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(Portuguese Language)

## MISSION SHEETS

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(Spanish Language)  
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Mrs. Louie Carver and daughter Charity beside the car and in front of the rented house they live in the Philippines



This is the rented mission building that Louie Carver has in the Philippines to start his new work in a new country. Note the chairs in the building and his car beside it. Note the step by step and follow it and in time there will be a church organized here, the Lord willing.

#### Twenty Sixth Annual Thanksgiving Conference Nov. 24-27, 1980

At New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, Michigan and Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Michigan. Please pray and start planning now to give the largest Thanksgiving Offering ever and we hope that all will be for the REGULAR FUND to pay salaries and expenses.

The greatest of all needs now are for increased offerings for the Regular Fund to pay salaries, expenses, airplane fares, schooling for Missionary children, house rents on the mission field for Missionaries to live on, gasoline, oil and repairs of cars on the mission fields. Pray and increase offerings to the Regular Fund as the Lord leads.

**A SUGGESTION:** Why not set a date and have a BAPTIST FAITH MISSION DAY in your church? And if you like have a Director of Baptist Faith Missions or a missionary, if available, to come as special speaker and present the work and need of Baptist Faith Missions, and have a special offering for Baptist Faith Missions.

#### How To Learn A New Language

As a new missionary, when James Gasque was accepted as a new missionary to Peru, he and his wife began to study Spanish in their home in Alabama, using a "Self Teacher" Spanish Book. They also used Spanish tapes and listened to those tapes while reading the lesson in print, over and over again. A former missionary wanted them to move to Lima, Peru and spend a year in a language school, etc. having to rent a house and other expenses in that large city, and lose a year in doing mission work. Instead the Gasques moved into the mission owned house rent free in Iquitos, Peru and began to study in a language school a half block from his house. And he began to do mission work while studying in this school. And after being in Peru less than four months he preached his first sermon in Spanish. James Gasque is the only Baptist Faith Missionary in Peru at this time and he is handling all the work efficiently and doing a great job.

#### Churches Of Baptist Faith Missions In Sao Luis, Maranhao Brazil And In That Area

1. Igreja Batista Nova Esperanca (New Hope Baptist Church, Sao Luis, Maranhao).
2. Igreja Batista De Perotoro (Baptist Church of Peterio, Maranhao).
3. Igreja Batista De Sao Mateus (Baptist Church of Sao Mateous, Maranhao).
4. Igreja Batista De Anajatiba (Baptist Church of Anajatiba, Maranhao).
5. Igreja Batista De Villa Maranhao (Baptist Church of Villa Maranhao).
6. Congregacao De Anajatuba (Baptist Mission of Anajatuba, Maranhao).

Five churches and one mission, work of former Missionary George Bean. The Lord willing, Missionary Harold Draper will move to Sao Luis, Maranhao in December and carry on the work there.



This is the group for the first service at the new mission of Louie Carver in the Philippines.

#### The Way To Do Mission Work, The Most Efficient, And The Most Economical Way, Is The Way Baptist Faith Missions Does It. The Faith Way Is The Best Way

**EXAMPLE:** Dana Adams and his family went out to the Philippines on faith, on the authority of South Lexington Baptist Church, arriving in the Philippines on July 16, 1980. Dana Adams did not spend a year, or maybe more, doing deputation work to raise his salary and support and all that time living on the offerings received while doing deputation work. Thus by going out on faith he saved the churches that support him thousands of dollars that he would have used as salary and support doing deputation work. This is not criticism of any missionary that does deputation work, nor of any church that sends him out to do deputation work, nor of any church who receives offerings from other churches to help that church support the missionaries that that church receives offerings for. When this editor was pastor he led his church to send offerings direct to a church to help support (through that church) a missionary in India, and also a Missionary in Brazil. The editor also led his church to send offerings direct to Lexington Baptist College and to Clarksville Baptist College and to Teays Valley Baptist College and to Blue Grass Baptist School. In sending offerings direct to that church to help support missionaries in India and Brazil through that church. That church became the BOARD OF OUR CHURCH. Still not criticism of the way others do it. BUT the Faith way of Baptist Faith Missions is the most efficient and the most economical way to do mission work. Please read this again. The Bible way is the faith way.

#### Let Your Support Of Baptist Faith Missions Be Continued In Your Will

#### Children In School . . . Day Begins At 5 am . . . Some Good News From Korea . . . News About New Mission Started . . . Some Professions And One Baptized . . . Daughters Have Street Services For Children In Two Locations . . . Stresses Need For Increase In Mission Offerings

By Louie Carver

0196 Pacific Drive  
Brookside Hills Subd.  
Cainta, Rizal, Philippines  
August 12, 1980

Dear Brethren,

With the children in school, my wife and I doing some language study, plus our mission work we stay quite busy. Our day begins shortly after 5:00 a.m. and some day goes til approx. 11:00 p.m. and with our consistent hot weather it pretty well drains ones energy.

I have not heard from all our Korean work this month; only from Brother Cheong at Shin Nae Church in Seoul and the church there is doing fine. Brother Cheong also mentioned that the school is doing O.K. and that the mission at Kai Pyoung has moved into their own building. Thanks to you who had a personal part in that project.



Louie Carver

Our mission here in the Philippines is going to be a bit slow but we're in strictly Catholic territory. In fact the town is named Saint Mary with statues all over and a big Catholic building and several small chapels from it scattered throughout. We've had several professions of faith but thus far most are not panning out in attendance and baptism. I did baptize a young lady, age 25, on August the 3rd a former Catholic and she hasn't missed a service. Last Saturday the Adams' daughter Teresa and Pam had some children's services at two different locations in the streets while we visited. As a result I picked up some 30 children last Sunday a.m. You pray hard about these precious souls and we'll work hard at trying to win them and I'm sure in his own time that our God will come through. I also would appreciate if you would pray for my family, especially, Tim. He is having some very serious problems here of which only God can pull him through. Perhaps if some of the youth who know him would write him it would be a

real boost to him, or even some of his former teachers and acquaintances in the Blue Grass Baptist Schools.

Also, Brethren, many of you don't know or else do not understand the real financial straits that our financial agency (B.F.M.) is in. We missionaries must have operating expenses and as of now we have little if any and if there is none then there's no need of the missionary being on a foreign field with his hands tied.

In His Service,  
Louie Carver

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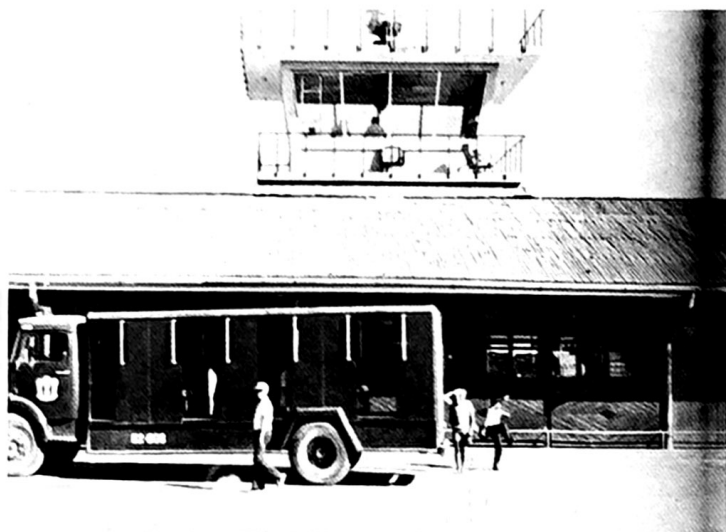
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The first S.S. group of the new mission in the Philippines. Work of Louie Carver.



Picture of the Dana Adams' family at the International Airport on their arrival in the Philippines July 16, 1980.



When the editor and John Henderson and James Gasque were in Pucallpa, Peru there was a strike in progress with the city closed down. We had some scary experiences and had to get the police to take us to the airport in this Police vehicle in front of the Airport building in Pucallpa, Peru.

**Daughter Cathy Gets Married In Manaus . . . From Garca To Cuiaba By Bus . . . Visited With Creiglow And Draper . . . Great Works In These Places . . . On to Manaus By Plane . . . Building In Galia Progressing . . . Option To Buy Site In Another City . . . Needs \$7,000.00 . . . It Took 22 Months To Get Tape Recorder Out Of Customs**

By John Hatcher

Dear Brethren,  
Garca, Sao Paulo, Brasil  
August 16, 1980  
On August 2, our daughter, Kathy and Odaly (pronounced Oh-da (as in father) le) were married. Odaly is a seminary student in Manaus and works presently in the Tabernacle Baptist Church. The wedding was very pretty. This is the last of our five children to marry, and the only wedding of our children we have had the privilege of attending. Our trip to Manaus was made by bus to Cuiaba, where Brother Creiglow and Brother Draper have their work, then on to Manaus by plane. It was a joy to visit with them, and to stay with the Creiglows. On the trip to Manaus the church, where Brother Draper pastors, was in revival meeting. It was a great sight to see the house full and hear Asa Mark preach. On the return trip Brother Creiglow invited me to preach and there was more than 60 persons present at the mid-week service. Those works are great ones.



John Hatcher

Work is progressing on the building in Galia. We only have a few men working because the money is coming in slowly, and because there is much less hassle with fewer workers. Hopefully, work will be started in the city of Duartina before the last of October. There is no way to finish the building in Galia and build in Duartina due to our funds, so the plans are to stop on the Galia building in a useable state and build the first part of the Duartina building. We have option to buy a beautiful lot in another city for about \$7,000. The house and lot are in a choice location but we do not have the money available. Maybe you would like to have a good big part in this new work.

Waverly Road Baptist Church gave a good tape recorder for use in our radio ministry. The recorder was held in customs when we landed in Manaus. After one year and eleven months the recorder is in our hands and being used. It took just 22 months to get it cleared and out of customs. Thanks for your support in prayers and pocketbook.

In Him,  
John A Hatcher

**Asa Mark Bratcher Comes For A Good Meeting . . . Visitation Campaign Produces Record Attendance Of 240 . . . Need More Space Now . . . Some Saved And Some Baptized . . . Church Voted To Pay For Gasoline, Oil And Upkeep Of Car**

By Bobby Creiglow

Dear Brethren,  
Varzea Grande  
August 19, 1980  
Our meeting with Brother Asa Mark Bratcher was very good with some professions of faith. Our attendance was not as good as it could have been and we would like to have seen more souls saved, but all and all it was a good meeting. The following week we took our bus over to help Brother Draper and the church there to bring people to their meeting and they had a very good meeting.

After our meetings we here in Varzea Grande started a visitation campaign and in the past two weeks we have broken all our attendance records. The first Sunday night we set a new record of attendance of 197 and then the next Sunday we had a record crowd in S.S. of 154. That same night we broke our record again with over 240 present. In



Bobby Creiglow

the past two weeks we have had over 150 first time visitors. We have had some saved and some baptized this month also, but I do not remember just how many. Since our building is only large enough for 200 neediness to say we are hurting for space, but this weekend we plan to bring in chairs and benches from the S.S. rooms to see if we can fill them also. That should not leave much room for the preacher to do much walking around.

Our car came out of the shop on schedule and it has been going strong ever since. We hope it has been fixed so that it will last for a few more years. Arlene and Arlete have started another year of their school courses and are having a hard time getting back into it again.

The weather is hot and dry and inflation has gone beyond imagination.

In His Name,  
B. D. Creiglow

P.S. The church here has also voted to pay for the gasoline, oil and total upkeep on my car as long as they are able.

**In The Philippines One Month . . . Children In School . . . House Rented To Live In . . . Started Language Study . . . Preached Three Times In Philippine Churches . . . To Start A Mission In City of 70,000 People . . . A Privilege To Be Your Representative**

By Dana Adams

1579 Birmingham  
Brookside Subdivision  
Cainta, Rizal, Philippines  
August 12, 1980  
Dear Brethren,

At the writing of this mission letter, my family and I have been in the Philippines one month. During this period the Lord has enabled us to rent a house, get our children in school, and begin our study of the Tagalog language, which is the Philippine National language. In addition to getting settle in, I have had the privilege of preaching in three Filipino churches with decisions in each service.

Also since being here, my family and I have been



Dana Adams

assisting Brother Carver in a mission started prior to our arrival. The mission is located in Santa Maria, Bulacan, a city of approximately forty thousand with no Baptist work to our knowledge. Although the city is predominately Catholic, there have been several professions of faith with one being baptized.

The Lord willing, I will be starting a mission this month in a city with a population of approximately seventy thousand with little or no Baptist work to my knowledge. Please remember this endeavor in your prayers.

My family and I count it a privilege to be your representatives here in the Philippines as the Lord's servants.

In His Name,  
Dana Adams

**Bratcher Keeps A Daily Diary Of His Mission Work And Reports From It . . . Home Department Day In Church With 30 Different Services In Homes In The City On Sunday Afternoon . . . Church Celebrates 25th Anniversary With Reports And Roll Call . . . Annual Report: Gains By Baptism 78, By Letter 8, By Restoration 4, Total Gain 90 . . . Losses: By Death 3, By Letter 6, By Exclusion 49, Total Loss 58 . . . Membership Beginning July 1, 1979 - 588 . . . Membership Beginning July 1, 1980 - 620 . . . Average S.S. Attendance 392 . . . Son Stephan Returns To College In The U.S. . . . Stresses Need Of Greater Giving To Regular Fund**

By Harold Bratcher

Dear Brethren,  
Manaus, Amazonas  
August 15, 1980  
I have just finished reading the entries in my diary - July 15 - August 15 - to see what we have done or haven't done or what has happened to us that might be of interest to you - the readers - the ones that pray for us and contribute to our work here.

Sunday, July 20th was "Home Department Day" at the 14th of December Baptist Church. Some 30 different services were held on Sunday afternoon in some thirty different homes throughout the city. Some 50 members were used in leading these services.

On Friday night, July 25th the Church celebrated her twentieth anniversary. Stephen M. Bratcher brought the message to the more than 300 people present. I'll share with you the highlights of the annual report: Members - July 1st of 1979 - 588. Gains: Baptisms - 78. Letter - 8. Restored - 4. Total 90. Losses, by death - 3, by letter - 6, and by exclusion - 49 - total 58. Members July 1, 1980 - 620. Average attendance in Sunday School - 392.



Harold Bratcher

Sunday, the 27th was "Member's Day." The church roll was called. 561 were present in Sunday School. Tuesday, the 12th of August we held a special service-farewell service for Stephen who returned to the States after a three months' visit with us. Pray for him as he continues his studies in the States.

Brethren, we praise the Lord for his faithfulness to us. We realize that the Lord has chosen to use human instruments to carry on His work for His honor and glory. We need you. At the time, because of inflation, etc. we need more just to continue doing what we have been doing for years, we are receiving less from you, the Mission. Thus we must do less or receive more! This month I had to spend some \$300 on car repairs. It had become dangerous to drive it! Pray about this problem, please.

We thank you who gave during this month and pray that the Lord will bless you and enable us all to do more for His honor and glory. With the Church helping us, Mrs. Bratcher and I will spend some 10 days in the interior this month of August.

May the Lord bless you all in our prayer.

Yours In His Service,  
Harold Bratcher  
Caixa Postal 227  
69.00 Manaus, Amazonas  
- Brazil, S.A.

**To Sao Luis, Maranhao One Week To Lay Ground Work To Move There In December . . . Good Report From Church In Cuiaba . . . Asa Mark Bratcher Comes To Hold Meeting . . . Church Filled To Capacity . . . Creiglow Helps With His Bus . . . Interest In New Mission In Housing Project Of 310 Homes**

By Harold Draper

Dear Brethren,  
August 21, 1980  
Greeting from Sao Luiz, Maranhao. I have spent a week here laying the groundwork for

our move here the end of the year. Back in Cuiaba the Lord is blessing the work greatly. We had 7 professions of faith this past month and great interest is being shown by the people in the neighborhood around the church. I baptized 4 adults this month. We have more families coming and are praying the Lord will give them to us. Brother Asa Mark Bratcher held a meeting for



Harold Draper

us and we had great results with the building full to capacity most nights. So we are rejoicing in the Lord for all of this and want you to share our joy. Brother Creiglow and the Faith church loaned us their bus to use during the meeting and it was a real help.

There is a housing project not far away that has 310 or more families and no work of any kind. There is some interest among some of the people there to start a Bible class there or a mission point. We are praying about this and waiting for the Lord to give us a place to meet there. It is a place of great need and we hope that the church here at Good Hope can be used to preach the gospel to these folks.

I must close for now as I must catch a plane in a few minutes to go back to Cuiaba. Pray for us always.

Yours in Him,  
Harold M. Draper





This is the Mission building in Las Palmas on the road between Huanuco Peru and Tingo Maria. The mission has a native Peruvian pastor.

## Need Offerings To Buy Motorcycle . . . Preached Four Times In Spanish . . . Souls Are Being Saved And Baptized . . . A Fake Healer Comes To Iquitos

(Editor's note: Due to a strike in Iquitos, this letter came too late to get in the August MISSION SHEETS)

By James Gasque

Apartado 183  
Iquitos, Peru S.A.  
July 18, 1980

Dear Brethren,  
We still don't have the money for the motorcycle. I'm sure God has already told someone of you to buy this that we would not have to wait so long.

I have now preached four messages in Spanish. By the time you read this I will have preached many more. God is blessing in the work here and souls are being saved and added to the church through baptism. We have had to work hard to teach some of our "babes", those who have not grown in the work.

For two weeks an International Evangelist was holding a conference in the city and trying to lay hands on everyone and heal them. Many people said he's got to be real because he doesn't charge anything. I told them God doesn't charge anything either and I go to Him to get all my needs supplied first hand instead of going to some mortal



James Gasque

man expecting something second hand. God has blessed me in my language study and though I still have much to learn, I can understand and talk with anyone. This past week I talked to two young men in the market and as I witnessed to them one of them said we are Catholics and we couldn't be a part of your church could we? I then proceeded to explain God's plan of salvation and before I left both had professed Christ as his personal Saviour. To God be the praise. They have not yet come for baptism but I see them everyday and they are happy as can be to know that they can be a part of the church that Jesus built. I tell you this because I want you to know. The need is great. There are thousands who have never heard the Gospel and by your gift of love you can make it possible for more young men and women like these to hear the Gospel and accept Jesus Christ.

I have been very sick in the flesh this month, but never have I felt stronger in the Spirit of God. Brethren let's quit "digging down" to give the change, but let's give "off the top" and give God the praise.

Yours in Him,  
James Douglas Gasque

## A Great Conference In Iquitos, Peru With Great Blessings . . . Souls Saved . . . Three Surrender To Preach . . . Car Breaks Down . . . Buys Motorcycle . . . Tells Of Needs To Finish Paying For Motorcycle And To Buy A Car To Use

By Douglas Gasque

Dear Brethren,  
August 15, 1980  
God has given us another month filled with blessings. It seems that He has done much and we have done so little. The churches here in Peru have just closed out a conference in Iquitos. God really blessed with preaching and teaching for 3 days and nights. Many traveled as much as four days on the river to get here. We saw souls saved, Christians revived and three young men surrendered to the call of the Lord to preach the Gospel. The days have not all been good, but each day we learn a little more patience, a little more temperance, and a little more faith. We seek the knowledge that comes



Douglas Gasque

from God that we may be able to preach and teach in Spanish more and more each day. We have had much trouble with the car this month. I think I pushed it more than I drove it. It really knocked out yesterday and I was very discouraged. I have been trusting God to supply the needs and today I received notice to buy the motorcycle that we have needed. We still need about \$500.00 to finish paying for this. Please help if you can. Also remember our need for a car. I know that it may be quite some time before that we can buy one, but pray about this need and help as you can. I have just gotten home from our mission in Santo Tomas. Our generator for the lights failed and we had a flashlight service, but God blessed in this service and the attendance was better than ever. We would like to thank each one who has given and those who will give in the future to help with our needs here in Peru. Please remember us in your prayers.

Yours in Him,  
James Douglas Gasque

## With Church Who Authorized Him To Do Mission Work In Brazil And Church He Formerly Pastored . . . Also With Churches In Ohio And Kentucky . . . To Return To Brazil In December . . . Need Offerings To Buy Car To Use In Work In Brazil And For Plane Fare

By Richard Turner

1007 Pinebloom Dr.  
Lexington, Kentucky 40504  
Ph. 606-278-0963  
Aug. 26, 1980

Dear Brethren,  
This month I have spoken at the following churches. I and my family were at the Salem Missionary Baptist Church, Willow Hill, Ill., where Brother Barry Pulley is the pastor and from where I was authorized to go to Brazil as a missionary. We enjoyed being with the folks there once again. On Aug. 3, we were with the Calvary Baptist Temple in Cynthia, Kentucky where Brother Tony Vance is the pastor. I also serve as pastor of this church some years ago. We enjoyed being there with the opportunity to preach and tell of our work in Brazil. From Aug. 5 thru the 7th I was at the Clarksville Baptist Missionary Conference. I had the privilege of speaking on Wednesday. It was a great Conference and we did enjoy ourselves. August 10, I was with the Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Ohio, where Brother Elwood Hensley is the pastor, for the morning service. That night, I was with the Southwood Baptist Church where Brother George Locke is the pastor. August 17, Morning and night, I was with the Hilltop Baptist Church, Beattyville,



Richard Turner

Kentucky, where Brother George Bean is the pastor and this last Sunday, I and my family were with the Beechgrove Baptist Church, Lancaster, Kentucky, where Brother Bobby Green is the pastor. We thank the Lord for these opportunities given us to share with these churches our burdens for the work in Brazil.

Due to a change in plans, we will not be returning to Brazil until the middle of December. This is about 8 weeks later than we had planned. Because of this delay, I have a few more Sundays that I can give to any pastor that would like me to come and share with their church about our work in Brazil. Contact me at the address or telephone number given above.

I'm still in need of funds to buy a new vehicle for use on the field. We are very much thankful to those that have given but we have just about half of what we need. Pray about this and if God leads you to give then give for the glory of God.

Thank you for your prayers and faithful support.

Yours in Him,  
Richard A. Turner

### Where To Send Offerings

Make all checks payable to Baptist Faith Missions and mail all offerings to:

James Hamilton  
P.O. Box 24204  
Lexington, Ky. 40524



Fifth Baptist Church building in Iquitos, Peru. This church has a native pastor.

## A Trip With Wife To Varzea Grande And Cuiaba In State Of Mato Grosso . . . In Meeting With Bobby Creiglow With Professions Of Faith And With Harold Draper With Professions Of Faith And Baptisms . . . Back To Own Church In Manaus With Many Professions Of Faith And Surrendered To Preach . . . Plea For Greater Offerings To Help In All The Work

By Asa Mark Bratcher

Manaus

August 18, 1980

Dear Brethren,  
Once again, a busy month has passed. How well can we remember the words "Only what's done for Christ will last."

Lucy and I left Manaus around 8:30 a.m. Thursday morning the 24th of last month, (July) and we arrived in Varzea Grande, in the State of Mato Grosso, around 1:30 p.m., being met at the airport by Brother Bobby Creiglow. The Lord blessed our Thursday through Sunday meetings with good attendance and five decisions, there at Faith Baptist Church in Varzea Grande. Monday night the 28th through Sunday night the 3rd the Lord blessed also this week of revival meetings at the Good Hope Baptist Church in Cuiaba where Brother Draper is Pastor. Certainly the Lord blessed there as 4 were added to the church by baptism and



Asa Mark Bratcher

several others made professions of faith and rededications. We praise and thank the Lord for each blessing and also for the great hospitality shown us there by both churches, pastors and families.

We were encouraged to see the good work being done there by both of these brethren.

The Lord had blessed here at Peniel during my absence and has continued to do so. These past two weeks, the Lord has certainly blessed us as we have stood amazed as some 35 people have made decisions. Yesterday 8 of those that made decisions came surrendering their lives to the ministry, to preach His word. Praise His Holy Name! Pray for us as we seek to lead them, instruct them, and then send them to the best seminary available to better prepare themselves to serve their Lord!

As I close, let me make an appeal to each of you that read the MS each month, to each of you that support us with your sincere prayers and offerings to help us even more, if possible.

In His Service,  
Asa Mark Bratcher

## Another Great Month . . . John Hatcher, Mike Creiglow And Son Adam And David Hatcher Attend Wedding Of Kathy Hatcher In Manaus . . . The Visiting Brethren Preached . . . Schools-Nursery Through College Back In Swing . . . Goal To Train Native Preachers To Have Churches Across All Of Brazil . . . Working To Have Average Attendance Of 1500 In August

By Paul Hatcher

Av. J. Carlos Antony, 172  
69.000 Manaus, Am.  
Brazil, S.A.  
August 13, 1980

Dear Brethren,  
We thank the Lord for another great month in His service. We had several visits in our home and enjoyed the good fellowship.

Brother and Mrs. John Hatcher, Mike and Adam Creiglow, and Dr. David Hatcher were in our home for the occasion of our youngest sister Kathy's wedding to Odali Barros, who is my assistant in the church. We had the opportunity to rest and hear our brethren speak.

All the schools - nursery school through college - are

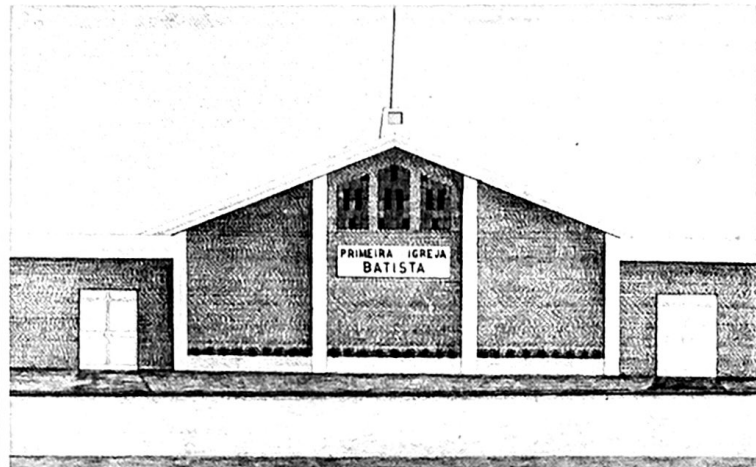


Paul Hatcher

back in full swing, after semester break, and we are hoping and praying for a great semester.

The church attendance continues to do well, and we are working toward an average attendance of 1,500 for the month of August. In each service several have made public professions of faith. We request your prayers for the nation of Brazil in that by training many young men through the church and seminary, in the very near future there will be hundreds of Baptist churches speckled across this nation, started by dedicated and well-trained men. We hope you can share this vision and will invest heavily with your prayers and your funds that this may be accomplished.

Love,  
Paul Hatcher



A drawing of how the new First Baptist Church building Cruzeiro do Sul, Acre, Brazil will look when finished. With \$2,000.00 more this building could be under roof ready to use while the inside is being finished. If you care to help, mark your Special Offering for "Mike Creiglow Building."

We are praying that this Thanksgiving Conference will be the biggest and best ever. Won't you plan now to make the offerings the Largest in the history of BAPTIST FAITH MISSIONS? The General Fund is in great need. PRAY AND GIVE the Lord will reward you for your special effort.

## Offerings for August 1980

Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich.	\$ 50.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich.	50.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich. (Draper's Work)	81.29
Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich. (Draper's Work)	73.48
Baptist Bible Center, Point Pleasant, W. Va.	100.00
Beauty Mountain Baptist Church, Edmond, W. Va.	239.70
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, Ky.	83.57
Berea Baptist Church, Hiddenite, N.C.	60.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Arlington, Ky.	85.68
Calvary Baptist Church, Nitro, W. Va.	350.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	222.81
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky. (Bratcher's Building)	25.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Ky. (Bratcher's Building)	35.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Summersville, W. Va.	10.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, S.C.	75.00
Devondale Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	100.00
East Maine Baptist Church, Glenview, Ill.	100.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	116.27
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, W. Va.	60.00
Elk Lick Baptist Church, Levi, Ky.	19.88
Emmaus Road Baptist Church, Craigsville, W. Va.	65.00
Ephesus Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, Ky.	20.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	550.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky. (Bapt. Seminary)	50.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky. (In memory of John Wolfe)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Annville, Ky.	10.00
Grace Baptist Church, Holly, Mich.	300.00
Grace Baptist Church, Sunbury, Ohio (Carver)	40.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Hatcher's Bldg.)	93.25
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Carver's Car)	93.25
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (B. Creiglow's Car)	93.25
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (M. Creiglow's Car)	93.25
Harmony Baptist Church, Pine Bluff, Ark.	50.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Camden, Tenn.	40.00
Highland Baptist Church, Lewisburg, W. Va. (Carver's Car)	25.00
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.	100.00
Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tuscumbia, Ala.	187.01
Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tuscumbia, Ala. (Gasque's Motorcycle)	41.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, Ohio (Carver)	35.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, Ohio (Bratcher)	35.00
Logana Baptist Church, Nicholasville, Ky.	73.68
Meadow Bridge Baptist Church, Meadow Bridge, W. Va.	10.00
Morgan Ave. Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind. (Children Service - Gasque's Motorcycle)	46.01
Mountain Dale Baptist Church, Vilas, N.C. (Carver's Building)	100.00
Mountain Home Baptist Church #1, Tuscumbia, Ala.	50.00
Mountain Home Baptist Church #2, Russellville, Ala.	30.00
Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church, Boone, N.C. (Carver's Building)	100.00
Rosedale Baptist Church, Shock, W. Va. (Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Association)	30.00
Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarville, W. Va. (Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Association)	20.00
Heppzibah Baptist Church, Stouts Mills, W. Va. (Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Association)	29.72
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Normantown, W. Va.	15.00
New Testament Baptist Church, Leivasy, W. Va.	35.00
North Ballard Baptist Church, Wickliffe, Ky.	56.16
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fla.	195.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fla. (Hatcher's Bldg)	20.00
Poplar Creek Baptist Church, Leighton, Ala.	400.00
Rupert Baptist Church, Rupert, W. Va.	15.00
Russellville Baptist Church, Russellville, W. Va.	20.00
South Irvine Baptist Church, Irvine, Ky.	25.00
Southwood Baptist Church, Mansfield, Ohio	75.00
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, Ohio	1,148.35
Valley View Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	7.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W. Va.	554.77
West End Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	20.00
West Milton Baptist Church, West Milton, Ohio (M. Creiglow)	30.00
West Milton Baptist Church, West Milton, Ohio (M. Creiglow)	30.00
Winchester Baptist Church, Winchester, Ohio (Bratc r)	45.00
Winchester Bapt. Church, Winchester, Ohio (Hatcher)	45.00
Wolf Springs Baptist Church, Town Creek, Ala. (Gasque)	20.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, N.C. (Carver's Building)	115.10
Berea Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tenn.	40.00
Bethel Baptist Church, Williams, Ind.	20.90
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tenn.	100.00
Big Bear Creek Missionary Baptist Association of North Ala. (Carver's Passage)	500.00
Big Bear Creek Missionary Baptist Association of North Ala. (Gasque's Motorcycle)	170.00
Bluff Ave. Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind.	20.00
Bluff Ave. Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind. (Carver's Personal Expenses)	40.00
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, W. Va.	55.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Ohio	421.59
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Ohio (Carver-Lena Frank)	20.00
Faith Baptist Church, Danville, Ky.	10.00
Foxport Baptist Church, Flemingsburg, Ky. (Turner's Car)	50.00
Forest Grove Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, N.C.	95.00
Harbor View Baptist Church, Harbor View, Ohio	81.99
Little Sewell Baptist Church, Rainelle, W. Va.	110.00
Morgan Ave. Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind.	640.00
Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	38.74
New LaGrange Baptist Church, Tuscumbia, Ala.	50.00
Salem Baptist Church, Grayson, Ky.	25.00
Salem Baptist Church, Willow Hill, Ill. (Turner's Car)	40.00
Worship Point Baptist Church, Lenoir, N.C.	30.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Ohio (Bratcher's Building)	50.00
Bethlehem Baptist Church, Russellville, Ala.	24.75
Elizabeth Jarrel Baptist Church, Louisa, Ky.	10.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Hurricane, W. Va.	65.00
Members of First Baptist Church, Port Norris, N.J.	200.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, Ky.	100.00
Immanuel Baptist Church, Monticello, Ky.	30.00

Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, Fla. (B. Creiglow's Building)	20.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich.	360.21
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich. (Bratcher's Building)	35.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich. (Hatcher's Building)	25.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich. (Bapt. Seminary)	42.50
Lexington Baptist Temple, Lexington, Ky. (Hatcher, Bratcher)	10.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Mike Creiglow's Building)	56.00
Open Door Baptist Church, Jonesboro, Tenn.	30.00
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	200.00
Algonac Baptist Church, Algonac, Mich.	20.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	130.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (designated)	125.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tenn. (Adams)	40.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tenn. (Mike Creiglow)	20.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tenn. (Baptist Seminary)	20.00
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	840.50
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Bratcher's Building)	40.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, Ohio	140.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, Ohio (Bapt. Seminary)	55.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, Ohio (Labor Day Bible Conference Offering)	1,281.04
Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Sadieville, Ky.	5.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Hgts., Mich.	395.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Hgts., Mich. (Baptist Seminary)	22.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, Ky.	428.25
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	715.10
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Gasque's Motorcycle)	100.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Baptist Seminary)	50.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Hatcher's Building)	20.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	823.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Baptist Seminary)	152.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Steve Bratcher's Air Fare)	10.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Carver's Children's Schooling)	5.00
A Friend	100.00
A Friend	100.00
Mr. & Mrs. Ray Polley, Princetown, Ky.	30.00
Mr. & Mrs. James Hurd, Flemingsburg, Ky. (Turner's Car)	100.00
Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Lowe, Kingsport, Tenn. (John Hatcher's Building)	60.00
Cora Mae Allison, Phil Campbell, Ala. (Gasque's Furniture)	5.00
Frank Creiglow, Lancaster, Ohio (B. Creiglow's Bus)	20.00
Bro. & Mrs. Demas Brubacher, Memphis, Tenn.	25.00
James & Elizabeth Sims, Hattiesburg, Miss.	130.00
W. T. Burleson, Knoxville, Tenn.	2.00
Marguerite Hallum, Hammond, La.	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. G. F. Hall, Pennington Gap, Va.	10.00
Texas Friends	200.00
B. E. James, East Bend, N.C.	25.00
Eld. & Mrs. G. B. Trent, Chattahoochee, W. Va.	60.00
A Friend	200.00
Received for Baptist Seminary	\$391.50
Received for Bratcher Building	185.00
Received for Carver's Building	315.00
Received for Carver's Car	117.25
Received for Carver's Passage	500.00
Received for Bobby Creiglow's Building	20.00
Received for Bobby Creiglow's Bus	20.00
Received for Bobby Creiglow's Car	93.25
Received for Mike Creiglow's Building	56.00
Received for Draper's Work	154.77
Received for Gasque's Motorcycle	357.01
Received for Gasque's Furniture	5.00
Received for Hatcher's Building	218.25
Received for Turner's Car	190.00
Received for Stephen Bratcher's Plane Fare	10.00
Received for Regular Offerings	14,890.67
Received for All Purposes	17,618.67

## OFFERINGS FOR BAPTIST SEMINARY, AUGUST, 1980

First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	\$ 50.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich.	42.50
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tenn.	20.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, Ohio	55.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Hts., Mich.	22.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	50.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	152.00
Total received for this fund	391.50

## OFFERINGS FOR BRATCHER'S BUILDING, AUGUST, 1980

Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	\$ 25.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Ky.	35.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Ohio	50.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich.	35.00
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	40.00
Total received for this fund	185.00

## OFFERINGS FOR CARVER'S BUILDING, AUGUST, 1980

Mountain Dale Baptist Church, Vilas, N.C.	\$ 100.00
Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church, Boone, N.C.	100.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, N.C.	115.10
Total received for this fund	315.00

## OFFERINGS FOR CARVER'S CAR, AUGUST, 1980

Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	\$ 93.25
Highland Baptist Church, Lewisburg, W. Va.	25.00
Total received for this fund	117.25

## OFFERINGS FOR CARVER'S PASSAGE, AUGUST, 1980

Big Bear Creek Missionary Baptist Assn. of North Ala.	\$ 500.00
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OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S BUILDING, AUGUST, 1980	
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, Fla.	\$ 20.00

## OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S BUS, AUGUST, 1980

Frank Creiglow, Lancaster, Ohio	\$ 20.00
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## OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S CAR, AUGUST, 1980

Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	\$ 93.25
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## OFFERINGS FOR MIKE CREIGLOW'S BUILDING, AUGUST, 1980

Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	\$ 56.00
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## OFFERINGS FOR MIKE CREIGLOW'S CAR, AUGUST, 1980

Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	\$ 93.25
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## OFFERINGS FOR DRAPER'S WORK, AUGUST, 1980

Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich.	\$ 81.29
Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich.	73.48
Total received for this fund	154.77

## OFFERINGS FOR GASQUE'S MOTORCYCLE, AUGUST, 1980

Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tuscumbia, Ala.	\$ 41.00
Big Bear Creek Missionary Baptist Assn. of North Ala.	170.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	100.00
Morgan Ave. Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind. (Childrens Service)	46.01
Total received for this fund	357.01

## OFFERINGS FOR GASQUE'S FURNITURE, AUGUST, 1980

Cora Mae Allison, Phil Campbell, Ala.	\$ 5.00
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## OFFERINGS FOR JOHN HATCHER'S BUILDING, AUGUST, 1980

Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	\$ 93.25
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fla.	20.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mich.	25.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Lowe, Kingsport, Tenn.	60.00
Total received for this fund	218.25

## OFFERINGS FOR TURNER'S CAR, AUGUST, 1980

Foxport Baptist Church, Flemingsburg, Ky.	\$ 50.00
Salem Baptist Church, Willow Hill, Ill.	40.00
Mr. & Mrs. James Hurd, Flemingsburg, Ky.	100.00
Total received for this fund	190.00

## OFFERINGS FOR STEPHEN BRATCHER'S PLANE FARE, AUG., 80

Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	\$ 10.00
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The street in front of the new mission of Louie Carver in the Philippines.



Abel Painifo, Pastor of Faith Baptist Church, Pucallpa, Peru and Director of the Del Mayfield School in Pucallpa, Peru. He is a good preacher and a faithful dependable man.

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