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by Paul Hatcher

June 30, 1989

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

By the time you receive this letter Tabernacle Baptist Church will have completed its forty first year of existence. This year, as usual, we are having special evangelistic services. We will report on these next month. The Lord has blessed this church and all of its missionary activities during the past year.

The schools will be out for mid-year break during the month of July (like your Christmas break). This gives us a chance to do some other missionary projects. The river continues to rise as it continues to rain. Most years heavy rains have stopped by the middle of June. The river is already well over its banks. This means that we will not get to build the mission building on the river for two or three months.



Paul Hatcher

I recently made a surprise visit to the Tabernacle Baptist Church of Boa Vista (near the border with Venezuela). I found the church in good shape. It was a blessing for me to see 150 people participating in the Sunday evening service. They have recently added Sunday School class rooms on the back and an apartment for their pastor. This church was started as a missionary effort of our church in 1983. They began to support their pastor completely within the first year. Gerson, the pastor, has been with them since the beginning. He is a graduate of the seminary. It is very encouraging to see a young national church moving forward the way the Lord intended.

We recently purchased another press at a very good price to enable us to keep up with our publishing.

Pray for us. We thank the Lord for your faithfulness.

In the Cause of Christ,
 Ranaah P. Hatcher



Sunday, April 2, 1989, Brother Silvester baptized five into Peritoro Baptist Church, Brazil. Brother George Bean's work.

First Baptist Church Celebrates 60th Anniversary . . . 14 Saved and Over 1200 Present . . . Profeta Dedicates New Building . . . 3 Saved . . .

by Bobby Creiglow

Caixa Postal 24
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 May 26, 1989

Dear Brethren,

The last week of last month I was privileged to be in Cuiaba, where my parents work. On Sunday I participated in the organization service of the new church at Diamantino. This is where my father has been working for some time. The town is about 130 miles north of Cuiaba. One of our own men, Brother Carlos, has been there since late last year to be prepared to take over the pastorate. It was also an honour to help in Brother Carlos' ordination. With all the activities, the week went all too quickly. It was great to be with my folks again and to have some time with Carlos and family, and our two girls Lucia and Eunice, who are there in college.



Mike Creiglow

First Baptist Church just celebrated her 60th anniversary. We held a five day meeting, May 10 through May 14. Our speakers were Pastor Wanderley from Chapada Baptist Church in Manaus, Pastor Paul Hatcher from Tabernacle Baptist Church and his associate, Brother Miguel

Fortes. We finished our auditorium just in time for the conference. The carpet we had bought over 2 months ago came in just the Saturday before the meeting was to begin. We got things in place in time though and the finished product really is nice. A cold front came through just before the meeting, bringing cool nights and perfectly clear skies. It just couldn't have been better. There were 14 people saved and 4 who came back to church confessing sin and making things right. The attendance was great, too. We had over 1000 present for the closing service and over 1200 for the anniversary service. That night there were people standing in the vestibules, aisles and in the streets. The rostrum was full of children - over 100. Unfortunately, many who arrived late and could not get in, turned around and went back home.

We shared the preachers with some of the other churches. They preached at Faith Baptist, Japiim, Maita and Mourapiranga.

On Sunday May 14 we went up river to the congregation at Profeta to dedicate the building there. There were over 150 inside the building for this first service and 3 people were saved. The brethren there prepared a big meal and fed everyone who came.

May God bless all of you at least as much as He has blessed us.

In Christ,
 Mike Creiglow

THE GENERAL FUND

All offerings are needed and greatly appreciated but none are more important than the offerings to the General Fund. All offerings not designated go to the General Fund. All salaries, regular monthly expenses of the missionaries, transportation, medical, etc., come out of the General Fund. We need \$30,000 a month in the General Fund just to break even. Please pray for this fund and give regularly to it. We are not averaging \$30,000 a month in this fund at present. We need your help in this matter.

Building at Chacara dos Pinheiros is Under Roof. . . Six Saved. . . Report on Other Works. . .

by Harold Draper

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June 19, 1989

Dear Brethren,

Greetings in the Precious Name of our Lord. We have had a good month. The building in Chacara dos Pinheiros is now under roof and is almost plastered. It is ready to start putting in the floor. We already have the new church pews built. Bob Creiglow was instrumental in this with the rest of us helping some. I still have to sand them and varnish them. We had 6 professions of faith at this work this month.



The work in Tijucal Harold Draper is about the same. They are having Wednesday night prayer service. We have not yet been able to finish the temporary building there. We hope to do this soon. The plan is to begin Thursday night services there. Our biggest holdup is our lack of a worker there. We invited one from another church but he declined. We are still praying about this. We desperately need help here. But we are confident that the Lord will provide in His time. So we will just keep on keeping on the best we can.

The work at the Boa Esperanca church is stable. Brother Bobby Creiglow preached for us last Wednesday night and we had a young man saved who has been attending off and on for years. All of us were overjoyed and I'm sure it was a boost to the Creiglows as they were preparing to leave for furlough. What a blessing to see the miracle of the new birth unfold. I had been noticing this young man for several weeks as the Lord seemed to be dealing with him.

Day before yesterday we took Brother and Sister Bobby Creiglow to the airport for their trip to the States. They worked very hard this past 4 years and certainly deserve this time of furlough. We will really miss them here in Cuiaba. We are praying that they will be back here with us at the scheduled time. Do pray for the young Brazilian family who are taking care of the work at Nova Diamantina. Because of the distance and our work load, I will not be able to see them more than once a month. They usually come here to town once a month to buy supplies.

We want to again thank each one for your support, whether financial or prayers. Do remember us as we come to mind as well as all your missionaries.

In Him,
 Harold M. Draper

REPORT FROM KOREA

Brother Seo Ku Lee writes to say the work in Korea is going well. He thanks all for their offerings each month.

Brother Carver was in Korea for two weeks in April to teach and preach. His work was greatly appreciated.

Brother Chung, pastor of the Shin Nae Baptist Church died in April. He was a faithful servant of the Lord.

Five students recently graduated from the Bible College.

Offerings have been used to help in the mission work started around Moon San by Faith Baptist Church.

There are plans to start a new mission this fall. A graduate from the Bible College will be working in this new work.

Costs are very high in Korea. Please pray and give to this work.



1989 Graduates of V.I. Baptist Academy. Virgin Islands, Brother Emmanuel Jagger-nauths work.

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Return Home for a Month. . . June's Mother Departs This Life. . . Visit Several Churches in USA. . .

by George Bean

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June 15, 1989

Dear Brethren:

I wrote in the April MS letter that our lawyer had gone to Brasilia to check on our permanent visas. He found that they were about to cancel our temporary visas, even though I had sent all the papers they had asked for. No one informed us that my Ordination Certificate had to be approved by the Brazilian Consul in Washington, D.C. April 21, we received a call that Claudia Ellen Steel had died. We tried to get June a reservation to go home to attend her mother's funeral but we could not get them until later. We then both decided to go for 30 days. I talked to my lawyer by phone from Sao Paulo and he told me I had to go the States to take care of this paper work. We arrived in Stevenson, Al. Thursday April 27. I called Washington and they told me I had to send the paper from Beattyville, Ky. as that was where we started the process. My brother and good friend John Combs was able to notarize the papers for me. I brought them back and they have already been sent to Brasilia. I hope we our permanent visas soon.

Sunday, April 30 we were at Hilltop Baptist Church, Beattyville, Ky. (with our pastor). I told them about our work in Brasil



George Bean

during Sunday school hour. They had a covered dish dinner (several) after services in the church basement. What a good time of fellowship we had. I was their pastor for six years. We stayed with the Kenneth Issac's family and were treated wonderfully.

Sunday, May 7 and 21, I was with Victory Baptist Church, Stevenson, Al. Brother Roy Venable is pastor. Cathy (our daughter) is a member at this church. I told about our work on Sunday night.

Sunday, May 14, we were with First Baptist Church, Bethalto, Ill., Pastor Charles West. Rick and Mary Ellen (son-in-law and daughter) are members at this church. I told about our work in the adult Sunday school class we attended.

Wednesday, May 24 we left June's dad's home at 6 A.M. for Atlanta-Miami and then to catch our flight for Brasil.

June spent most of her time with her father who is also ill. We miss her mother very much but we know that earth's loss is heaven's gain. Mrs. Steel was a member of Cave Springs Baptist Church, Stevenson, Al.

Since arriving back in Brasil, we have been quite busy. Two trips to Cantanhede and June 10 we went to Anajatuba all day for their anniversary of the church. 32 from Sao Luis chartered a bus and we came back to SL after services. I preached to a full house.

I am now installing doors and windows at our building at Anil Mission. Thanks to those who have given special offerings for our buildings. The need is great. May God bless all.

Yours to tell the Old Story
George & June Bean

Finish Work in Brazil for Furlough . . . Arrive in States and Visit Family . . . Ready to Come to Your Church . . .

by Bobby Creiglow

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June 25, 1989

Dear Brethren:

In my last letter I stated that on April 1, 1989 we organized the congregation at Novo Diamantino into the Faith Baptist Church and that should have been stated as April 23.

From the time of the organizing of the new church until June 17 we were very busy winding things up for furlough. We visited all the churches that are working with us and helped build twenty pews for the joint work of Bro. Draper and myself in the Chacara dos Pinheiros. On June 12 I finished my classes in our seminary and the students had a going away party for us. Some of the churches had parties and others gave us gifts. We had all of our things stored and ready to travel on Thursday before leaving Cuiaba on Satur-



Bobby Creiglow

day, giving us a day just to rest and visit on Friday. Brother Draper and his wife were very helpful in all of this and we are thankful unto them. All went well on our trip to the States and after long hours waiting in airports we arrived in Orlando, Florida right on time where we were met by our daughter, Brenda, and her family from South Carolina. We arrived Sunday afternoon at 1:30 and that night I preached for Pastor Doug King and the Park Ridge Baptist Church. On Monday, with the help of Bro. King we bought a car and then on Tuesday with the help of some of the members of that church we took Brenda and her family to Disney World. We traveled to South Carolina on Wednesday and then on to Lexington on Friday afternoon. We spent Friday night and part of Saturday with our daughter Ariene and family near Liberty, Ky. and will be going to Ohio to visit my mother soon and then on to Mississippi to visit our daughter Arlete and her family. We should be able to be reached at the above address after July 10.

Some time within the next two weeks we hope to get some rest.

In His Name
Bobby D. Creiglow



The walls beginning to go up on the Chacara dos Pinheiros Building in Cuiaba, Mato Grosso, Brazil.
Work of Bobby Creiglow and Harold Draper.



Solid Rock Baptist Mission Youth Singing a Special at Youth Fellowship Las Pinas, Philippines. There were over 500 Youth from 16 Churches Present.
Missionary John Henderson

Travel 28,000 miles During 10 Months to Tell About the Work . . . Soon to Return to Brazil . . . The Goal is 30 New Works in 5 Years . . .

by John Hatcher

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Dear Friends,

Ten months and almost 28,000 miles of car travel have passed since Alta and I returned to the States on August 18, 1988. We have had the privilege to visit 62 churches, speak at two seminaries, attend and speak at 7 conferences, conduct one outreach seminar, and Alta has spoken at 10 ladies meetings and ladies seminars.

By the time you read this letter we should be packed up and headed for Florida in route to Brazil and home. The Lord willing we should fly out of Miami or Orlando on the 31st of July or the 1st of August.

For the most part there was a renewed awareness among the churches visited concerning the carnal condition which prevails among most Christians and a desire to return to the real task of reaching the lost with the Gospel of Christ. We are thankful to God for the churches and



John Hatcher

individuals who have supported us and the other missionaries of Baptist Faith Missions with a determined loyalty through the years.

You will rejoice to know that in May at a special meeting there were 500 persons that came from the different mission points. On June 18th there were 8 persons baptized in Garca.

This term on the mission field will probably mark the final stretch of active missionary endeavor for Alta and I. In the next 5 years we are asking God to help us see 30 new works begun in 30 different cities, and at the end of five years there will be at least one work of Baptist Faith Missionaries in every State of Brazil.

You are vital to the success of our work in Brazil. May we commit ourselves to God as loyal partners in this gigantic task. Boaz, in the book of Ruth, dropped handsfull on purpose for Ruth the gleaner. Let us propose in our hearts to give our life and all for the purpose of making Jesus Christ known to those who have not heard.

For those who have given, and those who worked so hard to make the house where we have lived both beautiful and comfortable, we offer our sincere thanks.

In Him,
John and Alta Hatcher

Report on Mission Trips for The Month . . . Hope to Dedicate New Building of 17th of August Baptist Church Next Month . . . Souls Saved and People Rededicate Themselves. . .

by Harold Bratcher

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June 7, 1989

Dear Brethren,

This "Mission Sheet Month" I'm shortening (last month's letter was written May 15th). The reason is that, the Lord willing, Marie and I will leave Friday and not return until the 20th.

Saturday night, May 20th I preached at the Monte das Oliveiras Baptist Church where Osvaldo C. Rodrigues Filho is the pastor. At both services on Sunday, I preached at the 14th of December Baptist Church where Asa Mark Bratcher and I work together as pastors.

Thursday, May 25th, was a holiday. We had a service at the church from 8:00 to 8:30 that morning and then a small group of us made visits in homes throughout the day. Saturday, May 27th I performed two weddings at the church.

Sunday, May 28th, Marie wasn't able to go with me to morning worship at the church and had to miss that night when I preached at the 17th of August Baptist Church. 167 people filled the small building. The Lord blessed with some 8 rededications and two professions of faith. The



Harold Bratcher

church with Pastor Marivaldo hope to dedicate their new building, that is now in construction, on the 17th of August this year. Pray and give that it will come to pass as they plan. There are three couples waiting to be legally married so they can be baptized.

Last Friday, Marie and I left on a commercial boat and traveled to the New Jerusalem Baptist Church, Parana da Eva. There I preached Saturday night, Sunday morning and afternoon. We caught the boat back to Manaus at 20:00 and arrived at 6:00 Monday morning.

Marie is still in treatment for bronchitis. I hope that she will be able to make the trip with me to the Buzzard River. It has been two years since we were there. I'm afraid we'll find fewer Baptists there.

We thank you - faithful givers to B.F.M. Permit me to translate from my Portuguese Bible I Chronicles 29:3... "And more, because I love the house of my God, my gold and silver that I have I give for the house of my God..." Verse 5 asks - "Who is willing to fill his hand to give liberally unto the Lord?"

May the Lord be pleased to give us more through you giving to Baptist Faith Missions (regular and designated to Bratcher's Buildings, etc.) so that we'll have more to share with our beloved brethren and churches here.

Pray for us.

Yours In His Service,
Harold and Marie Bratcher

**Thankful to Be Back in USA. . .
Ready to Come to Your Church. . .
Thankful to All Who Have Helped. . .**

by John Henderson

32 Janette Drive
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June 10, 1989

Brethren:

We arrived in good ole U.S.A. May 29, after 31 hours spent traveling from the Philippines. We were so surprised by those who had gathered at the airport to welcome us home. When we came out of the arrival area they had made signs and cheered our arrival. What a welcome! We will never forget this act of kindness!

We are resting and enjoying the family and friends we missed so much. Homesickness is a sickness only being home can cure.

What a great country we Americans have! Oh, how thankful each of us should be that God allowed us to be born in a country of such blessings! We sometimes forget it was God who fixed our race, place of birth, how we look, etc. Each of us has a purpose; let us not forget to praise Him for his goodness to us.



John Henderson

We are anxious to share with each church how God has blessed our years in the Philippines to preach the glorious gospel of Jesus. If you would be interested in having us come and share our blessings with your church, please contact us at 1-304-755-1117 or write to us at 32 Janette Drive, Poca, W.V. 25159.

We thank each church for your faithfulness in providing the funds that made it possible for us to be a missionary to the Philippines. **Thank you, Directors of B.F.M.** who serve without pay to assist the missionaries. Praise God for each of you, for your labours of love. Today, there are multitudes serving in New Testament Baptist Churches around the world because of churches and pastors who are responding to the command of Matthew 28. In fulfilling that command, you have sent the gospel to the regions beyond. Thank you again. Please strive to do more so more missionaries can go and more can be done in the future. Don't become satisfied, don't feel what you do is not important - each soul is precious. He who sows little, shall reap little. He that goeth forth weeping shall doubtlessly come back rejoicing. Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say rejoice.

In His Name,
John M. Henderson

REPORT FROM WORK IN GUYANA

April 12, 1989

Dear Bro. Jaggernauth,

We greet you in the precious name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who bore our sins in His own body and by whose stripes we were healed. (1 Peter 2:24). It is our prayer that this note finds all of you rejoicing in the many blessings of our Lord.

The month of March was an especially good month to the work here, and we are thankful to our Lord for leading us through another month quite safely. Our attendance at both missions showed an improvement over the previous month and we were glad that more folks came to listen and fellowship with us. We had an average attendance of twenty-two at the No. 72 Baptist Mission while at Kingston we had an average of twenty-six. Three more people came to know Christ as Lord and saviour and were baptized into our membership on 89-03-21. This group of three included two brothers and a sister. Another individual also came by letter of transfer. It's a great blessing that our Lord has seen fit to add these souls to His church, and we request your prayers for them as young Christians. The baptismal service took place in the Corentyne River at which more than twenty-five folks gathered to witness.

During the month under review we were happy to have Bro. W. Brickner and Bro. Samaroo Sookraj to visit us. They arrived on 89-03-21 and left on 89-03-28. Bro. W. Brickner is our Academic Dean at the Virgin Islands Baptist Academy and faithful helper of the work in the West Indies while Bro. Samaroo Sookraj is a fellow missionary from Trinidad. He pastors the Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church in Fyzabad, Trinidad. During their short stay with us they were able to preach at both of our missions, as well as at the Landmark Baptist Church under the pastorate of Bro. Randolph Nagaur. We enjoyed having these two brothers with us and their visit was quite a blessing to the work here.

Our three girls and both of us are well and we are trying our best with the work the Lord has laid before us. In spite of difficulties the Lord is blessing and we are thankful. Recently there was a devaluation of the Guyana dollar and this led to an increase of the cost of living by 300%. Gasoline now sells for \$42.00 a gallon instead of \$13.00/gal. Most prices have jumped three times and this has led to strikes, protests, riots and other forms of unrests. Several trade union leaders and civilians have been arrested. We have encouraged our folks to strive to maintain Christ-likeness during this period of turbulence, and will appreciate your prayers for us in this direction.

We always remember you and your family in prayer and trust that our Lord is blessing your efforts as you faithfully serve Him. Kindly share our love and best regards to everyone. May God richly bless you.

Sincerely in Christ,
S. Punalall and Family

REPORT FROM CRUZ BAY, ST. JOHN, U.S.V.I.

May 22, 1989

Dear Pastors and Saints,

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. It is exciting to be serving the Lord!

We arrived safely from the Bible conference in Lexington. The fellowship was great, and the preaching was challenging and soul searching. Thanks to Bro. and Mrs. Hensley for meeting me at the airport, and keeping me in their home. My deep appreciation to Bro. and Mrs. Hamilton for making me feel so much at home during the time we were in Lexington.

How grateful we are to the many who had us in their churches: Pastors Lopspeich, Fehrman, Range, Greene, and Overby. Their hospitality was delightful and worshipping with them was not only a spiritual experience but also a joy.

Our work here was well managed by the men. The Bible School is filled with excitement as we look forward to graduation on May 27. Bro. George Lock of Plant City, Florida, and Bro. Bobby Greene of Richmond, Kentucky, are our guest speakers. They shall be teaching our students in the mornings and preaching in the evenings.

The end of this school year marks the end of Bro. Wayne Brickner's stay with us. He has been and is a great person and an excellent teacher. He has been a great brother to work with. He leaves on May 31 to join his wife. Pray much with us that the Lord will supply workers in this part of His vineyard. We need one couple to be house parents, and another as teachers. We cannot financially support anyone, but will be able to provide housing, and in the case of the house parents, both housing and meals.

V.B.S. is scheduled to begin on June 19 and the closing program is set for June 25. Fair Havens Camp will have its first group of children on June 26, and will continue for eight to ten weeks. We hope to reach 430 boys and girls. Thanks to you we now have 10 of the fifteen scholarships as of the above date. Our camp works with children from low income (poor) families, broken homes, and abused children who are neglected by their own families. Thanks to Bible Baptist Church in Plant City, Fla., Mt. Calvary Baptist Church of Charleston, W.V., for the different items they have sent for the camp. Those of you who have sent before and others who may yet send, we are very thankful to you for all your help, and the children who attend would be deeply grateful.

Thanks for your prayers and faithful support, and your continued involvement in the work here and the West Indies.

Yours in Christ,
Bro. E. Jaggernauth

A MISSIONARY WIFE WRITES FROM PUCALLPA, PERU

by Anita Stanton

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March 30, 1989

Dear Friends and Family:

Greetings once again from Peru! Today is Thursday, March 30th. School begins here on Monday, so if this letter does not get written today, it will probably be next March before completion!

It's hard to believe another school year is upon us. Seems we just finished the last year. During the "vacation time" (at least for the students) we stayed plenty busy with the construction of two new classrooms and bathroom facilities for the primary grades. This, among planning the year's schedules, interviewing and hiring teachers, planning bus routes, plus a thousand small things has filled the "vacation time" for us.

We are anticipating 700 students as last year, however, the economy is so bad now that many cannot pay tuition. All students are "supposed" to be enrolled by the end of March, but according to Peruvian "customs" the first several weeks of April always bring a flood of late arrivals and usually doubles the enrollment. Try to get away with that is the States!!

We are anxious for the year, and have set goals we hope to accomplish that will better relations for students, parents and teachers. We have made several changes in the format as far as religion classes are concerned and trust the Lord will use these to better reach the students.

I, along with a Peruvian teacher, will be teaching Bible in Primary. This consists of twelve classes, two classes each of Grades 1-6. This will be more hours than I have given in the past, but I feel it will be profitable. I hope to be able to form a children's choir, a new item for the school, and use them in special services and public events.

We are continually thankful for the good testimony our school carries. The entire town recognizes it as "the best school in Pucallpa." We realize this is possible only because it is a work of the Lord, and His hand is upon it. We ask your prayers for the work, students and teachers as we once again open our doors to many who need to hear and receive the Gospel.

A personal goal I have for the year is to start a weekly class for ladies. Many want to learn to cook "American" foods, so I have decided to combine a cooking class along with a Bible study. Many of the ladies who will come are not Christians, and I am praying that the Lord may use this to open their eyes and hearts.

The churches here are all doing well at the present time. We are passing through the rainy season so the rain at times hinders church attendance due to the fact many have to walk a long distance. The three established churches are doing well and one, Grace Baptist Church, is celebrating this week the first anniversary of a mission it has begun. Our mission work continues well. Sunday mornings are always well attended. The Children's Sunday School Class, which I teach, has grown to the point where we need to divide it in at least 3 sections. Our main problem is there are no workers. No one seems to feel the need to work or teach. However, according to reports from others, this seems to be a problem for other missionaries also. Our building is not completed yet; however, we are able to meet in it. It is MUCH larger than the cramped quarters we were in, and there have been no rats, spiders or chickens, at least not yet! We do have a few dogs join the service from time to time, but I can live with them better than the rats! Continue to pray we may be able to complete the building, and especially for more workers.

The family is fine; we are so thankful for God's blessing to us as He protects us daily and provides us with such good health. Sheridan is doing fine now from his bout with hepatitis. He is due for another set of blood tests. The last showed his blood levels a little above normal, so we trust this set will prove him to be normal.

The children continue to study at the Wycliff Base and are, as always, very content. They have enjoyed a good school year this year, and will finish at the end of May. Of course, they are looking forward to a little vacation too! Leah is now finishing fifth grade and Josh fourth grade. They are happy here and are becoming more involved with the works as they grow older. They are both very responsible children, and we are continually thankful for them.

Our pet family has grown also. We now have a new German Shepherd that is proving to be a very good watch dog, and have also added a cat. Added to the German Shepherd we already had, the cat has a little competition! However, the cat proves useful at night because he manages to catch and eat all the roaches and tiny lizards that enter the house! Earlier this year we had a cuy (a Peruvian guinea pig), but to me it looks like a big rat! Josh won this thing at the school carnival! There were pies, cakes, and an assortment of prizes, but what did he win - a guinea pig (rat)! Since these are raised and eaten as a special dinner for the Peruvians - Josh decided he wanted to go in business raising and selling cuy. Needless to say, I was not especially excited since my fear of rats outweighs spiders or any other creature. However, the cuy passed away and that's the last I've hear of the business adventure. I certainly don't plan to raise the subject, since for the time being it is forgotten!

We have hopes of several visitors this summer. My "adopted sister" Martha Hamblin, and possibly Sheridan's mom are planning a July visit. Marianne Shaw, from Florida, plans to be with us possibly in June. We anxiously look forward to these visits and others if anyone can come. Our doors are always open to any and all!

Many have written and asked of the political problems here. We do not like to dwell on this because often it instills needless fears in our friends and family so far away. However, our town has been the target of many bombings, riots, and problems lately. Many people have left seeking a "safer" place. There have been many mysterious killings and almost all the police stations are closed. The police themselves guard each other rather than the general public. However, we realize this is only one step more of the Communists to take control. In all the problems, no North Americans have been hurt. We feel it is not a danger also, but we know we are in God's hands and He is protecting us according to His will. When we see the news of all other countries in the world, we see the same violence everywhere. This is simply a sign of the times, and for us an encouragement to work harder realizing our time in Peru may be short. We ask that you not worry, simply pray that the political situation would improve and God will continue to protect our work and family.

Again we express thanks to each of you who support us financially and prayerfully. We thank you for your kind cards and letters and "try" to answer each personally, even if we delay a long time. Mail is ALWAYS welcome and adds a special moment to our days! We love you all and pray for you also.

In closing, I would like to add a special thanks to Park Ridge Baptist Church in Gotha, Florida, Pastor Doug King and his secretary/daughter, Susie, for their kindness in printing and mailing our letters to you. The mail system here is very unreliable and when Pastor King was with us last September, we talked of reaching you with our news in this manner. We are very grateful for their help, and have the assurance that letters will reach you through the mail system in the States.

Until our next newsletter, we trust you all will be blessed and will remember to put our prayer requests on your minds and hearts.

In Him,
Anita, Sheridan, Leah and Josh Stanton



February 1989, Harold Bratcher is preaching at Olinda mission in Brazil in a revival.

June Offerings, 1989

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Wacaser)	100.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Belleville, Mi.	100.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Jackson, Mi.	40.00
Arbogast, Bro. & Mrs. Olla, Pt. Pleasant, W.V.	100.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Designated)	100.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	1314.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky. (Bean)	10.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky. (Henderson)	26.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky.	20.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, Ky.	20.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, Ky.	50.00
Berea Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tn.	30.00
Berea Baptist Church, Hiddenite, N.C.	70.00
Bethel Baptist Church, Williams, In.	162.60
Bethlehem Baptist Church, Star City, Ark.	75.00
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tn.	150.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Ill. (Founders Day Off.)	2987.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Ill.	337.50
Bohon Road Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky.	175.00
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	500.00
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, W.V.	100.00
Burleson, W. T., Knoxville, Tn.	10.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Oh.	712.66
Calvary Baptist Church, Manaus, Brazil	21.05
Calvary Baptist Church, Nitro, W.V.	300.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, Oh. (Wacaser's)	25.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	318.92
Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Ky.	40.00
Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarville, W.V.	30.00
Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Nicholasville, Ky. (Bean)	87.50
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, S.C.	275.00
Crain, Bro. & Mrs. Homer, Peru, S.A. (Stanton)	10.00
Cressmont Baptist Church, Beattyville, Ky.	40.00
Crooked Fork Baptist Church, Gassaway, W.V.	50.00
Dean Road Baptist Church, Orlando, Fl.	25.00
East Corbin Baptist Church, Corbin, Ky.	50.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill. (Founders Day Off.)	600.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	158.00
Ebenezer Baptist Church, Orma, W.V.	10.00
Eign Baptist Church, Rogersville, AL.	186.39
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, W.V.	60.00
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Charleston, W.V. (Draper)	50.00
Elk Lick Baptist Church, Booneville, Ky.	37.94
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, Ms.	129.23
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In. (Children's Service)	32.30
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In.	1000.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Hurricane, W.V.	32.50
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl. (Stanton)	30.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Oldtown, Ky.	71.00
Emmaus Baptist Church, Fancy Farm, Ky.	59.48
Emmaus Road Baptist Church, Craigsville, W.V.	90.00
Ephesus Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, Ky.	65.00
Faith Baptist Church, Stoy, Ill.	50.00
Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, Ky.	50.00
Fellowship Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky. (Bean)	50.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	950.00
First Baptist Church, Covington, Oh. (Wacaser)	25.00
First Baptist Church, Island City, Ky.	50.00
First Baptist Church, Niles, Ill.	170.00
First Baptist Church, Port Norris, N.J. (Members)	500.00
Friend	420.00
Friends, Texas	400.00
Gerezi Baptist Church, Manaus, Brazil	49.08
Gethsemane Baptist Church, Marengo, Oh.	20.00
Goldfloss Baptist Chapel, Winston-Salem, N.C.	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Anville, Ky.	30.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, Oh.	350.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, Ky.	100.00
Grace Baptist Church, Holly, Miss.	365.00
Grace Bible Mission, Crystal Springs, Ms.	50.00
Hallum, Marguerite, Hammond, La.	50.00
Harbor View Baptist Church, Harbor View, Oh.	163.56
Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Letter Gap, W.V.	165.00
Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Letter Gap, W.V. (Henderson)	165.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl.	100.00
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.	100.00
I-20 Baptist Church, Darlington, S.C.	25.00
Immanuel Baptist Church, Riverview, Mi.	150.00
Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tusculum, AL.	120.32
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, Fl.	60.00
Kanawha Baptist Temple, Charleston, W.V. (Crain)	40.00
Kanawha Valley Baptist Church, Eleanor, W.V. (Henderson)	30.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi.	903.69
Landmark Baptist Church, Winchester, Ky. (Bratcher, Hatcher, Crain)	150.00
Liberty Road 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
Mansfield Baptist Temple, Mansfield, Oh.	50.00
Marantha Baptist Church, Decatur, AL. (B. Creiglow)	20.00
Meadow Bridge Baptist Church, Meadow Bridge, W.V.	50.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (M. Creiglow)	20.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Stanton)	11.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Gratton, Oh. (Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assn.)	600.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Bloomington, Ill.	20.00
New Jerusalem Baptist Church, Manaus, Brazil	79.87
North Ballard Baptist Church, Wickliffe, Ky.	140.10
Oliver, Paul B., Tusculum, AL.	200.00
Open Door Baptist Church, Jonesborough, Tn.	60.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl.	350.00
Poplar Creek Baptist Church, Leighton, AL.	200.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, Ky.	556.21
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V.	32.16
Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Flats, Tn.	25.00
Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, W.V.	90.00
(Thru Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assn.)	
Roselawn Baptist Church, Middletown, Oh.	30.00
Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.	100.00
Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C. (Henderson)	50.00
Second Baptist Church, Ravenswood, W.V. (Henderson)	35.00
Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, Ms.	120.00
South Irvine Baptist Church, Irvine, Ky.	30.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Founders Day Off.)	447.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	1200.00
Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, Fl. (Wacaser)	500.00
Sprouse, Leola, Richmond, Va. (Henderson)	10.00
Stoney Run Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky. (Bratcher)	14.88
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, Oh.	1,849.10
Tuppers Valley Baptist Church, Charleston, W.V.	39.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Wacaser)	5.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi.	2,063.00
Valley View Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	5.00
Victory Baptist Church, Wickliffe, Ky. (Draper)	30.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V.	297.00
West End Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	20.00
Wood, R. W., Tulsa, Ok.	100.00
Car Fund	200.00
Korean Work	60.00
West Indies	648.00
Bean	90.00
H. Bratcher	713.25
Crain	1,344.17
B. Creiglow	250.00
M. Creiglow	90.00
Draper	505.00
J. Hatcher	752.25
P. Hatcher	453.00
Henderson	514.50
Stanton	561.50
Wacaser	215.00
Regular Fund	26,640.04
Received for all purposes	33,036.71

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

OFFERINGS FOR KOREAN WORK, JUNE	
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, Ky.	10.00
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, Oh.	50.00
Total	60.00

OFFERINGS FOR WEST INDIES FUND, JUNE	
Dean Road Baptist Church, Orlando, FL. (S. Jaggernauth)	25.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Emmanuel Jaggernauth)	100.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (E. Jaggernauth Surgery)	118.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (V. Duncan)	25.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (Emmanuel Jaggernauth)	50.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (A. Katryan)	50.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (R. Borosa)	65.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (Baptist Academy)	35.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (Sentuma Jaggernauth)	30.00
Temple Baptist Church, Ocala, Fl. (V. Duncan)	25.00
Temple Baptist Church, Ocala, Fl. (Sentuma Jaggernauth)	25.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Emmanuel Jaggernauth)	100.00
Total	648.00

OFFERINGS FOR BEAN'S FUND, JUNE	
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Grace Bible Mission, Crystal Springs, Ms. (Bldg. Fund)	50.00
Total	90.00

OFFERINGS FOR HAROLD BRATCHER'S FUND, JUNE	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Bldgs.)	130.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Ky. (Love Off.)	35.25
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Friends of Christ Mission, Stout, Oh. (Bldgs.) (Founders Day Off.)	200.00
Friends, Ohio (Relief Fund)	130.00
Glen's Creek Baptist Church, Versailles, Ky. (Relief Fund)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Work)	50.00
Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, FL. (Bldg.)	78.00
Total	713.25

OFFERINGS FOR CRAIN'S FUND, JUNE	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (New Work)	100.00
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tn. (Car Repair)	250.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	100.00
Friends of Christ Mission, Stout, Oh. (New Work) (Founders Day Off.)	200.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Camden, Tenn. (New Work)	69.17
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (New Work)	525.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (New Work)	100.00
Total	1344.17

OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S FUND, JUNE	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Bldg.)	100.00
Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Frank, Lancaster, Oh. (Bldg.)	25.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Car)	50.00
New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, Ca. (Bldg.)	35.00
Total	250.00

OFFERINGS FOR MIKE CREIGLOW'S FUND, JUNE	
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (New Work)	50.00
Total	90.00

OFFERINGS FOR DRAPER'S FUND, JUNE	
Faith Baptist Church, Wauseon, Oh. (Personal Needs)	40.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Friends of Christ Mission, Stout, Oh. (New Work) (Founders Day Off.)	200.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Pine Bluff, Ark. (New Work)	40.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Needs)	35.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (New Work)	100.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (New Work)	50.00
Total	505.00

OFFERINGS FOR JOHN HATCHER'S FUND, JUNE	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (New Work)	100.00
Bible Baptist Church, Kingsport, Tn. (New Work)	80.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill. (Bldg.)	25.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In. (New Work) (College Career C.)	7.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Friends, West Virginia (New Work)	40.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, Ky. (Bldg.)	30.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Car)	50.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl. (New Work)	90.25
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fl. (Bldg.)	25.00
Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, Ms. (New Work)	30.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (New Work)	50.00
Spicer, Mr. & Mrs. Hubert, Normal, Ill. (New Work)	85.00
Wood, R. W., Tulsa, Ok.	100.00
Total	752.25

OFFERINGS FOR PAUL HATCHER'S FUND, JUNE	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Seminary)	200.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Seminary)	20.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky. (Seminary)	50.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Seminary)	30.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Seminary)	50.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Seminary)	103.00
Total	453.00

OFFERINGS FOR HENDERSON'S FUND, JUNE	
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, W.V. (New Work-Rent)	100.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Grandview Baptist Church, Red House, W.V. (New Work-Rent)	100.00
Hanna, Michael, Liberty, W.V. (New Work)	35.00
Harmony Baptist Church, Melbourne, Fl. (New Work)	100.50
Riverview Baptist Church, Pt. Pleasant, W.V. (Personal Needs)	50.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (New Work)	50.00
Tuppers Valley Baptist Church, Charleston, W.V. (New Work)	39.00
Total	514.50

OFFERINGS FOR STANTON'S FUND, JUNE	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, Oh. (Bldg.)	100.00
Albritton, Tommy, Hurricane, W.V. (Tuition)	15.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Tuition)	20.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Ill. (Tuition)	15.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, In. (Tuition) (Junior Class)	43.50
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Friends of Christ Mission, Stout, Oh. (Tuition) (Founders Day Off.)	200.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi. (Tuition)	26.00
Temple Baptist Church, Aiken, S.C. (Tuition-Pepe' Vacalla)	16.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, Mi. (Tuition)	38.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, W.V. (Tuition)	48.00
Total	561.50

OFFERINGS FOR WACASER'S FUND, JUNE	
Fellowship Baptist Church, Brinson, Ga. (Training Centers)	50.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus, N. Miami Beach, Fl. (New Work)	40.00
Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, Fl. (Training Centers)	125.00
Total	215.00



Antipolo Baptist Mission, Philippines. Pastor Missionary John Henderson presents God's word to new member Cora Gannanban. This lady has 2 brothers that are Catholic priests and 2 sisters that are Nuns. We praise God for her salvation and her stand for the truth.



San Pablo Baptist Mission. Pastor Norman Millares and Rosalie Agapay, San Pablo City, Philippines. Missionary John Henderson.



Temporary Wood Building now in use at Chacara dos Pinheiros work. Brother Bobby Creiglow's and Brother Harold Draper's work in Central Brazil.



3 More Baptists in Cuiaba, Brazil. Baptized by Harold Draper.

This dear lady, Dona Celeste Rodrigues Cassas, made a profession of faith seated in her "hede", in her home during the revival at Olinda, Brazil.

Brother Harold Bratcher's Work.

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