with letter and delegates. Our delegates are: Sis. Leona Stillwell and Sis. Doriene Clark.

Rev. John Perkins has been called for our pastor for the coming year.

Church officials are: Bro. Micky Stillwell (Moderator) and Sis. Doriene Clark (Clerk, Treasurer).

We had one revival since our last association. Rev. John Perkins was the evangelist.

Our church services are: **Sunday School** 10:00 AM, **Worship service** 11:15 AM. We have **Worship service** the fourth Sunday night of each month at 7:00 PM. All services are on fast time. We have no service on the fifth Sunday.

We are sending \$90.00 minute money and requesting 20 minutes.

We have lost one member by death, Bro. Herman Skaggs, on April 5, 2003. We have also received two new members this year.

We have our **Communion and Feetwashing** on the fourth Sunday in June. Our **Homecoming** is the first Sunday in August.

We request to be remembered in your prayers.

This was done by order of the church, August 17, 2003.

Bro. Micky Stillwell, Moderator Sis. Doriene Clark, Clerk

Zion Separate Baptist Church

The Zion Separate Baptist Church in Christ sends greetings to the 184th session of the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist convening on Sept. 19-20, 2003. We are glad to meet you with a letter and delegates. Our delegates are Bro. Randy Kennedy, Sis. Louise Shofner, Sis. Cozetta Sprowles, Sis. Linda Sprowles, Sis. Evelyn Hedgespeth, Sis. Shannon Kennedy and Sis. Glenda Skaggs. Our General Association delegates are Bro. Harden Hedgespeth and Sis. Evelyn Hedgespeth.

We are sending \$250.00 minute money and are requesting 40 minutes. Our pastor for the incoming year is Bro. Ronda Arnett. Church officials are: Bro. Arnold Sprowles (Moderator), Sis. Cozetta Sprowles (Clerk), Sis. Linda Sprowles (Treasurer).

In the past year, we had a revival with Rev. Steve Warner. We also had a summer Bible School. Our church financially supported the efforts of our youth camp. We also had both adult workers and youth that attended the youth camp.

Our church services are **Sunday school** 10:00 AM, **preaching** 11:00 AM, **Sunday night** 6:00 PM, **Wednesday night** 7:00 PM. All times given are Eastern Standard Time. Our **annual homecoming** is the first Sunday in August.

We have lost no members by death this past year.

Pray for us that we will strive to win the lost and fulfill the purpose of the church.

Bro. Arnold Sprowles, Moderator Sis. Cozetta Sprowles, Clerk

PERMANENT RULES ADOPTED TO GOVERN THIS BODY

- 1. Telephone numbers of all ordained ministers of the Association are to be printed in the Minutes.
- 2. All Association records are to be kept by the Association clerk, including updating the Association's incorporation papers (annually), and the expense of maintaining, recording, and updating these records is to be paid by the Association.
- 3. All decisions by the Presbytery Board are to be by unanimous vote.
- 4. Nominations for officials of the Association are to be held to a maximum of three. An official must receive a majority of the vote, that is to say more than 50% of the vote to be elected. If on the first ballot a majority vote is not received by candidate, then the man with the lowest number of votes is dropped, and the vote is taken again.
- 5. All appointments of committees are to be on a one year minimum basis.
- 6. The Association is to take up a special offering for support and upkeep of the campground.
- 7. The Association Trustees are to see that the buildings and grounds are kept neat.
- 8. Any minister OUTSIDE of our Association that is called to pastor a church in the Nolynn Association must get approval of our Presbytery Board.
- 9. We are to nominate some or part of our elderly ministers to the Presbytery Board.
- 10. The widows present of all deceased ministers and deacons of our Association are to be recognized during the setting of the Association.
- 11. The Standing Committee Meeting shall convene at 3:30 PM, and the Ministers and Deacons Business Meeting shall convene at 7:30 PM each year on the third Saturday in August at the campground for the purpose of preparing their reports for the Association.
- 12. The Association Revival is to be held on the Sunday following the third Saturday in August and continue through and ending the following Saturday.
- 13. Revival offerings are to be divided as follows: The Association Revival evangelist(s) be paid \$400 or half of the offerings taken in the revival, whichever is greater.
- 14. The Association is to have an Association Bible School and Youth Camp with the starting date to be set by the Youth Activities Board.
- 15. The Trustees and their successors of office of Nolynn Association are to have legal authority of all property owned by the Association.
- 16. Any changes to Permanent Rules and Articles of Faith, will be tabled for one year before being voted upon, and that any changes will require a two-thirds majority vote.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

- Article 1 We believe that the scripture of the Old and New Testaments are the infallible word of God and the only safe rules of faith and practice, using the Authorized King James Version of the Holy Bible. II Timothy 3:16-17.
- **Article 2** That there is in the Godhead three divine personages, The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. I John 5:7
- **Article 3** That man is in a fallen state before God and is unable to liberate himself by any ability he possesses by Nature. Romans 8:1-20.
- Article 4 That Salvation, regeneration, sanctification, justification, and redemption are through faith in the life, death, resurrection, ascension, and intercession of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Heb. 9:25; Eph. 4:9; and Rev. 1:18.
- Article 5 We believe he who endures to the end, the same shall be saved. Matt. 24:13; Rev. 2:10.
- **Article 6** That the joys of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will be eternal. Matt. 25:46.
- Article 7 We believe that Baptism, the Lord's Supper and feet washing are ordinances of Jesus Christ appointed in the church and none but true believers are proper subjects and the only proper mode of baptism is immersion of the believers. Rom. 6:3-4; also I Cor. 11:27-29; St. John 13:1-17.
- Article 8 We believe in the sanctity of the first day of the week or the Lord's day which ought to be observed and spent in public or private worship of God, and that we should refrain from our worldly concern, except in cases of necessity or mercy. Matt. 6:33; Matt. 28:1-10; Mark 16:1-9; Luke 24:1-8; Acts 2:1-2; St. John 20:1.
- **Article 9** We believe in the resurrection of the Body of both the just and unjust, but every man in his own order, they that have done good to the resurrection of life, and that God appointed a day in which He will judge the world in righteousness by Jesus Christ. St. John 5:28-29; I Thes. 4:16; and Dan. 12:2.
- Article 10 That it is our duty to be tender and affectionate to one another and honoring and preferring one another to study the happiness of God's people in general to do all we can to support, promote, and spread the gospel. Rom. 12:10; Gal. 6:10; and Il Cor. 9:1-15.
- Article 11 We believe that Jesus Christ by the grace of God tasted death for every man and none can partake of His divine benefits only by repentance toward God and Faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, infants, and the innocent due to lack of mental ability excepted, they being included in the covenant of God's grace. Acts 10:43; St. John 3:14-17; I Cor. 15:20-22; Rom. 5:15.

- **Article 12** We believe in the Bible as the only discipline for the church. Matt. 28:18-20.
- Article 13 That all gifts and callings in the church are of God by the Holy Ghost and that all offices and gifts of the apostolic church should be recognized by our churches when manifested by the presence and power of the spirit in any individual, by setting them apart for the work of the Gospel. II Tim. 1:9; Heb. 5:4, Rom. 12:4-6; I Cor. 12.
- Article 14 We believe in open communion to all Christians. I Cor. 11:27-29.
- Article 15 We believe that, at Christ's coming in the clouds of Heaven, all Christians will be gathered with Him in the clouds and that Time shall be no more, thus leaving no time for a literal one thousand year reign. Matt. 24:29-31; Rev. 10:6; and I Thes. 4:15-18.

RULES OF ORDER THAT GOVERN THIS BODY

- 1. This Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.
- 2. The speaker shall adhere strictly to the subject and in no wise reflect on the person who spoke before him by pointing out his failure, but shall state matter clearly as possible to convey fully his light and ideas.
- 3. No person shall abruptly break off or absent himself from the body without the consent of the moderator.
- 4. No member shall laugh or whisper so as to interrupt during public speech.
- 5. Members shall address each other by the appellation of brother or sister or brethren or sisters.
- 6. The moderator shall not interrupt any member or prohibit him from finishing his speech unless he fails to abide by the rules of the body.
- 7. Names of members shall be enrolled by the clerk and called over as often as the body shall require.
- 8. The moderator shall have the same right of speech as any other member; provided the chair is filled. But he shall not be entitled to vote unless the body is equally divided.
- 9. That there be no amendment to the Constitution that in any way contradicts or destroys our present Constitution.
- 10. The Association shall forbid selling sundries on the church ground during the setting of the Association.

CONSTITUTION

We the Separate Baptist of the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky having been in existence as said Association since 1819 in the State of Kentucky and having been the governing body for all the churches in this Association, in order to set out and clarify the powers and duties of this Association do ordain and establish this Constitution as follows:

Article I

The Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky is the governing body of all Separate Baptist churches within this Association.

Article II

This Association shall meet each year on the Friday before the 3rd Saturday in September at the Nolynn Association Campground, subject to change only by assembly vote. Special meetings may be called by the Association at any time it is deemed necessary.

Article III

All ordained Separate Baptist ministers and deacons of the churches in this Association are standing members of the Association. Each church shall send to the annual assembly seven Separate Baptist lay members as delegates and two Separate Baptist lay members as alternate delegates. Each member at the Association has a vote. By majority vote, the Association will adopt and change the type rules of order desired.

Article IV

The Association shall have a moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk, and a treasurer. Each shall be elected by the Association and each shall serve for a period of one year or until their successors are elected.

Article V

The moderator shall select committees at any time to assist in the administration of any affairs concerning the Association and any of the churches.

Article VI

This Association shall have a Presbytery Board composed of three ordained ministers of the Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist. They shall serve three year terms, one expiring each year. The third-year member shall serve as chairman. Also, the Presbytery shall have two alternate members serving two-year terms, one elected each year. Members of this Board are subject to dismissal by the Association only, or by resignation.

In case of sickness or death, or where a candidate is closely related to a regular member, or where prejudice or partiality is involved, the regular member must step aside and the first alternate will serve in his place. If a vacancy exists, the first alternate shall become a regular member.

Article VII

All ministers and deacons shall be ordained by the Presbytery Board. The manner in which this shall be performed is as follows:

- (a) Any person selected by the church to become a deacon of that church shall first present said person to the Presbytery Board so that they along with any officials of the church, may investigate said person and pass on his qualifications to become a deacon. After this, such person shall serve in this position with the church as an apprentice for a period of twelve months. Upon expiration of the apprenticeship and if such person has been proven to be qualified for and worthy of the position, the Presbytery shall ordain such person and grant him license. This shall be by unanimous vote only. If at anytime the church, the Presbytery, or the Association believes said person shall be unqualified for or unworthy of this position, this person shall be investigated by and heard by the Board. If found by the Presbytery to be unqualified for and no longer worthy of this position, the deacon shall be disordained by the Presbytery and this shall be reported to the Association.
- (b) Any person selected by the church as one called by God to the office of a minister shall be presented to the Presbytery Board, and the Board, along with the officials of the church, shall hear said person and investigate said person for the purpose of ascertaining the fitness and ability of such person to become a Separate Baptist minister. If approved for apprenticeship, such person shall serve a term of twenty-four months as an apprentice with a church in this Association. Upon expiration of the apprenticeship and having proven qualified and worthy of the office of minister and fully indoctrinated as to the doctrines of the Separate Baptist faith, such person shall be ordained as a Separate Baptist minister by the Presbytery Board and license granted by the Board. A card will be presented at such time to such person and shall be reissued yearly by the Board. The ordaining of all ministers by the Board shall be by unanimous vote. If at any time it is believed by the church or the Presbytery or the Association that any minister has been unqualified for or unworthy of the office of a Separate Baptist minister, then said minister shall be presented to, heard by, and investigated by the Presbytery Board. If found by the Presbytery Board to be unworthy of this position, the credentials of said person shall be suspended by the Board.
- (c) No minister shall pastor a Separate Baptist church in this Association unless such person is a fully ordained minister of the Separate Baptist in Christ.
- (d) Any minister that leaves the Separate Baptists and joins another denomination of churches shall no longer be considered an ordained Separate Baptist minister. If such event does take place and such person desires to come back and join the Separate Baptist as a minister, then such person cannot pastor a Separate Baptist as a minister unless such person is re-ordained by the Presbytery Board.

- (e) All deacons and ministers are required to live and conduct themselves in a Christian manner and be in harmony with the Association at all times. The standard of conduct and doctrines of the Separate Baptists required of Separate Baptist ministers and deacons shall be determined by the Presbytery at all times.
- (f) All ordained ministers are accountable to the Association. In order to know what our ministers are doing, at the annual Association, all ordained ministers will present or send a written report to the Association concerning his ministry for the past year. If the minister is sick or there is a death in the family, he would have thirty days to notify the Chairman of the Presbytery as to the reason for failing to report to the Association. The Presbytery Board will be responsible for giving the name of those who failed to report to the clerk. The clerk would then delete those names from the Minute Book, and their card will be withheld. Steps to have the name of the minister restored in the Minute Book and to receive a card again are as follows:
 - 1) The clerk from said minister's church would have to notify the Chairman of the Presbytery Board by letter asking the Board to meet with the church officials and said minister to investigate him.
 - 2) If found by the Board that the said minister shows remorse and wishes to be in good standing again, then the Presbytery Board will recommend his name be restored in the Minute Book at the next Association along with his card being reissued.

Those ministers that are sick and/or elderly and unable to preach will be listed in the Minute Book under the heading of "Honorably Inactive".

(g) No person shall be ordained who has more than one living wife or whose wife has more than one living husband (I Tim 3:2-12). Therefore, all ordained ministers shall refrain from performing marriage ceremonies between two individuals of the same sex and people who have a living mate (Luke 16:17,18; Gen 2:24; Rom 1:26-32; I Cor 3:10,11).

Article VIII

When the Presbytery Board has been invited by the church, the Presbytery has the right and power (ecclesiastical) to investigate any and all matters coming up in or between any churches or the personnel of any church or churches that might affect the doctrines of the Separate Baptist faith and has the full power to deal with any problems or disputes of any nature as they deem proper.

Article IX

Any persons who desire to unite and form a church under the faith and doctrines of the Separate Baptists shall present themselves or their representatives to the Presbytery Board for the purpose of a full understanding of the orthodox belief of the Separate Baptists. After a letter and messengers to the Association, the moderator shall appoint a committee of three or more to meet with said church to further investigate the orthodox doctrine of the church. If the committee approves in their report the admission of the church into the Association, then same shall be voted upon by the Association, and if the vote is favorable, they shall be in full fellowship.

Article X

If the time should come that a church desires to withdraw from the Association and not be governed by same, the reason for same shall be presented to each and every member of the church. The church shall then meet and vote, and if a majority of them desire to withdraw, then they shall prepare a letter and meet the Association at the regular meeting or a special called meeting. The church shall present their letter of aggrievements to the Association, and the Association shall appoint a committee of three or more to meet with the church and try to reconcile their aggrievements. If no reconciliation is made, then the matter will be presented to the Association, and the church will then receive a letter of dismissal.

Article XI

All officers of this Association shall be elected by nomination and secret ballot.

Article XII

All amendments to this Constitution shall be by 2/3 vote of the delegates to the Association.

Article XIII

The Association may adopt by-laws for the administration of its church affairs and in governing the churches at any time by majority vote of the Association.

DISTRICT ASSOCIATION DATES

Central Indiana

September 10-11, 2004

Midway Campground, 5 miles south of Morgantown, Indiana, on State Road 135. Friday before the second Sunday in September.

Christian Unity (North Carolina)

July 23-24, 2004

Friday before the fourth Sunday in July.

Mt. Olive (Tennessee)

September 3-4, 2004

Friday before the first Saturday in September.

Northeast Florida

July 10, 2004

Harmony Separate Baptist Church, 3850 Emerson St., Jacksonville, FL 32211. Second Saturday in July.

South Kentucky

August 13-14, 2004

Association Campground, 1 mile east of Russell Springs, Kentucky. Friday before the second Saturday in August.

Southwest West Virginia

June 19, 2004

Crum Separate Baptist Church. Third Saturday in June.

HOST OF THE GENERAL ASSOCIATION

Northeast Florida Association at the Harmony Separate Baptist Church in Jacksonville, Florida

(October 8-9, 2004)



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