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The Trip to Cunhuayun. . . Organized a New Church and the Pastor Ordained. . . Great Services at Huanunco and Zion Baptist Church. . .

by Homer Crain

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Dear Brethren,

We greet you from the city of Lima, Peru, and we pray that all is going well with the Churches and Pastors there in the U.S.A.

First, I want to tell you about my last trip to Huanuco. I flew to Huanuco and after getting settled in the hotel I went to the Church across the river where we were to have the organization of the Mission in Cunhuayun and ordain the Pastor they were to call. The Church was locked up and after waiting for an hour, I returned to the hotel and had lunch. After waiting another hour, Brother Alberto Fabian came to tell me they were having the organization at the mission building. The Mission is a bumpy four hour ride by bus that hauls people, pigs and chickens. That was bad news, but even worse, we found out that the bus would leave four hours late and not get us there in time for the meeting. The pastor from the church in Huanuco came with a motorcycle to advise us that the other motorcycles were in the shop for repair and that the only way was for all three of us to go by the one motorcycle that we had. So, the Brethren had a plan. Brother Carlos would drive the motorcycle and take one of a ways and then come back for the other while one of us would keep walking. Of course, Cunhuayun had to be straight up the mountain ALL THE WAY. While it was my turn to walk I was thinking it would be much better to ride and while riding and trying to hang on the back bouncing up and down, I thought that walking would be better. I never got settled on what was best. After two hours of walking and bouncing, we arrived and had time to have a cup of strong coffee before the services were to start.

I met with the preachers to plan the service. They decided to have the organization of the Church first. First, the Pastor of Zion Baptist read the letter from Zion

Baptist Church giving the people the authority to organize themselves into a New Testament Baptist Church. Then the Pastor read the names of 29 who were to form the new Church.

One of the men read the Church Covenant and the mission agreed to accept the covenant.

Another Brother read the articles of Faith and they voted to accept and follow the doctrines as read. They noted to name the Church "Mt. Sinai Bible Baptist Church of Cunhuayun". They then called Juan Condesso as their Pastor. He answered the questions on all the doctrines that we believe.

Indeed, it was a blessing to be able to hear this young man answer the questions and then to lay hands on him.

Before the laying on of hands, the Brethren had asked me to preach and apply the message to Church and Pastor. It was truly a great hour. The people had given the land and built the walls of adobe, the trusses and metal roof came from a special offering from Ashland Ave. Baptist Church that I had received to start new works. After the service was over, the ladies had hot chicken soup and boiled corn which helped take away the chill in the high Andes mountains.

After a time of fellowship about 11:00 p.m., we started back down the mountain and that is another story. The following morning I preached at the Church in Huanuco and Sunday night at Zion Baptist Church across the river. Sunday night 12 people came forward; some for baptism and others to serve the Lord.

Monday, I had a meeting with the Pastors and the Brother that is building the building at Chavinillo. We ordered more cement, etc. for building and had the material sent to Chavinillo by truck.

Tuesday, I came back to Lima thinking of 1 Cor. 3:9 "For we are labourers together with God." What a blessing!

In closing, more good news. Word just came that we just won our first trial about the land in Ventanilla. Two more to go. Keep praying.

In Jesus Name,
 Homer R. Crain & Family



Homer Crain



These people from the mission at Ayapitea, Peru came to baptism at Chavinillo. Brother Crain's work.



Five baptized at Chavinillo, Peru. The pole is to find a place without deep holes. Brother Crain's work.

New Work Begins in Alvinlandia. . . Regular Permanent Work Now in 12 Cities. . . Hope to Return on Furlough Soon. . .

by John Hatcher

Caixa Postal 224
 17400 Garca, Sao Paulo
 June 20, 1988

Dear Friends,

God has given us a great month

New work was started June 5th in the city of Alvinlandia. This work is being done with our traveling chapel. First service - 1 present; second service on June 12th - 44 present.

Traveling chapel remodeled with new seating.

New tile floor laid in building at Duartina.

New building in Alvaro de Carvalho being painted and floor being laid. Services being held with attendance of 83 on June 19.

Seminary semester closes this coming week.

Two persons saved in Lupercio, two more asked for baptism.

15 persons made professions of faith in Garca church on June 5.

Regular permanent work being conducted in 12 cities. To us that seems pretty exciting.



John Hatcher

Also, this month we had a group of visitors from Emmanuel Baptist Church in Evansville, Indiana - Pastor and Judy Hatcher, our granddaughter, Laura, and four other young people from Emmanuel. It was great to have them and hope they enjoyed their visit.

The Lord willing, Alta and I will be coming home for furlough about the first of August. We are not sure just how long we will be in the States, but hopefully long enough to rest, make plans for enlarging the work here in Brazil, and to raise needed funds for the Lord's work here in Brazil. No plans are being made to travel in the month of August. Rest seems to be a necessity. After the first of September we would be happy to visit and tell of the work as well as seek your investments for missions in Brazil.

If you would like for us to come to your church you can write us the following address and your letter will be held for us until we arrive.

1009 Balsam Drive
 Lexington, KY 40504

Pray for us as our vision is to reach more people and more cities than ever before.

In him,
 John and Alta Hatcher

Home on Furlough. . . Thanks to the Lord and Supporters. . . Visit John Hatchers on Way Home. . .

by Bobby Wacaser

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 June 18, 1988

Dear Friends,

We do want to thank the Lord for our safe return to the U.S. We are now recuperating from jetlag and reverse "culture-shock". We did find that things had changed somewhat while we were gone. Nieces and nephews grew up and brothers and sisters grew older. We are so glad that none of this happened to us, we seem to have stayed the same. So what if a little hair is missing, that's probably due to the change in climate and those lines on my face, they're just creases from smiling all the time.



Seriously speaking, we do admit that we've aged a bit (admit it or not, it is still a fact). We just pray that we have also grown in grace and experience. We pray that those years of our first term have matured us in some degree to make us more effective and efficient in the years to come.

Charlene and I want to thank all of you who have prayed for us and contributed to our work during this first term. God was faithful and blessed us greatly through you.

Just before returning to the U.S. we visited Brother and Sister John Hatcher in Garca, Brasil. The Hatchers are very busy in starting new churches and building new buildings. We would like to ask you all to pray for them as they truly need a rest and finances to finish a couple of church buildings before they can return home. It has been nearly fifteen years since they have been able to take a full furlough. Please keep them in mind as you pray and give.

We have already begun to visit supporting churches and share what God has been doing in Curitiba, Brasil. We are looking forward to seeing all of you as we make our way to the various churches and conferences.

In Christ's love,
 Bobby and Charlene Wacaser

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Lady Saved at Varzea Grande. . .
Getting Paper Work Done for New Work. . .
Buy Land for Work. . .

by Harold Draper

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Brazil, S.A.

Dear Fellow Saints,

The Lord is working in our midst. Last night I had the privilege to preach at the Faith Baptist Church is Varzea Grande as they celebrated their 10th anniversary. A lady in her 30's was saved who had been coming for some time. It topped off the day as everyone there had been praying for some time that the Lord would save her. Last Sunday night I preached at the Good Hope Baptist Church, as it was "Pastor's Day" here among the Baptist churches in Brazil. I preached concerning the office, responsibility, and care of the pastor. The church is building a parsonage and is trying to take care of their Brazilian pastor for the first time. I am trying to encourage them in this.



Harold Draper

Good Hope Baptist Church with the help of Bro. Creiglow will open up a new mission in about 15 days. I will work there with them for a while while I get all the documents completed for our first new work. The Lord is opening the door for us to buy property to soon open up our first new work. It is in a place that is centrally located within reach of many thousands of people on one of the main roads. It will take some time to get the building permit due to some complications, but we hope to begin construction by September. We had to pay more for the lot than we had anticipated which will cause us to come up short about \$2,000. We are confident that the Lord will supply this need. If the Lord so leads, please remember the Draper New Work Fund.

We want to thank those who gave last month to help us buy furniture. We haven't yet gotten the Mission Sheet, thus, we don't know who you are. But, we appreciate it. We have about gotten our house furnished except some repair work and curtains etc. Things are so expensive, but the Lord has been good. Remember to pray for us.

In Him,
Harold Draper



Group who came from Chavinillo, Peru to see Baptism of five more converts.
Brother Crain's Work



A chapel under construction for new preaching point
of Brother Paul Hatcher's work in Manaus, Brazil.

Churches Visited. . .
16 Professions of Faith in Work in Philippines. . .
Bible School Begins New Year. . .

by Dana Adams

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June 30, 1988
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Dear Co-Laborers in Christ,

My wife and I started out the month of June by assisting the South Lexington Baptist Church in their Daily Vacation Bible School, Ed Overbey, Pastor. We appreciated the opportunity in having a part in this endeavor.

During this month I have had the privilege of being with the following churches: Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Ross Range, Pastor; Bible Baptist Church, Carl Frensey, Pastor, Hendersonville, Tn.; College Heights Baptist Church, Gallatin, Tn. and also with the Bethel Baptist Church, Williams, Ind., Stephen Bratcher, Pastor.



Dana Adams

Recently I received a letter from our pastor and church in the Philippines which I would like to share with you.

"For the month of May we averaged 30 to 40 in attendance despite the rainy season. We had 20 visitors and 6 professions of faith and three were baptized. A special service for the children resulted in 10 professions of faith. For all these blessings we give God the praise."

Our Bible School (Baptist Faith Seminary) started today, June 14th, with 10 students present. The subjects being taught: Bible Survey, Evangelism, Teaching Techniques, Christian Ethics, and Music Fundamentals and Conducting."

In closing, may I encourage you to pray for our work in the Philippines, that the Lord may continue to bless and for me and my wife, as we seek His will for our lives.

In His Name,
Dana Adams

Came To States for Two Weeks. . .
Begin Services at Santa Rosa. . .
Report on River Travels. . .
Several Professions of Faith. . .

by Mike Creiglow

Caixa Postal 24
Cruzeiro do Sul, Acre 69.980
June 20, 1988

Dear Brethren,

This has been a longer month than usual. Beverly and I spent two weeks in the U.S. She had some tests run and we are thankful that all is well. While there I bought some much needed equipment. We also got to see or at least talk to several members of our family. It was great to be with the Central Baptist Church in several services. Special thanks to their pastor, Demas and Brenda Brubacher took lots of time out from their busy schedules to help us. The very first week we were there Demas went with us to Memphis 4 days in a row.



Mike Creiglow

The work here did very well while I was away and is still doing fine now that I am back!

Our attendance has been good in the evening services, if not so good on Sunday mornings. Last night we had over 300 and one teen girl was saved.

Brothers Edson and Amadeu have started to have Sunday morning services

at Santa Rosa. They continue to work the other 3 preaching points on Saturday night. There are usually 3 families that travel together. These couples are all in their late 20's or early 30's. They take care of 4 villages each weekend.

Brother Carlos continues to travel down the Jurua. He takes care of the Church at Sacado and the congregation at Guajara. Last weekend he was not able to go, because his wife was ill. Adam and 2 other young men went down to fill in for him. One of the boys preached. Adam is not a preacher, but does run the boats, leads singing and conducts devotions. They did a good job.

Last month I told you that one of our older preachers, Brother Jose Bandeira, has been holding services at the penitentiary. He reports that 3 inmates have made professions of faith. He is also taking care of the preaching point at a suburb called Cruzeiroinho. There have been 7 professions of faith there in the past few weeks.

Last week we had a great blessing. Pastor John Mark Hatcher, wife, and 5 others from his church were with us. It was a real boost for us. Our people enjoyed them.

God bless you all.

In Christ,
Mike Creiglow

Baptized 15. . .
Many Professions of Faith. . .
Addyston Baptist Church Visits the Work. . .

by Asa Bratcher

Caixa Postal 227
Manaus, Amazonas, 69.011
Brazil, S. A.

June 20, 1988

Dear Brethren,

Another busy month has gone by us already. We are constantly reminded that "only what's done for Christ will last".

The Lord has blessed us in many ways. During the last two months I have baptized 15; two of those for the Mission Point at Armando Mendes. We have had an average of over 300 in Sunday School with a high of 403. Also there are usually over 300 in the evening services. The Lord has blessed with some thirty professions of faith and three coming by letter.



Asa Bratcher

Last month I had the privilege of bringing the Anniversary Sermon for the Sao Lázaro Baptist Church, as they celebrated their 23rd birthday. Last Saturday, I preached in one of our member's parents' home, celebrating his 28th birthday. Almir has only been saved a little over eighteen months, but is very faithful and concerned with his family's salvation, as they are staunch Catholics. But we were well received and the Lord blessed with one profession of faith.

During this week we are happy to have Stephen and Saleth and a group from the Addyston Baptist Church with us, visiting the work. Stephen will share the details of this trip with you. Do continue to pray for us here as we strive to continue faithfully on. Brasil is really in an economic as well as a spiritual mess. Inflation is over 400% a year and gasoline just went up yesterday to almost \$3 a gallon. Times are difficult but in the Lord we will overcome.

In His Service,
Asa Mark, Lucy, Marcia, Lucy Marie

Four Professions of Faith at New Hope. . .
Brother Silvester Called to Pastor at Peritoro. . .
Construction Projects Going On. . .

by George Bean

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Brasil, S.A.

June 15, 1988

Dear Brethren,

"Beside those things that are with out, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches" 2 Cor. 11:28.

New Hope Baptist Church. Bro. Hildomar the new pastor has proved to be a blessing. There have been four professions of faith, one baptized, five reconciliations. We are busy plastering Sunday School rooms and Monday we will start the apartment for Bro. Hildomar.



George Bean

Peritoro Baptist Church. The Church has called Bro. Silvester as pastor and he has accepted. This relieves me to be free to be in the churches on Sundays, etc. June and I have been to Peritoro Baptist May 15, May 22 and June 12. Bro. Silvester has been with them the other service. May 26, June and I and our two grandchildren went by bus to Fortaleza. We were met by brethren Bobby Aldridge and Dave Zhurs. We were soon at

Bro. Aldridge's house. Sunday, May 29 at 3 p.m. a new church was organized out of the Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. This mission work was under the direction of Bro. Aldridge. Brother Sostenes Nunes de Melo was called as pastor until they can call some one else. We were sorry to hear that the Aldridges and Zhurs were moving back to the States. May God bless them both as they seek to serve Him.

Anajatuba. June 11 was the first anniversary of the church. Bro. Hildomar preached with one profession of faith. Also on Sunday there was one profession of faith.

Cantanhede. I have made two trips there, May 24 and June 14. Bro. Satu the pastor is building a building there. I now have construction projects going at two places and will soon start the meeting house at Anil Mission.

This month God's traveling mercies have been with us and we have been blessed to be in God's churches. Also Saturday afternoon I am teaching in our Bible Institute.

If some church or person would like to help us with a special offering on one of our projects, it is needed at this time and will be used as we receive it. May God bless all.

Yours to tell the Old Story,
George and June Bean

Unable to Return to Brazil as Planned Due to Illness. . . Needs Explained. . . Set to Return in July. . . Churches Visited. . .

by Harold Bratcher

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June 21, 1988

Dear Brethren,

In last month's (May 20, 1988) Mission Sheet letter we wrote the following: "The Lord willing, we'll arrive back in Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil, S. A. on the morning of the 14th of June." It causes me sadness to report that we were not able to return on that day due to my health. About a week before we were to travel, I felt so bad and weak that I returned to our doctor at the Lexington Clinic. He examined me and informed me that I had a kidney infection. He prescribed an antibiotic and told me he needed to see me again after a week. Therefore, we cancelled our trip for the 13th. I returned last Wednesday (June 15) and he said I was well of the kidney infection and could return to Brazil. The Lord willing, we will leave on the 6th of July. Pray for us, as I am still suffering at times from an ulcer in my stomach. We are happy to report that Marie is enjoying a reasonable portion of health and strength.



Harold Bratcher

When we arrive we will have to stay with Asa Mark and family until we can get the house we have lived in since 1965 and that we are now buying from the Mission, fixed up. Back in January a tree in the yard fell on the roof causing much damage. Asa Mark sent us an estimate that it will cost us around \$3,500 to get it repaired, painted and put in living condition again. We are thankful to the Lord for those of you who have helped us with special gifts that will be used on that project. May the Lord touch the hearts of others of you to give to Bratcher's Buildings so that soon we will be able to have our house in liveable condition and from there be able with what continues to come in for Bratcher's Buildings to help the 17th of August Baptist Church in their building program. As of yet, no one has responded with an offering designated for that church. We are happy to report that

Stephen and Salete with the 14 "heroes to Brazil" from the Addyston Baptist Church were able to make the trip. They should arrive back in the U.S.A. on the 27th of June.

We are grateful to the Lord that we were able to fulfill our appointments with the churches here in the U.S.A. On Saturday night (May 21st) and Sunday morning, we were with the Bible Baptist Church - Art Donley, pastor - Harrisburg, Illinois. That Sunday night we were with the First Baptist Church of Henderson, Ky. where David Bratcher is the pastor. On Wednesday night, May 25th through Sunday morning, May 29th, I was the evangelist in a revival at the East Corbin (Corbin, Ky.) Baptist Church, Tony Herald, pastor. That Sunday night, I preached at the Faith Baptist Church, Girdler, Ky. where Lonnie V. Poynter is the pastor. Wednesday, June 1st found us once again with the Brooksbury Baptist Church for a special farewell service. Bro. James Sparks is the pastor. Brooksbury is near Madison, Ind. That Friday night, once again with the Glen's Creek Baptist Church, we were, for a special farewell service.

Sunday morning, June 5th we were with the Carr's Chapel Baptist Church, Morganfield, Ky. where Lawrence Howard is the pastor. Tuesday night, June 7th I taught the Adult Class of the Vacation Bible School at the Calvary Baptist Church of Richmond, Ky. where Bobby Greene is the pastor. From Wednesday night, June 8th through the following Sunday night I was the evangelist in a revival at the Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V. where Bro. Sidney Fisher is the pastor. Last Sunday morning we were with the Elk Lick Baptist Church, Booneville, Ky. where Bro. Charley Wilson is the pastor.

Once again we ask you to pray for us. The Lord permitting, once again our address will be: Harold & Marie Bratcher, Caixa Postal 227 - 69.011 Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil, S.A. Telephone number complete to call us from the States - 011-5592-611-2331. Continue to pray for us and give to the regular fund of B. F. M. as well as to our funds. May the Lord bless you is our prayer.

Yours in His Service,
Harold and Marie Bratcher



Morning Service - Thanksgiving Conference, Tingo Maria, Peru. Brother Crain's Work

Over 2 Million Make Pilgrimage to Sacred Waters. . . Please Pray for New Works. . . Holding Bible Studies in Philippine Military Camp. . .

by John Henderson

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Cainta, Rizal, Philippines 1900

June 5, 1988

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We have been extremely busy this month. God has blessed the two new missions, greatly. We rejoice in God's goodness. But, as usual, Satan has also been busy attacking these new works. Both missions are in the midst of Roman Catholic fanatics. The Roman Catholic Church at Antipolo, has just had its busiest month, with over two million people making their pilgrimage to the church. Most walking over 15 miles one way, to seek Mary's help or some miracle from the sacred waters at the church. Satan has enslaved these people by his church and its teachings. But, we know God has a people for us, so in spite of the obstacles, we press on, preaching the gospel of Christ which is the power of God unto salvation for these religious, enslaved Filipinos.



John Henderson

Please pray for these new works. Also, remember to pray for each missionary. We get homesick, and discouraged.

Write your missionaries. Proverbs 15:23, 16:24. "A word spoken in due seasons, how sweet it is." I must say it is sweet to receive letters from folks. Yes, church members, adults or children, your letters encourage us. We like to know you are praying for us, and the work God has called us to do. I want to challenge you to choose and adopt a missionary, write them, pray for them daily. By doing so you will be blessed and so will the missionary. We are your missionaries. Read the mission sheets, remember the needs of each missionary and pray that those needs will be met. We must all become involved in getting the gospel to the lost. If you are financially able to help with a need and the Lord leads you to do so, Praise the Lord. If you are not, you can help by prayer. It takes us all doing what we can, each job is important.

God has opened the door to a Philippine Military Camp near our mission at Antipolo. We are holding Bible studies every Saturday Morning from 9-11. God has really blessed us in the studies. The men are enjoying the studies and God is changing lives. We have over 100 men every Saturday. Some times it is a different group because of their work details. We praise God for the opportunity to teach these Marines about The King of Kings and Lord of Lords.

Missionary John Henderson

Several Parents of Students Saved. . . 125 In the Seminary. . . The Story of Miguel and Silvana

by Paul Hatcher

June 27, 1988

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are now concluding the first semester of the present school year in the elementary and junior high school. We are seeing clear evidence of the Lord's blessings. Several Parents of school children have been saved, one was saved yesterday. We have also witnessed the salvation of about 30 of the students.

Tabernacle Baptist Church is now in a three week evangelistic thrust. Yesterday, 16 individuals professed their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Last week, five others were saved. This is what it is all about. The church missions are also doing well.

The Seminary is doing very well. We have 125 students. With an increase in the staff, we are now able to have classes four days per week and offer majors in Pastoring, Missions, Youth Pastoring, Christian Counselling, Christian Education, and Music. The latest addition to our staff is Miguel Fortes. The way in which God brought him to us is a story that will cause you to rejoice with us.

Miguel and his wife Silvana are Brazilians of German extraction. Both were born and reared in the southernmost state of Brazil, Rio Grande do Sul. Miguel and Silvana were Lutherans by the choice of their families, baptized as infants. They were both saved during their teen years. Miguel felt called to do mission work and went to a Lutheran Seminary. Through personal Bible study, Miguel came to the conviction that the Lutheran Church was in error in a number of areas.



Paul Hatcher

Miguel became so strongly convicted that he wrote his Graduate Thesis on Scriptural Adult Baptism by Immersion. After some years in the ministry, his zeal for missions resulted in his being given the choice of working with Spanish minorities in the United States or in the Amazon. Just as they were anticipating the birth of their second child, Miguel and Silvana moved to the Amazon. Miguel was placed in charge of Lutheran works in several cities of northern Brazil.

Last year, Miguel and his wife attended church of the first time while my Brother John was speaking for us in the special meetings commemorating the anniversary of Tabernacle Baptist. They were invited by one of the young ladies of our church who had befriended them. Miguel and Silvana began attending our services and a Bible Study in the home of David and Pennie Hatcher. Simultaneously, the Lutheran Church (of Brazil) began pressuring Miguel to do less evangelism and more social work. Miguel resigned his position, left the Lutheran Church and he and Silvana were recently baptized and received as members of Tabernacle Baptist Church.

When Miguel resigned from the Lutheran Church they lost their home, car, furniture and support. The decision was a firm though costly one. Miguel is a stronger and more knowledgeable Baptist than many who have been Baptist for years. He is also a good Greek and Hebrew, and Bible teacher. He is an excellent preacher. He is now serving in our church and as a Seminary teacher. Pray for Miguel, they need transportation, etc. They are joyfully trusting the Lord to provide.

Continue to pray for us. Give as God enables you. The additional staff has increased the Seminary Budget. May the Lord bless you richly.

Your fellow servant,
Ranaah P. Hatcher



Brother Miguel Fortes preaching
at preaching point in Manaus, Brazil
Brother Paul Hatcher's Work



Two Ladies who were baptized
in the river at Chavinillo, Peru
Brother Crain's Work.

Report on New Work at Novo Diamantino. . . Varzea Grande to Celebrate 10th Anniversary. . . Good Hope Going Well - Several Saved. . .

by Bobby Creiglow

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Brazil

June 16, 1988

Dear Brethren,

We have been praying for a long time that the Lord would give us at least 35 souls within the first two months of our new work. Although many have heard the word since we started, as yet we have not had any professions of faith that even seem to be real. We did receive seven from several churches, either by letter or statement and they are four men and three women. We still have another week to complete the two months, we are a long way from our goal. We are having around 25 in our services, even on Wednesday night. As yet, we have not been able to work as we should, so perhaps it will take longer than we had hoped to build a congregation. We hope we will be able to organize a church before the end of the year.



Bobby Creiglow

We bought a small house in Novo Diamantino where we are working and have painted it inside and out. We are now maintaining two homes and since we opened the new work, Betty and I have not unpacked our suitcases. We go to Diamantino on Wednesday, returning to Cuiaba Thursday night and then all four of us go there on Saturday after the girls get out of class. We come back to Cuiaba Sunday night after services so that the girls can be in class on Monday morning. All is going well other than we are not having enough time there to work as we should.

The Faith Baptist Church is Varzea Grande that we organized on June 20, 1978 will celebrate their tenth anniversary this coming Sunday and have asked me to preach for them in the morning service. After the service we will have lunch with the church and then go to Diamantino for the night service.

The Good Hope Church is doing well under the leadership of their new pastor and have had several saved since he took over. They now have their parsonage about finished and he is to bring his family soon.

Things are going pretty well with us and trust they are also for all of you

In His Name,
Bobby D. Creiglow

June Offerings, 1988

Beech Grove Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, Ky.	20.00
Bohon Road Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky.	175.00
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, W.V.	100.00
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, W.V.	100.00
(Henderson New Work-Rent)	
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Oh.	678.42
Calvary Baptist Church, Nitro, W.V.	300.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, Oh. (Wacaser)	25.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	426.18
Carr Baptist Church, York, Ky.	20.00
Carr Baptist Church, York, Ky. (Founders Month Off)	325.50
Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Nicholasville, Ky. (Bean)	45.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, S.C.	275.00
Crooked Fork Baptist Church, Gassaway, W.V.	50.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	200.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	25.00
(Hatcher's Bldg.)	
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Charleston, W.V.	50.00
Elk Lick Baptist Church, Bonneville, Ky.	38.40
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, Ms.	120.12
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In.	800.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In.	49.11
(Jr. C-Stanton's Bldg.)	
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In.	12.00
(College Career C-Hatcher's Bldg.)	
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Oldtown, Ky.	107.00
Faith Baptist Church, Stoy, Ill.	100.00
Faith Baptist Church, Waseon, Oh.	40.00
(Draper's Personal Needs)	
First Baptist Church, Covington, Oh. (Wacaser)	25.00
First Baptist Church, Island City, Ky.	50.00
First Baptist Ch. of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl.	100.00
(Crain's New Work)	
Goldfoss Baptist Chapel, Winston-Salem, N.C.	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Annville, Ky.	10.00
Grace Bible Mission, Crystal Springs, Ms.	60.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, Oh.	300.00
Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Letter Gap, W.V.	165.00
Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Letter Gap, W.V.	165.00
(Henderson)	
Harmony Baptist Church, Camden, Tn.	174.93
(Crain's New Work)	
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl.	100.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl.	99.10
(J. Hatcher's New Work)	
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl.	143.20
(Henderson's New Work)	
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.	100.00
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, Fl.	60.00
Kanawha Baptist Temple, Charleston, W.V. (Crain)	40.00
Kanawha Valley Baptist Church, Eleanor, W.V.	30.00
(Henderson)	
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi.	1,075.37
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Draper's Needs)	35.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Bapt. Seminary)	30.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi.	13.00
(Stanton's Tuition)	
Landmark Baptist Church, Winchester, Ky.	150.00
(Bratcher, Hatcher, Crain)	
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, Oh. (Bratcher)	40.00
Lily Valley Baptist Church, Rainelle, W.V.	50.00
Little Sewell Baptist Church, Rainelle, W.V.	150.00
Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	200.00
(Shendan Stanton's Bldg.)	
New Hope Baptist Church, Bloomington, Ill.	20.00
New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, Ca.	30.00
(B. Creiglow's Bldg.)	
North Ballard Baptist Church, Wickliffe, Ky.	189.21
North 42nd St. Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky.	123.45
(Bratcher's Personal Needs)	
Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, Fl. (Bratcher's Bldg.)	79.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl.	350.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (Hatcher's Bldg.)	25.00
Poplar Creek Baptist Church, Leighton, Al.	200.00
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V. (Bean's Work)	190.00
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V.	50.00
(Henderson's Personal Needs)	
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V.	44.07
Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.	100.00
Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C. (Henderson)	50.00
Salem Baptist Church, Grayson, Ky.	150.00
Second Baptist Church, Ravenswood, W.V. (Henderson)	35.00
South Irvine Baptist Church, Irvine, Ky.	30.00
Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, Fl. (Wacaser)	500.00
Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, Fl.	25.00
Stoney Run Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky. (Bratcher)	17.92
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, Oh.	1,911.10
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, Oh. (Car Fund)	200.00
Temple Baptist Church, Cincinnati, Oh.	160.00
(B. Creiglow, M. Creiglow, H. Bratcher, J. Hatcher)	
Tuppers Valley Baptist Church, Charleston, W.V.	59.00
Tuppers Valley Baptist Church, Charleston, W.V. (Henderson)	59.00
Valley View Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	5.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V.	502.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V.	48.00
(Stanton's Tuition)	
West End Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	20.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh.	100.00
(B. Creiglow Bldg.)	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh.	100.00
(Bratcher's Bldg.)	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Stanton's Bldg.)	100.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Bapt. Seminary)	200.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Wacaser)	100.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, N.C.	75.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mi.	40.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	48.00
(Mrs. Sallee's C-Stanton's Tuition)	
Berea Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tn.	30.00
Berea Baptist Church, Hiddente, N.C.	70.00
Bethlehem Baptist Church, Star City, Ar.	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tn.	100.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Ill.	449.40
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Ill.	15.00
(Stanton's Tuition)	
Calvary Baptist Church, Summersville, W.V.	40.00
Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarville, W.V.	30.00
Cressmont Baptist Church, Beattyville, Ky.	20.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	500.00
(Founders Month Off)	
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, W.V.	69.42
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Hurricane, W.V.	65.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl. (Stanton)	30.00
Emmaus Baptist Church, Fancy Farm, Ky.	48.94
Emmaus Road Baptist Church, Craigsville, W.V.	35.00
Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, Ky.	25.00
Fellowship Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky. (Bean)	50.00
First Baptist Church, Coffeen, Ill.	10.00
First Baptist Church, Niles, Ill.	170.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, Ky.	100.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, Ky.	25.00
(Hatcher's Bldg.)	
Grace Baptist Church, Holly, Mi.	365.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	50.00
(Bratcher's New Work)	
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	50.00
(Creiglow's New Work)	
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	50.00
(B. Creiglow's Car)	
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	50.00
(J. Hatcher's Car)	
Harmony Baptist Church, Pine Bluff, Ar.	35.00
(Draper's New Work)	
Harpizibah Baptist Church, Glenview, W.V.	30.00

Immanuel Baptist Church, Riverview, Mi.	100.00
Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tusculum, Al.	75.34
Mansfield Baptist Church, Mansfield, Oh.	50.00
Maranatha Baptist Church, Decatur, Al.	10.00
Meadow Bridge Baptist Church, Meadow Bridge, W.V.	50.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	91.00
(M. Creiglow)	
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Stanton)	47.00
Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, W.V.	30.00
(Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assn.)	
Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, W.V.	30.00
(Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assn.)	
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Grafton, Oh.	200.00
(Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assn.)	
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Grafton, Oh.	200.00
(Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assn.)	
Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Sadieville, Ky.	35.00
Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Sadieville, Ky.	64.00
(Stanton's Tuition)	
Open Door Baptist Church, Jonesborough, Tn.	60.00
Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Plains, Tn.	139.00
Roselawn Baptist Church, Middletown, Oh.	30.00
Smyrna Baptist Church, Courtland, Al.	496.14
Victory Baptist Church, Wickliffe, Ky. (Draper)	30.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V.	800.00
(Bratcher Personal Needs)	
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	1,314.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	36.09
(Stanton's Tuition)	
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	18.00
(Manaus Tuition)	
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky.	20.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky. (Korean work)	10.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky. (Henderson)	10.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky. (Bean)	10.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, Ky.	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tn.	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tn.	25.00
(M. Creiglow)	
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tn.	25.00
hml2(P. Hatcher-Bapt. Seminary)	
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	500.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Ky.	20.00
East Maine Baptist Church, Glenview, Ill.	400.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	950.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky. (Bapt. Seminary)	50.00
Grandview Baptist Church, Redhouse, W.V. (Henderson)	100.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, Ky.	553.83
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	1,200.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	220.00
(Founders Mo. Off.)	
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	50.00
(Bapt. Seminary)	
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	100.00
Twinbrook Hill Baptist Church, Hamilton, Oh.	50.00
(Bratcher's Personal Needs)	
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	2,139.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Bapt. Seminary)	165.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	15.00
(Stanton's Tuition)	
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	70.00
(Stanton Bldg.)	
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	25.00
(Henderson's New Work)	
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Creiglow, Lancaster, Oh.	25.00
(B. Creiglow's Bldg.)	
Mr. & Mrs. John Hart, Culloden, W.V.	50.00
(C. Bratcher's needs on Mission Field)	
Ann Orrick, Ironton, Oh. (Hatcher's Bldg. Fund)	120.00
A Friend(Hatcher's New Work)	40.00
James & Elizabeth Sims, Hattiesburg, Ms.	100.00
James & Elizabeth Sims, Hattiesburg, Ms.	30.00
(Hatcher's Bldg.)	
Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Spicer, Normal, Ill.	100.00
(Hatcher's New Work)	
Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Spicer, Normal, Ill.	100.00
(Hatcher's New Work)	
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hatcher, Alexandria, Ky.	200.00
(Hatcher's New Work)	
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hatcher, Alexandria, Ky.	50.00
(P. Hatcher's Seminary)	
Mr. & Mrs. Lee Cossin, Leon, W.V.	50.00
(Henderson New Work)	
Tommy Albritton, Hurricane, W.V. (Stanton's Tuition)	15.00
Martha Hamblin, Lexington, Ky. (Stanton's Tuition)	16.00
Roy & Cheri Jaeger, Valrico, Fl.	1,700.00
(Wacaser's Trans. while in States)	
W. T. Burleson, Knoxville, Tn.	10.00
Marguerite Hallum, Hammond, La.	50.00
Bro. & Mrs. Homer Crain, Peru, S.A. (Stanton)	10.00
Bro. & Mrs. Harold Bratcher, Lexington, Ky.	100.00
(In Memory of Sherman Moore)	
Leola Sprouse, Richmond, Va. (Henderson)	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. G. F. Hall, Pennington Gap, Va.	10.00
A Friend	425.00
Bro. & Mrs. Olla Arbogast, Pt. Pleasant, W.V.	100.00
Texas Friends	100.00
Mr. & Mrs. M. D. Hanna, Liberty, W.V. (Henderson)	35.00
Bro. Elton Wilson (B.B.C.), Beulah, Ky.	125.00
Received for Car Fund	200.00
Received for Korean Work	10.00
Received for Bean's Funds	190.00
Received for Bratcher's Fund	1,252.45
Received for Homer Crain's Funds	274.93
Received for Bobby Creiglow's Funds	205.00
Received for Mike Creiglow's Funds	50.00
Received for Draper's Funds	110.00
Received for John Hatcher's Funds	826.10
Received for Paul Hatcher's Funds	588.00
Received for Henderson's Funds	368.20
Received for Stanton's Funds	689.20
Received for Wacaser's Funds	1,700.00
Received for Regular Fund	23,792.36
Received for all purposes	30,256.24

OFFERINGS FOR CAR FUND, JUNE	
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, Oh.	200.00

OFFERINGS FOR KOREAN WORK, JUNE	
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky.	10.00

OFFERINGS FOR BEAN'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V. (work)	190.00

OFFERINGS FOR BRATCHER'S FUNDS, JUNE	
North 42nd Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky.	123.45
(Personal Needs)	
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V.	800.00
(Personal Needs)	
Twinbrooks Hill Baptist Church, Hamilton, Oh.	50.00
(Personal Needs)	
Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, Fl. (Buildings)	79.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Buildings)	100.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Work)	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. John Hart, Culloden, W.V.	50.00
(Needs on the Field)	
Total	1,252.45

Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, Fl. (Buildings)	79.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Buildings)	100.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Work)	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. John Hart, Culloden, W.V.	50.00
(Needs on the Field)	
Total	1,252.45

OFFERINGS FOR CRAIN'S FUNDS, JUNE	
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	100.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Camden, Tn. (New Work)	174.93
Total	274.93

OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Car)	50.00
New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, Ca. (Building)	30.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Building)	100.00
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Creiglow, Lancaster, Oh. (Building)	25.00
Total	205.00

OFFERINGS FOR MIKE CREIGLOW'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Work)	50.00

OFFERINGS FOR DRAPER'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Faith Baptist Church, Wauseon, Oh. (Personal Needs)	40.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Needs)	35.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Pine Bluff, Ar. (New Work)	35.00
Total	110.00

OFFERINGS FOR JOHN HATCHER'S FUNDS, JUNE	
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill. (Building)	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, Ky. (Building)	25.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (Building)	25.00
Ann Orrick, Ironton, Oh. (Building)	120.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In. (Building)	12.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl. (New Work)	99.10
A Friend (New Work)	40.00
James & Elizabeth Sims, Hattiesburg, Ms. (New Work)	30.00
Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Spicer, Normal, Ill. (New Work)	200.00
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hatcher, Alexandria, Ky. (New Work)	200.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Car)	50.00
Total	826.10

OFFERINGS FOR PAUL HATCHER'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Seminary)	30.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Seminary)	200.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky. (Seminary)	50.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Seminary)	50.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Seminary)	165.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, Tn. (Seminary)	25.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Seminary)	18.00
Mr. & Mrs. Hatcher, Alexandria, Ky. (Seminary)	50.00
Total	588.00

OFFERINGS FOR HENDERSON'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, W.V. (New Work-Rent)	100.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl. (New Work)	143.20
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Work)	25.00
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V. (Personal Needs)	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. Lee Cossin, Leon, W.V. (New Work)	50.00
Total	368.20

OFFERINGS FOR STANTON'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In. (Building)	49.11
Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky. (Building)	200.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Building)	70.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Building)	100.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Tuition)	13.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V. (Tuition)	48.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	48.00
(Tuition - Mrs. Sallee's c)	
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Ill. (Tuition)	15.00
Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Sadieville, Ky. (Tuition)	64.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Tuition)	36.09
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Tuition)	15.00
Martha Hamblin, Lexington, Ky. (Tuition)	16.00
Tommy Albritton, Hurricane, W.V. (Tuition)	15.00
Total	689.20

OFFERINGS FOR WACASER'S FUNDS, JUNE	
Roy & Cheri Jaeger, Valrico, Fl. (Trans. while in States)	1,700.00



Morning Services at Ventanilla, Peru
Brother Crain's Work



Street in front of the Church in the Philippines.
Brother Adam's Work