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# LOOK AT THE FACTS!

- 1. We depend on our Thanksgiving Offering each year to supplement our monthly offering to carry on the mission work. The monthly offering alone can not take care of the monthly expenditures. This last year we ran out of Thanksgiving offering two months before Thanksgiving Offering Month. We had to depend on just the monthly offering alone for those last two months. Because of this, we had to cut expense money to our missionaries. We can't borrow to carry on the work. We live by faith! We can't use designated funds. We can only use them for what they were designated.
- 2. We had more in 1991 than in 1990. Yet, we had less in 1991 than in 1990. Both statements are true. The total offerings for 1991 were \$81.07 more than the offerings of 1990. Yet, we had less in 1991 in the regular funds. The total regular offerings for 1991 were \$12,523.15 less than 1990. Designated offerings for 1991 were more but regular offerings were less for 1991. When we consider inflation and other factors we see that regular fund expenses were greater than in 1990. We had less regular fund money in 1991 and it didn't go as far because of inflation and other factors.
- Our missionaries are sound in doctrine, very dedicated, hard workers, and good stewards of the funds they receive. They do a lot with relatively little. They give heavily of their own funds and even get personal loans to do more. They deserve much more than they receive.
- 4. The administration of the funds received from the churches and individuals has been with what amounts to no overhead expenses. There were no salaries for administrators, no office expenses, etc. The expenses for sending the letters of the missionaries to you each month, the mailing of receipts and answering questions, long distance calls on their behalf, etc. are all expenses that the individual missionary would still have if he decided to go to the mission field without our help. If these expenses were added up and divided by 12 missionaries, then that would be about the cost he would have if he did all this on his own. This means we are good stewards of the funds and our overhead amounts to zero!
- 5. We need more funds for the regular fund which is also called the General Fund or Work Horse Fund. The solution is for each of us to give more. The missionaries and the BFM administrators can try to be more efficient but not much can be done to save in those areas. The solution is more general

Please pray - Increase Your Offerings - Encourage Others to Give!



The Faith Baptist Church, with the Top of the New Building Shown in the Background. Vazea Grande, Mato Grosso, Brazil. Brother Bobby Creiglow's Work.

Visit More Churches . . . Work in Lima Growing . . . School Has 750 Enrolled . . .

by Sheridan Stanton

Furlough address: 2028 Dorset Drive Lexington, Ky. 40504 Phone (606) 254-4205 April 1, 1992

Another month has come and gone. The time really escapes us. We have had the privilege of being with several pastors

and churches this past month. Each one has been very gracious and hospitable. We are looking forward to being with many more in the months ahead.

Brother Jorge Dianderas wrote to me and



deras wrote to me and told me they have had more souls saved and baptized into the new Sheridan Stanton work in Lima. They are still meeting out in the street because of lack of room in the small house loaned to us. The crowds

continue to grow. They continue to go out each Sunday afternoon and have street preaching services. God is really blessing the folks there with a desire for souls

The Pucalipa Baptist School started classes the third week of March. We have 750 enrolled at this time and some more will be enrolled in a few weeks. Four more have been added to the payroll this year. This work continues to grow and be blessed of the Lord

Anita, the kids and I are getting prepared to go back to Peru in July. Many of the churches are helping us obtain equipment to take back to Peru for the work there. For each one that has taken on a project, please know how much it is appreciated by us. We thank God for you and pray his richest blessing upon each one. Until next month.

Serving the Master in Peru, Sheridan & Anita Stanton

#### NEWS OF THE MONTH

#### THE SPRING CONFERENCE

The Spring Missionary Conference at the Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY was a great blessing. Good Preaching, Good Fellowship, Good Attendance, Good Food!!!

We thank the Lord for the Conference and all those that had a part in it. Special Thanks to the two churches which sponsored it, Thompson Road Baptist Church and South Lexington Baptist Church. They did a fine job.

#### **BROTHER HOMER CRAIN RETURNS TO PERU**

Brother Crain came home early in the year with a serious heart problem. He is much better. The doctors did not think he needed heart surgery at this time. The medication and treatment have been a great help

Brother and Sister Crain have now returned to Peru. Continue to pray for Brother Crain's health.

#### THREE GO TO BE WITH THE LORD

Brother Joe Lloyd, Pastor of Logana Baptist Church, Nicholasville, KY passed away on March 15. He was a faithful pastor and teacher at Lexington Baptist College and a friend of missions.

Sister Roberta Reading passed away in March. She was the wife of Brother Warren Reading. They were living in Tucker, Georgia at the time of her death. Some years ago Brother and Sister Reading served the Lord at First Baptist Church in Alexandria, KY where Brother Reading was the Pastor. This was the home church of Brother John Hatcher. We are thankful for the Readings love for missions.

Brother Wacaser's oldest brother, William Roy Wacaser III, was killed in a ptorcycle accident in late January. He was a christian and is greatly missed by his family.

Remember each of these families in prayer at this time of sorrow. We extend our deepest sympathy to them. We are thankful that all three knew the Lord as their Saviour, so we do not sorrow as those who have no hope.

# DON'T FORGET THE WORK HORSE FUND!

This is the General Fund. Out of it comes the missionaries' salaries, expenses, travel, medical, cars, etc. It has not kept pace with rising costs. It needs to increase that our missionaries might

Please consider increasing your offerings to the General Fund, the WORK HORSE FUND.

# **FOUNDERS MONTH**

June is the month we remember the founding of BFM. The Lord has blessed greatly in the past until now.We need to remember this. We FOUNDERS MONTH. June About the middle of the year our offerings usually go down some, but the expenses of our missionaries go right on. During Founders Month, we would like to remember our missionaries especially and take up special offerings to avoid this midyear slump

We would appreciate it if during June, one Sunday would be selected by your church to especially remember our missionaries and take up a special offering. Now is the time to begin thinking about this. We ask that each church pray about it and then do what God leads you to.



Harold Draper Preaching the Word in Brazil

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## Bobby's Oldest Brother Dies In Accident . . . Great Comfort In Knowing He Was Saved . . . Three Saved . . .

by Bobby Wacaser

Rua Waldemiro Pereira 961 81100 Curitiba Parana, Brasil Ph 011-55-41-248-7075 March 21, 1992

Dear Friends

So much has happened since I last wrote that I really don't know how to start. I guess I'll begin with that which is strongest in my mind. On January

26th I received a phone call from my youngest brother (there are six of us boys and two girls) informing me that my oldest brother had just been killed in a motor-cycle accident. I understood the message mentally, but the emo-tional impact just would-



n't sink in. Our family is very close and I had never lost anyone really dear to me before. I'm sure that many of you have been through this experience before and can relate to what I'm saying.

Living a long way and being away for long periods of time causes us to lose the everyday fellowship of some of our loved ones, but it doesn't erase or eliminate that deep love and warm memories we have from lives spent together.

In some respects it has been easier for me than for the other members of my family because I'm already used to missing him. The memories that I have of "Rossie" (William Roy Wacaser III) are those of 10 to 20 years ago. These that my family have are from last month, last Christmas, and from his last birthday party (one week

before he died). I have heard some people say that in times of grief it makes no difference whether you are a Christian or difference whether you are a Christian or not, that the pain and sense of loss is just the same. Well, I'm of the mind that whoever says that doesn't really know the Lord because it makes worlds of difference. My brother was a fairly dedicated Christian and to know that he is presently with our Lord and Savior gives me the profoundest peace that can be imagined. I do not grieve one bit for Rossie's loss, but for mine and my family's temporary loss of his fellowship.

Rossie's absence causes me to have an even stronger yearning for the return of Jesus. I can hardly wait to renew our fellowship, but more than that, my face to face fellowship with the One who is so kind as to give this type of hope.

I don't have much more space, but let me just mention a few other items:

me just mention a few other items:
One young man who was disciplined for immorality has repented and returned to active participation. He is bouncing with joy them is a months in misery and after being six months in misery depression. Praise God!

lolene and Roberto, the young couple who were recently married, are getting along great and work together very well as a missionary team.

We have had three adults to accept Christ as Savior since New Year's Day and we are seeing steady growth among our Missionary trainees.

May God bless you all for your love, prayer and faithful support.

In Christ's love

**Bobby & Charlene Wacaser** 

50 Attend Youth Camp . . . Dedicate New Building Up the Moa River . . . Sick Family Brought to Town - All Saved . . .

by Mike Creiglow

Caixa Postal 24 69980 Cruzeiro do Sul, Acre Brazil, S.A. March 19, 1992

Dear Brethren.

The first week of this month we held camp for over 50 young people. The road is closed, so we had to go by river to within 4 miles of camp. The rest of the trip was by Jeep and truck. The

Jeep and truck. The weather was pretty good. The rains didn't disrupt too many activities. As usual, we had good opportunities to tell them about Christ. Several are now coming to church and we are praying that they will be saved.



Last week was the dedication of the building at the mountains on the Moa River. Paul and his 2 older boys went with me on this trip. Our men put a few finishing touches on the building. We held 2 services (including the dedication service) with about 80 people in each. We still do not have a worker there but we are continuing to worker there, but we are continuing to encourage them to meet until God sees fit to send them a preacher.

On their way up the Moa River our other boat with preachers and workers were flagged at a little settlement. A man, almost too weak to talk, asked for food for his wife and 5 children. They had not eaten for days, since the father was unable to hunt or work.

They all had malaria. The wife and one of the children could not even get out of their harmocks, they were so ill and weak. Our men tried to convince the man to put his wife and children in a canoe and go downstream to our mission at Sao Salvador. Our local preacher, brother Moises could then take them to town. When our men came back downstream, the family was still there, worse than ever. They put the 7 and 12 other villagers in our boat and brought them to town. On the way they preached Christ to them and the whole family was saved. The woman said, "I'm so glad you told us about Jesus. I know that I am going to die and if you had not told me I grad you told us about results. I have that I am going to die and if you had not told me I know that I would have been lost." She and her little boy did die! Seven others of the 19 are still in the hospital here in Cruzeiro do are still in the hospital here in Cruzero do Sul. We need more people preaching on the rivers. We also need a doctor! Where are the men and women from churches in America, willing to give their lives to save lives here?

I arrived back here in time to prea my home church on Sunday night. We had a good crowd of over 450 and best of all 2 young men were saved.

Paul, Brenda and family are doing great. They are a blessing and a joy to be around. Pray for their ministry and adjust-

God bless all of you and thanks for your prayers and financial support.

In Christ, Mike Creiglow



Asa Bratcher Preached and Baptized 7 at the Mananceal Baptist Mission In a Suburb of Manaus, Brazil.



Building Site on Next Projected Church in Brazil. Please Give. Harold Draper's Work.

# 27,000 Reached With Gospel Message . . . 15 Mission Points In City and State . . .

by Paul Hatcher

Av. J Carlos Antony, 172 69063 Manaus, Amazonas Brazil, S.A. March 31, 1992

Dear Friends:

The church worked hard to share the gospel during this Christmas season. The

gospel during tris Crinstmas season. The gospel was presented in drama. The story beginning with God's creation, then the announcement of the Messiah by the holy prophets. Finally, how our redemption is made in Christ Jesus, born of a virgin the sipless son of virgin, the sinless son of God. who died for our redemption, then rose again on the third day. He is the eternal king coming again to judge the unbelieving, but to take the believer to dwell



Paul Hatcher

forever with him in heaven. In the ten days preceding Christmas twenty-seven thousand persons had the opportunity to hear and see the gospel. Pray for the many that heard that they may receive the word with gladness.

We now have 15 mission points in our city and state, three national missionaries in other states, and 54 extension Sunday schools. The school enrollment dropped 15% this year due to the financial crunch and over 80,000 have been laid off in our city during the 12 months. city during the 12 months.

Pray for us as we plan and work this year, that we may have wisdom to make the best usage of our time and resources. Continue to pray for laborers for the field is ripe to harvest but the laborers are few. God help us to train well the upcoming leaders in the knowledge and practice of God's

Thank you for your prayers and faithful support. God bless you.

Paul, Wanda, Leigh, Judson & Michelle Hatcher



Asa Bratcher Baptizing a New Convert in Brazil.



Harold Bratcher Ready to Baptize Jardel Ferrera Ribeiro in Brazil, December 1991.

Travels For the Month . . . Plans for Next 3 Months . . . Need for Offerings for Tijucal Building and General Fund . . . by Harold Draper

> 1007 Pinebloom Drive Lexington, Ky. 40504 1-606-278-0963 March 23, 1992

Dear Co-Laborers,

God is so good to all of us. We have been blessed with reasonable health, good fellowship, and many opportunities to preach the Word. We were in the following

churches this month: Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY, David Parks, pastor; Grace Baptist Church, Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, KY, Bill DeRosset, pastor; Grace Baptist Mission, Crystal Springs, MS, Wm. Roberts, pastor, Addyston Baptist Church, Addy-ston, OH, Rex Hensley,



ston, OH, Rex Hensley, pastor; Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY, Bobby Lakes pastor; Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH, Donald Foose, pastor; Emmanuel Baptist Church, Centerville, OH, Darrell Messer, pastor; and I just got back from a four day meeting at the Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, OH, Elwood Hensley, pastor. We thank all of these churches for having us.

I am booked up until the end of May at this time; at which time we will leave

Lexington to go to the Paducah area for three weeks to visit children, parents, and grandchildren. If any church in that area or within 300 miles of Paducah would like to come in June, please contact us as soon as possible. We hope to leave as soon as possible after June 21st to go back to Brazil. We received word from Bro. B. Creiglow that the Brasilian brethren are missing us. It is good to be missed! We love them and are very anxious to get back home. We love the U.S.A., but our heart is in the work there. Michelle is a U.S. citizen as well as Brazilian citizen. If Jesus tarries and our health holds up, we expect to stay there four years before coming back to visit come in June, please contact us as soon as there four years before coming back to visit

I had planned to try and raise funds to build the building at our mission in Tijucal when we go back. Because of the great need for our General Fund I have not promoted it a great deal. We must with the Lord's help maintain the offerings in the General Fund so that all of our missionaries may receive their salaries and have some expense money to do the work. This must have priority. The Lord will provide. God bless you.

In Him.

Harold M. Draper

# Container is On Its Way . . . Learning the Language . . . Trip Up the Moa River . . .

by Paul Creiglow

Caiza Postal 24 69980 Cruzeiro do Sul, Acre, Brazil March 22, 1992

It's hard to believe we've been here 7 weeks. Time has gone by very quickly. The family seems to be adjusting just fine to our new life style and we're gradually settling into a routine. We'd like to thank all of you who have been praying

It has been a very busy month. A lot has happened. Our container left Miami on Friday, March 20th and will take ened. Our container approximately 21 days to get to Manaus. Then we must wait for it to get through customs. I un-



Paul Creiglow

derstand it can take as Paul Creiglow long as 2 months to clear customs. Please pray that things will go quickly and smoothly. We'd like to offer a special "thank you" to those churches who have contributed to help with our shipping costs. You'll never know how much we appreciate it.

We've enrolled David and Jonathan in the Christian school (Colegio Cristao Cruz-eiro) so that they can learn not only to speak Portuguese, but to read and write it as well. We have always home-schooled our children so they are very excited about going to school. However, they don't like coming home and doing their other studies also. Lindsay is too old to go the Christian

school. They currently have only first and second grades, so she is going to start Portuguese lessons next week with the girl across the street from us. Brenda and I are continuing our studies with Mike as well as working with a cassette tape series.

The first week of March was "camp k". We left town on Saturday morning for a 2 hour boat ride down river to camp We had a great time. Mike held services in we had a great time. Mike held services in the morning and evening with lots of singing and good teaching. As far as I know there were no decisions made at camp, but since then there have been several of the new young people coming to church and some have made professions of faith.

On the 13th, David, Jonathan and I went with Mike up the Moa River to dedicate a new church building. We were gone 3 days and it was a real adventure for the boys. Along the river they saw monkeys. toucans and parrots; they got to hike up a mountain through the jungle, swim in a large creek, bathe in a warm water spring, and eat deer and wild pig. I don't know any or 8 year old boys who wouldn't enjoy all of that! It was also good for them to see how people live along the river. It helped them appreciate what God has given us.

I must end here. Please continue to remember us in your prayers.

In Christ.

Paul Creiglow Loads Up and Moves to Brazil to Begin Mission Work



# WEST INDIES MISSION REPORT

March 3, 1992

Dear Pastors and Saints:

This year began on a high note. Our Bible Conference was a tremendous blessing and challenge. There were brethren from Jamaica, Puerto Rico, British Virgin Islands, U.S.V.I., St. Kitts, Dominca, Antigua, Trinidad, and Guyana. These islands cover a distance of about 3,000

Pastor and Mrs. Rex Hensley were with us on Jan. 29 - Feb. 1. The blessings of the messages are still bearing fruit. The men were chal-lenged by Pastor Hens-ley and the ladies were taught by Mrs. Hensley, and the Bible College students experienced interaction with



E. Jaggernauth

Pastor Hensley. The highlight, however, was the Ladies' Seminar. The attendance was beyond expectation. Ladies came from other islands as well as St. John. We thank the Addyston Baptist Church for sending the Hensleys.

Our visitation efforts are bearing fruit. We now have eight home Bible studies, five welcomed shut-in services, and we have begun one children's class in another village, with two more scheduled to begin

later this month. The youths have embarked on a very ambitious ministry. Their goal is on a very ambitious ministry. Their goal is to reach 50 additional young people, to become much more involved in the church services, to have open air services at different locations on the island. So far, there is an increase of four in the youth fellowship. How we thank the Lord for young people.

The Bible College continues to prepare these students for the ministry. At this present time, Brother Fred Jaggernauth is teaching Introduction to Sociology and Introduction to Philosophy. He is also teaching extension classes in Guyana. This summer he shall be going there to give the residential requirement and examinations Our graduation is taking place on May 16, and we are privileged to have Dr. Demas Brubacher from Grenada, Mississippi.

The West Indies Mission Work continues to present its blessings as well as its headaches. However, the problems en-countered were not with the work, but with a couple of the men. Nevertheless, it was all solved, and the name of Christ was not publicly dishonored. Letters from the mis-sionaries continue to speak of the salvation of sinners. Thank you for your prayers and

Bro. Emmanuel Jaggernauth

The Deaths of Two Dear Friends . . . Division In the Church ... Prayer Requests . . .

by Harold Bratcher

Caixa Postal 227 69.011 Manaus, Amazonas Brazil, S.A. Telephone: 011-5592-611-2331 March 18, 1992

Dear Brethren.

We appreciate very much the tele-phone call of our friend, Mrs. B. Curd from Lexington. She called last night informing us of the death of our

friend and fellow pastor, Brother Joe Lloyd, of the Logana Baptist Church. Our hearts were seed Logana Baptist Church.
Our hearts were saddened to hear of the
"home going" of Brother
Lloyd. We were looking
forward to having fellowship with him, his
dear wife, Loetta, and the Logana Baptis Church. May God com



and aptist Harold Bratcher

fort his wife and two daughters as only He can. Our loss is Heaven's gain.

can. Our loss is Heaven's gain.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Ella B. Casey informed us by telephone of the death of her husband, Mr. Gilbert B. Casey, of Richmond, KY and faithful member with Mrs. Casey of the Calvary Baptist Church. Brother Casey and his wife have been dear friends of ours during many years. We have visited in their home when they lived in Tampa, FL almost every furlough. They have also been a friend and supporter of B.F.M. May the Lord comfort and console Mrs. Casey!

Last Sunday I wrote in the bulletin of the 14th of December Baptist Church: "Beloved Brethren: I confess that during these last few days I have sinned due to the

fact that I have not obeyed Philippians 4:6 'Be careful for nothing ...' I have been careful for something ... That 'something' is that I see the Church is not as united as she should be." I then asked all to meditate on the words of "Pastor Paul" in Philippians 2:1-4 and 1 Thessalonians 2:19-20.

2:1-4 and 1 Thessalonians 2:19-20.

What has caused the division in the Church is that Marie and I will be coming to the U.S.A. on furlough in July of this year. Asa Mark Bratcher is willing to serve as pastor during our absence. Some (I trust a small majority) do not want him as pastor. We hope and pray that the Lord will resolve the problem for us. Pray for us, for Asa Mark and family and the 14th of December Baptist Church that we may be one in the and family and the 14th of December Baptist Church that we may be one in the spirit of the Lord.

During this Mission Sheet Month we have not been out of the city. I have preached every Sunday morning and night at the 14th of December Baptist Church. We have had good services and a few decisions made.

We express to you who are responsible, our thanks for the fact that the January offerings for the regular fund were up as well as designated offerings for our funds. Pray for us that the Lord will bless us during these next four months as we continue serving the Lord as pastor and professor.

May the Lord bless you all especially Pastor J. Douglas King who has according to his last letter to us, a health problem. We will be praying for many of you.

Yours In the Service of the Saviour,

Harold & Marie Bratcher

New Pastor and Family Getting Settled . . . Five Professions of Faith . . . Report on Churches . . .

by Bobby Creiglow

Caixa Postal 720 78,000 Cuiaba, Mt. Brazil, S.A. Phone 011-55-65-361-4835 March 13, 1992

Dear Brethren:

We have been spending most of our time this month trying to get the new pastor and his family settled into the community

and it has turned out to be a bigger job than we expected due to the fact that the house was needing some work done on it that we did done on it that we did not k now about until just before they arrived. We still have a long way to go, but we will get it done a little at a time as we can get to it. The Pastor and his family



**Bobby Creiglow** 

were here only a short time when we had our annual retreat with the Good Hope Baptist Church. The three days together gave them a very good opportunity to get acquainted with both churches. The retreat was good for all of us. It was held in a school out in the country and they were the best facilities we have ever had for this event. Since the retreat the pastor has had to return to Sao Paulo to take care of some unfinished business and will be gone a little over a week. He thinks he will still have to make one more trip within the next few weeks to finish up his business there. On the first Sunday night he preached in the Chacara dos Pinheiros Church, there were five professions of faith. Four of these have been attending with us for some time now. been attending with us for some time now... Before the pastor and his family moved here we were able to get their children registered in school which started back last Monday, so since he is gone I have been taking them to school each day.

The Good Hope Baptist is going along about the same as it has for the past several years with about the same amount in attendance. The Church in Varzea is still doing very well with 240 in attendance on Sunday morning and over 150 on Sunday nights. The church at Novo Diamantino is still very weak, but from the report I received this week they are having some visitors. We are praying the Lord will save some of them and cause the work to grow. We have not been there for several weeks, but then to expense on. but plan to go very soon.

Please do not forget to pray for the new pastor, for the work and for us

> In His Love Bobby D. Creiglow

The Trip to the Holy Land . . . 2 Saved - Others Showing Interest . . . Seeking to Buy Building in Urai . . .

by John Hatcher

Caixa Postal 112 Urai, Parana, Brazil 86280 March 13, 1992

Dear Friends:

Today we are flying from Sao Paulo to Miami, Washington, D.C. and Amsterdam. From there we will fly to Israel. After three

From there we will fly to Israel. After three weeks in Israel we will go to Europe for two weeks. Among other places we will visit Normandy, France, where I participated in the invasion in World War II. After two weeks in Europe there will be one week in England, two weeks in the States and then hack to Urai and then, back to Urai, P.R. Brazil. This trip of a lifetime is the Christmas gift of our children. We

thank them for the flowers before we die. Our prayer is that God will use the trip for His honor and glory.

Services in Urai and Cornelio were good this month. One young man trusted the Lord in Cornelio.

There is evidence that God is working in the hearts of many with whom we have had contact here at our new home. Among these are two young mothers, a doctor, and a mechanic. Another man from Garca came a mechanic indirect man address to our home needing help. He trusted Christ as Saviour, back in Garca, last Sunday evening where Odali is pastor.

There is a church building in Urai, previously of the Presbyterians, that we are seeking to buy. It is in a good location. With some repair and remodeling it would make a good building. Please pray the Lord will give it, if it is His will. We have money on hand if an agreeable price can be reached.

An extra special treat this month. Paul and Wanda were with us for a few days and Kathy, Odali and children returned from the States and were with us also.

With Christian Love John and Alta Hatcher

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Draper	279.58
P. Halcher	355.54
Stanton	758.55
Wacaser	235.00
Miscellaneous Home Missions Regular Fund	155.00
Regular Fund	23,922.53
Received for all purposes	33,391.02
OFFERINGS FOR CAR FUND, MARCH Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH	200 00
Total	
OFFERINGS FOR KOREAN WORK, MARCH Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH	10.00
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH	50.00
Total	60.00
OFFERINGS FOR WEST INDIES FUND, MARCH	
Lake Road Baptist Church, Cilo, MI (Sewnauth Punallal)	75.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	500.00
Temple Baptist Church, Ocala, FL (V. Duncan)	25.00
Laxe Hoad Baptis Church, Golha, FL Park Ridge Baptis Church, Golha, FL Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY Temple Baptist Church, Caela, FL (V. Duncan) Temple Baptist Church, Ocala, FL (S. Jaggemauth) Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI (R. Barosa Work)	50.00
Total	760.00
OFFERINGS FOR BEAN'S FUND, MARCH	
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY	10.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Special Need)	100.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, KY (Special Need)	610.27
Chapel Hill Baplist Church, Nicronasville, KY (Salary) First Baplist Church of Qius (Pers, Needs) First Baplist Church, Alexandria, KY (Special Need) First Baplist Church, Alexandria, KY (Special Need) Grace Baplist Church, Holly, MI (Special Need)	300.00
Grace Baptist Church, Holly, MI (Special Need).  Kolekole Baptist Church, Alea, Hawaii (Bean Fund) Lake Road Baptist Church, Cilo, MI (Special Need).  Lamb, Linda, Brookville, PA (Special Need).	25.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Special Need)	5.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI (Special Need)	25.00
Wannville Baptist Church, Stevenson, AL (Special Need)	1.000.00
Total	2.392.67
OFFERINGS FOR ASA BRATCHER'S FUND, MARCH	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Salary)	50.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Salary) Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg,, IL (Bible Inst.) First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	300.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	30.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs) Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA (Field Needs) Glen's Creek Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Relief Fund) Grace Baptist Church, Anville, KY (Salary) Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary) Grace Baptist Church, Hamilton, OH (New Work) Kitby Road Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (New Work) Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, FL (New Work)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Anville, KY (Salary)	30.00
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary)	25.00
Kirby Road Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (New Work)	50.00
Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, FL (New Work)	102.50
Total	687.50
OFFERINGS FOR HAROLD BRATCHER'S FUND, MARCH	50.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Bidg, Fund) Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, II. (Pers. Needs) Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (Birthday) Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, KY (Bidg.) Faith Decision Baptist Church, Berea, KY (Pers. Needs) First Baptist Church of Ujus (Pers. Needs) Friends, OH (Relief Fund)	100.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (Birthday)	100.00
Faith Decision Raptist Church, Uniontown, KY (Bidg.)	100.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Friends, OH (Relief Fund)	304.00
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary)	25.00
Gien's Creek Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Relief Fund) Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary) Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Relief Fund) Lberty Baptist Church, Toledo, OH (Salary) Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (Pers. Needs) Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (Pers. Needs)	5.00
Newby Baptist Church, Toledo, OH (Salary)	125.00
North West Baptist Church, Tampa, Ft (Bldgs.)	76.88
Stoney Run Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (Salary)	1 193 14
	1,130.14
OFFERINGS FOR CRAIN'S FUND, MARCH Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (New Work)	50.00
Downs, E.G., Petersburg, MI (Pers. Needs)  First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)  Frather, Phil, Lexington, KY (Medical Needs)  Prather, Phil, Lexington, KY (Andes Work)  Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY (Special Needs)  South Irvine Baptist Church, Krvine, KY (Salary)	50.00
Prather Phil Lexington, KY (Medical Needs)	120.00
Prather, Phil, Lexington, KY (Andes Work)	120.00
Hichiand Baptist Church, Livermore, KY (Special Needs)	30.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (New Work)	50.00
Total	570.00
OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S FUND, MARCH	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Bldg.) Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Frank, Lancaster, OH (Bldg.)	25.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Salary)	20.00
First Bapiss Church of Upis (Fers. Needs) Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, Mi (Salary) Marantha Bapist Church, Decatur, Al. (Salary) New Haven Baptist Church, New Haven, WV (Salary) New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, CA (Salary)	26.50
New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, CA (Salary)	50.00
Park Layne Baptist Church, New Carlisle, OH (Salary)	50.00
Total	2/ 1.50
OFFERINGS FOR MIKE CREIGLOW'S FUND, MARCH Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (School)	200.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (Designated)	15.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Salary)	248.83
	540.03
OFFERINGS FOR PAUL CREIGLOW'S FUND, MARCH Lamb, Linda, Brookville, PA (Salary)	50
Lamb, Linda, Brookville, PA (Salary)	50.00
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Conf. Offering)	590.68
Total	641.18
OFFERINGS FOR DRAPER'S FUND, MARCH	74.50
Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Theology Class-Bldg. Fund) First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Fountain, Edwin, Garfield, GA (Bldg. Fund & New Works)	100.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (New Work)	50.00
Victory Baptist Church, Wickliffe, KY (Salary)	279.58
	2.0.00

OFFERINGS FOR JOHN HATCHER'S FUND, MARCH	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Kingsport, TN (Salary)	40.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL (Salary)  Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (College & Career-New	25.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (College & Career-New	Work) 15.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Friend West Virginia (New Work)	40.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, KY (Bldg.)	30.00
Meadow Bridge Baptist Church, Meadow Bridge, WV (Salary)	50.00
Park Lavne Baptist Church, New Carlisle, OH (Salary)	50.00
Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, MS (New Work)	35.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (New Work)	50.00
Spicer, Mr. & Mrs. Hubert, South Bend, IN (New Work)	100.00
Total	
OFFERINGS FOR PAUL HATCHER'S FUND, MARCH	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Seminary)	100.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Seminary)	20.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (Jr. Girls)	4.54
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, KY (Seminary)	E0.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Seminary)	
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Seminary)	51.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI (Seminary)	100.00
Total	
	333,34
OFFERINGS FOR STANTON'S FUND, MARCH Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Bldg.)	F0.00
Albritton, Tommy, Hurricane, WV (Tuition)	
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Tuition)	15.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Bldg.)	
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Tuition)	16.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	
First Baptist Church, Coffeen, IL (School)	20.00
Grace Baptist Church, Melbourne, FL (Salary)	30.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Burton, MI (Tuition)	52.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Salary)	8,83
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Bldg. Fund)	
Trinity Temple Baptist Church, Dallas, TX (Tuition)	16.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, WV (Tuition)	
Total	758.55
OFFERINGS FOR WACASER'S FUND, MARCH	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Salary)	50.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH, (Salary)	35.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (Designated)	25.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	
First Baptist Church, Covington, OH (Salary)	25.00
First Baptist Church, Covington, OH (Training Ctrs.)	75.00

# THE ITEMS BELOW WERE INADVERTENTLY LEFT OUT OF THE FEBRUARY, 1992 OFFERINGS

Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Nicholasville, KY (Bean Salary)	41.4
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (A. Bratcher Salary)	50.0
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (A. Bratcher Salary)	25.0
Temple Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (A. Bratcher Salary)	40.0
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (H. Bratcher Salary)	25.0
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, OH (H. Bratcher Salary)	35.0
Stoney Run Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (H. Bratcher Salary)	26.6
Temple Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (H. Bratcher Salary)	40.0
Kanawha Baptist Temple, Charleston, WV (Oct & NovCrain Salary)	80.0
Lynams Creek Baptist Church, Lone, KY (Crain Salary)	25.0
Randolph, Gus, Burnsville, NC (Crain Salary)	100.0
South Irvine Baptist, Irvine, KY (Crain Salary)	30.0
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (B. Creiglow Salary)	10.0
Marantha Baptist Church, Decatur, AL (B. Creiglow Salary)	25.0
New Haven Baptist Church, New Haven, WV (B. Creiglow Salary)	27.0
New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, CA (B. Creiglow Salary)	50.0
Park Layne Baptist Church, New Carlisle, OH (B. Creiglow Salary)	60.0
Temple Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (B. Creiglow Salary)	40.0
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (M. Creiglow Salary)	3.0
Temple Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (M. Creiglow Salary)	40.0
Victory Baptist Church, Wickliffe, KY (Draper Salary)	30.0
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (J. Hatcher Salary)	50.0
Bible Baptist Church, Kingsport, TN (J. Hatcher Salary)	40.0
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL (J. Hatcher Salary)	25.0
Meadow Bridge Baptist, Meadow Bridge, WV (J. Hatcher Salary)	50.0
Park Layne Baptist Church, New Carlisle, OH (J. Hatcher Salary)	60.0
Temple Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH (J. Hatcher Salary)	40.0
Grace Baptist Church, Melbourne, FL (Stanton Salary)	30.0
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Stanton Salary)	3.0
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Wacaser Salary)	50.0
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH (Wacaser Salary)	35.0
First Baptist Church, Covington, OH (Wacaser Salary)	25.0

### Where to Send Offerings

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

Glen Archer P. O. Box 144 Livermore, KY 42352

#### PHILIPPINES MISSION WORK November, 1991

We are very thankful to God for His continuous blessing He gives concerning the growth of the work here in Zapote Las Pinas Baptist Church Outreach. As the work of the Lord continues, we are now pressing forward to achieve our goals. As of now, we are averaging 30 to 35 in attendance every Sunday in our service with tithes and offerings of 400 - 500 pesos. We are now conducting an all-out evangelistic campaign every month. Please pray for us.

#### Pastor Felix Augustin Zapote Las Pinas Baptist Church Outreach

For the months of September and October we had a total number of 25 visitors (first time) and 5 of them made their professions of faith. In our weekly home Bible studies, 5 souls got saved while another 5 got saved also in our door-to-door visitation. Our average monthly attendance is only 20-25. Our church has been battered by many serious problems but I thank the good Lord because by His unbounded grace we are His.

Thank you very much for your prayers and support.

Pastor Edgar B. Bugary Pamploma Los Pinas Baptist Church

# HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Dear Brother or Sister:

May this letter find you witnessing for Christ. The Reinhardts continue to witness for the Lord in Newport. Dwayne reports that there have been more visitors to the services in the last month than the previous 3 months.

During the past two weeks, twelve first time visitors attended the meetings. Eleven of these were adults and one was a teenager. More than half of these have returned. The Lord seems to be establishing a good base for the work.

The Lord has also provided a personal blessing for the Reinhardts; a church has donated half of the cost for replacing the engine in their automobile. Another \$650 is needed to put the car back on the road. Continue to pray for the work in Newport.

In conclusion, let me encourage you to take an active part in home missions. If you would like some encouragement in how to go about it, give me a call or write me a letter.

"Home bound" with you, John M. Hatcher 7525 N. Green River Road Evansville, IN 47711 (812) 867-7066 Anajatuba Church Without Pastor . Several Saved . . . Report on Fran . . .

by George Bean

3353 Lombardy Lane, Apt. #412, Dallas, TX 75220 Phone (214) 350-9252; March, 1992

Dear Brethren:

I have heard from Brasil this month. Everything is going along fine. The pastor has left the church in Anajatuba. Brother Sostenes said that he and others are going to preach for them until they can call a pastor. They are watching it real close so another group won't steal it like they did the church in Sao Mateus. Brother Sostenes reports that they have had several saved and baptized lately. The work of the building at Cantanede is going along in my absence. If the Lord leads, send offerings for this building.

We are trying to get Fran's business in order so that we can move to our home in Alabama. When we do this I can turn to Brasil and June can stay with Fran as she will have family support. She can also help with the care of her father, who is in bad health.

Fran seems to be much better (to us). The doctors don't tell us he is better, in fact, they released him. We believe that our God is able to heal him. Pray for his and for us.

We want to thank everyone who has supported us with cards, love offerings, and most of all for your prayers.

Yours To Tell the Old Story,

George & June Bean