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Spring Missionary Conference Coming Soon

This conference will be at the Thompson Road Baptist
Church, Lexington, KY.

April 5, 6 & 7

The Theme

*Rooted In The Word
Renewed Through Worship
Reaching Into the World*

More on this next month

Plan Now to Attend

MISSION STUDY

The Purpose of Missions

by John Hatcher

To ask, "what is the purpose of missions?" is to say, "What is the purpose of the Great Commission?" This is answered by knowing the purpose of the Gospel and its effect on mankind. The task of "going" or "sending out" is the work that God has given His church. What is the purpose then of this "going out" or "sending out?" There are several purposes.

One is seen from Revelation 5:9. "And they sang a new song, saying, Thou art worthy to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, and hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people and nation." This work of God was begun before the foundations of the earth: "... the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world. According as He hath chosen us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love." Eph. 1:4). Now this part is God's in the planning and effecting of His plan of salvation for sinners, His and His alone. It pleased God to do this for His own glory. Seeing fit to reveal such to man, He made a promise to Eve concerning the coming of the Saviour. This promise was made to Abraham when He said, "In thee shall all the nations of the earth be blessed." The Lamb of God did come and die as bore witness, John the Baptist, the Apostles, and other writers of the Scriptures.

Another purpose is the opportunity, blessing, and responsibility that God has shared with man. The work of redemption is done. There lacks now only the revealing of this "Good News" to all men and nations so that the Holy Spirit can draw men to Christ. "Receive ye the Holy Spirit." For what? For the purpose of going and telling the good news. This responsibility puts the blood of men on our hands if we do not go.

All Nations Blessed

From every nation, tribe, tongue and people. God, before the foundation of the earth, ordained the death of the Lamb for the purpose of redeeming a people for His Name from every nation, people, tongue and tribe. And this is the reason that it makes no difference to which group God calls you to go. That is not your business. There may be a little Indian tribe with only three hundred or less in it and God redeems some of that tribe. God says to you, "I want you to go up there." Now that is in His purpose. Maybe there will be only five or six saved. That is His business. And to another He says, "I have much people in this town. You stay here and preach." Perhaps here four or five hundred accept the Lord, while from the tribe only five. Now the purpose of God will be finished when there in Glory all these from every place and people gather by His Grace to praise His name, and to sing a new song to the Lamb that was slain. So do not get it into your mind or head that God only calls men where there are great numbers, and that it is foolishness to go where there are small groups, for God knows His own work.

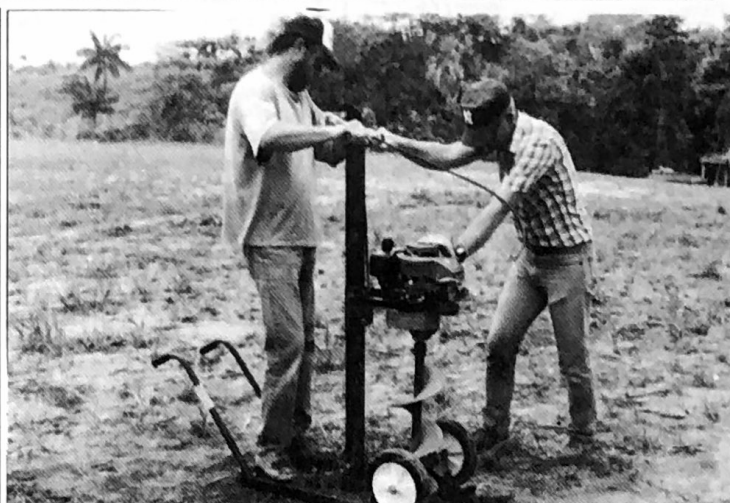
Missions is the only means of reaching God's elect. Paul said, "I endure all things for the elect's sake." There is no other way. Missions is the work of spreading the message that Jesus died and has paid the sin debt. Missions has been made possible by the consummated work of the Lord Jesus Christ. Missions is the primary work of the Holy Spirit. Missions is the spreading of the Gospel to the glory of the Lord Jesus Christ. The purpose of the Holy Spirit is to glorify Christ. And so, this work which Christ has done is only effectual in the lives of sinners as it is applied. This can only be done through the preaching of the Gospel. Let it be emphasized - missions is the inclusion of the whole work of the Great Commission. This is the whole purpose of the church and the purpose of the Triune God. God the Father ordained plan. God the Son consummated the plan - the redemptive work. The Holy Spirit makes effectual the work of Christ. Missions is the plan which God uses in His dealing toward sinful men.

Another purpose of missions is the organizing of churches. God made the first man and breathed into him the breath of life making him a living soul. From that one, all human beings have come. Adam's wife was taken out of his side and their descendants have replenished the earth. As all men have come from Adam, so all churches of the Lord Jesus Christ have proceeded from the one body, the church, that Jesus organized and to which He gave the power of the Holy Spirit.

"Redeeming The Time"

There is an urgency in this matter of missions. No one else can preach to our generation. When we are dead, our generation will be dead. There is no other generation for us to preach to except this one! If we are going to preach to all the world, if we are going to take the Gospel as far as possible, we are going to have to do it during our generation! There is no way except through the preaching of the Gospel to bring men to Christ! There are different methods of doing the work of the church - the spreading of the Gospel. Personal witnessing, street meetings, home services, jail services and special meetings can and should be used. What is termed as home missions should be used - rescue missions and opening work in

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Cruzeiro do Sul, Brazil. Paul and Mike Creiglow Digging Post Holes
With Machine Bought by East Main Baptist Church, Niles, Illinois

New School Year Begins ...

Inflation Very High ...

Youth Retreat Soon ...

by Paul Hatcher

Av. J Carlos Antony, 172
Manaus, Amazonas
69.000 Brazil
February 3, 1993

Dear Friends:

This is the first week of school for the new school season in Brazil. Because of the economic situation the enrollment at our school is down by about 10%. This is still considerably better than most other schools that have seen a decrease of 30-40%. Inflation is now running about 31% a month per month which translates into 2554% per year.

We have enjoyed visiting with Odali and Kathy Barros who have been in Manaus for a 3 week visit. This is a rarity since they live about 2,500 miles south of here. Tabernacle Baptist Church just invited Odali's brother, Epitacio Barros to come and lead our Mission Outreach. He has

been instrumental in starting a number of churches during the past 10 years. He will be working with our present mission pastors and seeking to start new works. We are in the process of purchasing another building for the beginning of a new mission.

Next month, during the Carnival (festival of the flesh) when the entire nation is involved in unbridled hedonism we will once again be holding a retreat for our youth at the church camp. We are expecting about 230 young people. This should be happening about the time you are reading this letter.

Pray for God to give us wisdom to know and do His will.

Yours in Christ,
Paul Hatcher and Family

Advisory Board

On Tuesday afternoon of both the Spring and Thanksgiving Conference we have a special report on the business of Baptist Faith Missions. We would like to have each supporting church send its Pastor and a member to be a part of an Advisory Board to be in this meeting. We will seek to answer any questions and to listen to any suggestions. Plan now to be at this meeting. Your presence will be greatly appreciated.



Begin Preparing Now For the Thanksgiving Offering

Several of our supporting churches take up their Thanksgiving Offering each month throughout the year. This offering is regularly promoted. It works! These churches have given well and set an example for all of us. Let's follow their example. Begin now!!

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Moved Into New Building in Lima ... About 75 in First Service ... Enrollment in Pucallpa Baptist School Looks Good ...

by Sheridan Stanton

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January 23, 1993

Dear Friends:

The members of our work here in Lima are very excited about being in the new building. Last week was our first service there and we had around 75 in attendance. We still have a lot of work to do in renovation of the property. Everyone is helping and the work is advancing well. The attendance has been down for some time but I can see signs of renewed excitement now that we've relocated. I believe in a short time we will see the work growing more and more. Please pray for this work.

Pastor Jorge Dianderas, the brother who works with me in this mission, has moved into a section of the property with his family. He and Elvira, his wife, seem to be very content. Please remember to pray for them and their children. Elvira is pregnant with the fourth child and Jorge is hoping for a boy this time (after 3 girls).

I was out in Pucallpa this past week to take care of business with the Pucallpa

Baptist School. We've started the enrollment process for this year and it looks like we might have more students than last year. This may sound good to you, but the truth is we had more students last year than we should have. So if we have even more interest this year, we'll probably go to an afternoon session for the overflow of students.

My daughter, Leah, accompanied me on the trip to Pucallpa. She wanted to visit her friends that she hadn't seen in three years. We moved into the capital city of Lima three years ago and none of my family had been back to Pucallpa. Leah had a good time visiting, but realized that time and distance can change old friendships. Praise God that Jesus never changes. He is our best friend who sticks closer than a brother and never leaves us. Both Leah and my son Joshua are saved and have Jesus as Saviour and friend.

"Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe. Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow!" Until next month.

Serving Jesus by Serving You,
Sheridan & Anita Stanton



Report on Special Year End Services ... Plan to Put Roof on School Building Next Week ... Pray as I Work on Language ...

by Paul Creiglow

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January 14, 1993

Dear Brethren:

Well, we made it through the holidays. We had special programs at church for both Christmas and New Year's Eve. On Christmas night we had a special music program which we repeated the following Sunday night. We used all the electronic instruments and had a small choir of 8 persons. It rained on Christmas night so we had a rather small crowd, but Sunday night we had over 700 people in attendance. On New Year's Eve Brenda and I and about a half dozen of the young people put on a program for the children at church. They all had a good time and it gave the parents a chance to enjoy the service without worrying about their children.

Work on the school continues, however, not as fast as we would like. We have the trusses built and will be putting the roof on next week. As soon as the roof is on they will begin plastering the walls and laying the floor. Pray that things will go quickly and smoothly, school will be starting next month.

The construction in Rio Branco has been at a stand still for a month now. They have had rain every day since Christmas and it has made it impossible to get materials to the job site. Pray for the congregation in Rio Branco, things seem to be going well

there and it looks like they could be in the new building by the end of this summer.

February is camp month and as always the young people are looking forward to going. It is a very exciting time for them and a great chance for us to reach unsaved young people with the gospel.

We have been praying about purchasing a different vehicle for our family since September. The Jeep we had just wasn't working out well because of the size of our family and the fact that Brenda was afraid to drive it most of the time (the steering had gone bad and there was a lot of play in the steering wheel which made it hard to drive). The Lord answered our prayers and we were able to buy an '88 Ford Pampa, which is a small pick-up, with 4 wheel drive and a fiberglass shell. It only has about 16,000 miles and is in almost new condition and we were able to sell our Jeep for the same amount we paid for it. The kids now have plenty of room in the back, Brenda loves to drive it, and it makes a great work truck.

Next week I will be going to Manaus for 4 weeks to study Portuguese with David and Penny Hatcher. The language is coming along, but not as fast as I would like. Please pray for me that I will be able to learn a lot and pray for my family while I'm gone.

In Christ,
Paul D. Creiglow



↑ A service at
Alvaro Carvalho, Brazil.
Brother
John Hatcher's work

Young people in Brazil.
← Three have been
Baptized.
Brother Harold
Bratcher's work



Speak at Winter Mission Conference in Florida ... Report Medical Exams ... Visit Other Churches ... Still Have Some Open Dates ...

by Harold Bratcher

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Gotha, Florida
January 21, 1993

Dear Brethren:

Today, I do not know if the "sun shines bright in my old Kentucky home" or not. I do know that the sun is shining bright in Gotha, Florida.

Last night after hearing fourteen messages, I preached the final message of the 1993 Winter Mission Conference in behalf of Baptist Faith Missions. The conference was held under the auspices of the Park Ridge Baptist Church, J. Douglas King, pastor.

Now, let us journey backward in time and north in distance. Sunday morning, January 3, I brought the morning message at the Bethel Baptist Church, Williams, Indiana, where Stephen M. Bratcher is the pastor.

Sunday morning, January 10, we visited and I preached at the Gilead Baptist Church near Richmond, Kentucky, to a few. Marion Turley is the interim pastor. That night I preached to many at the Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Kentucky, where Al Gormley is the pastor.

We need your prayers. We need and will continue to pray for all of you, pastors and

churches, that give to B.F.M. May the Lord enable you to continue to do so. Marie and I both submitted to a physical checkup on December 29 at the Lexington, Kentucky Clinic. Except for a skin rash that causes me to scratch, everything with me was normal. Marie's report was not as good as mine. She likewise has a skin rash for which she is taking medicine, passed by a Lexington Clinic doctor. She has suffered with a sore throat and much coughing for some days. She is coughing less these last few days.

We borrow the words of the Psalmist: "Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good, for His mercy endureth forever."

We love all of you in the Lord. Pray for us that the Lord will continue to bless us and use us during the next five and a half months that we will be in the States before returning to Brazil, the Lord willing. We still have some open dates. If we can be of service to you in your church, let us know. You'll find our mailing address and telephone number at the heading of this letter.

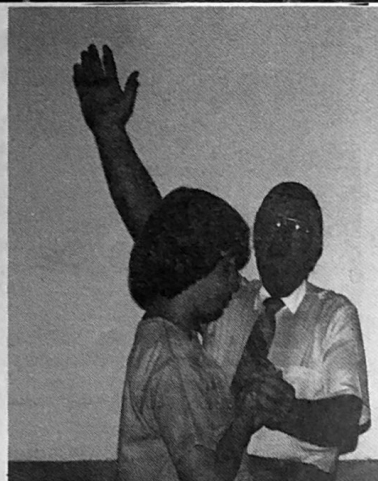
Yours in His Service,
Harold & Marie Bratcher

P.S. Thank you, Mrs. Susie King Easterday, for typing this letter for me. H.F.B.



↑ Seminary class taught by Brother
Odali Barros in Garca, Brazil.

Our first Baptism in Novo
Diamantino, Brazil. →
Aug 14, 1988.
Bobby D. Creiglow Baptizing.



Three Young Men to Start New Missions In Near Future ...

Work At Fazenda Is Growing ... Plans For Retreat ...

by Bobby Wacaser

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January 20, 1993

Dear Friends:

This new year has begun as a busy one. Our training program for new workers is running at maximum output. We have three young men who will be starting new mission points within the next four to six months. They are improving steadily in their preaching and they also show admirable dedication to the Lord in their personal lives.

One of our older works at Fazenda Rio Grande is growing steadily. The leaders there will be beginning a new ministry among the youth this week. Marcos and Terezinha are heading up the work with the help of Gilmar. They are doing a fine job and appear to love what they are doing.

The annual Carnival season is coming up soon. As must of you know, this is the most immoral holiday in Brazil. Each year we try to use this holiday to have a retreat. This year we plan to have an evangelistic retreat for the friends and relatives of our members. We have about 14 to 16 people signed up to go already. More than half of these are unsaved. Pray with us that God would move in the hearts of the participants.

One final note: The adoption process for Jessie is going smoothly. Our lawyer said that we are one step closer to a final decision and that everything looks in our favor. We trust that God is in full control and that He will work in every detail for our good and His glory.

Your's in Christ's service,
Bobby & Charlene Wacaser



Bible Studies for Children and Adults Have Increased in Urai ...

Waiting for Reaping in Cornelio Procopio After Visiting 2000 Homes ...

Pray for These Two Cities ...

by John Hatcher

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January 15, 1993

Dear Friends:

1993 has begun as a busy year. May the Lord be pleased to help us be faithful and victorious throughout its 365 days.

The two weekly Bible hours with children have increased in attendance this month, with an average number of 25 each time. Our weekly Bible studies for adults have increased from one to two, Tuesday and Wednesdays. This past week I taught a course in Bible Introduction five nights to a group of six adults. One is a College professor, two are school teachers and the others are business people. None of these are Baptists but they have come to realize something is not right in their church and they are seriously studying the Bible to find the truth.

All began when Alta was in the store of one of the ladies who asked about our Bible study. They have come to see the futility of infant baptism and the fact that their own baptism is not scriptural. We are studying

through the book of Genesis on Tuesday and Romans on Wednesdays. This is what is happening here in Urai.

In Cornelio Procopio we await the time of reaping. In the month of December 2000 homes were visited and this month we hope to reach 2500. There are six young adults in Cornelio who participate faithfully in our home visitation.

Please labour together with us in prayer for these two cities.

Our Rolling Chapel is stopped for lack of physical capacity to take on any more activities, and so a wonderful ministry awaits the moving of the Spirit to supply faithful workers, who ask nothing except to be used of the Lord.

Life will soon pass for all of us. The worms and decay will claim all - persons and possessions - that is not invested in eternal things.

In Christ,
John and Alta Hatcher



About 350 Present at New Building at Altos do Coxipo ...

Report on Other Works ...

Please Give to General Fund ...

by Harold Draper

Caixa Postal 3039
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Brazil, S.A.
January 22, 1993

Dear Brethren:

The old year is past and the new one is upon us. We hope all of you had a good holiday season and a good year-end service. We had a "watch-night" service in which all the churches participated with dinner on the grounds after midnight. We had about 350 present at the new building at Altos do Coxipo. We had plenty of room for them. More and more we realize what a blessing this building will be to our work in that part of town. Besides our Wednesday night services there, we now have started Sunday night services. They are being well attended. I have a young Brazilian preacher working with me there. That gives me the opportunity to go to one of the other works when needed.

The work at Chacara dos Pinheiro is steady. The young pastor is learning and at times making some mistakes. He is stubborn but dedicated. I believe he will make it okay. At times I feel like I could do a better job at some of the things that they do, but they must learn. I don't want the work to depend solely upon us. Pray for Pastor Miqueas and family. They are about to complete their first year in Mato Grosso. He needs a job. He has a small shop where he fixes flat tires and does carburetor work, but business is very slow. I am in the process of fixing the roof and adding on a room at the house where

they live. I sold the old 1960 pickup last year and designated the money for this project. Some of you also gave toward fixing the roof. Building materials cost so much here right now. Pray for us that we will be able to get it under roof and usable before the money runs out.

Last week Ursula, Michelle and I went to Novo Diamantino in order to help the church have a business meeting. They called Brother Antonio Melo to be their pastor. Both he and his wife have gone this weekend to give an answer. I believe they will accept the call. Please pray for them. It will be their first pastorate. Also, please give to the General Fund. We are helping that new work as well as the new work here to operate. If we do not have the financial funds to carry on these works it could be fatal to them. Don't let this happen. Our Brazilian brethren are not able to carry on these new works without your help. I'm not asking for myself but for the works' sake I plead for continued help. The work here in Mato Grosso is at a crucial stage. I feel I must put the works into the hands of Brazilian pastors when possible. We could sure use another American missionary here to work with us. But are there sufficient finances for this? If not, we need to train men here to do the work. Pray that the Lord will give us wisdom and the health to carry on.

May the Lord bless each one of you.

In Him,
Harold M. Draper



(above) Pastor John Dias baptizing in the interior of the Amazonas, Brazil.
(below) People assisting in the Baptism. Brother Harold Bratcher's work.



Finishing Fran's Business ...

Visit Hill Top Baptist Church ...

Returning to Brazil on January 20 ...

by George Bean

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Brasil, SA
January 18, 1993

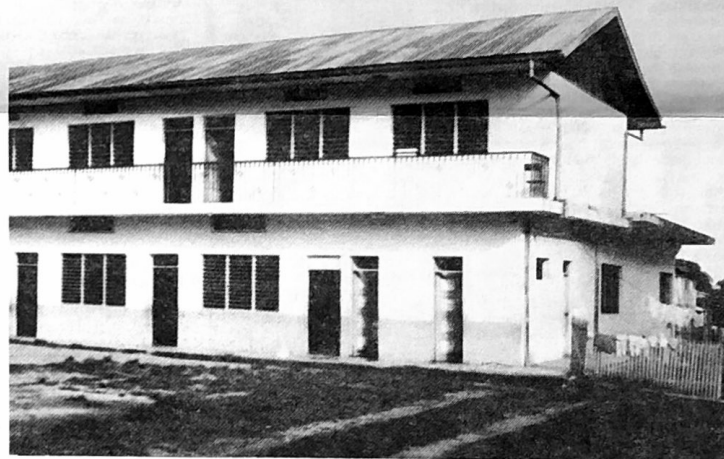
Dear Brethren:

June and I are trying to get things in order after the death of Fran. We have gotten Fran's business all taken care of. We are now in Gotha, FL attending the conference at Park Ridge Baptist Church, Brother Doug King is pastor. Sunday, January 10, I was with the Hill Top Baptist Church, Beattyville, KY, Brother Jim Claderbuck is pastor. It was good to be back at Hilltop Baptist again. I had been

their pastor for 5-1/2 years before returning to Brasil as a missionary. Also I enjoyed meeting Brother Jim and his wife Carol as he pastors the church. I believe they have a good pastor.

June and I leave Miami on January 20 at 6:30 p.m. to go back to our work in Brasil. Thanks for the phone calls, cards, letter, prayers and offerings.

Yours To Tell the Old Story,
George & June Bean



Main School Building in Pucallpa, Peru. Brother Sheridan Stanton's work.

Build Trusses For Wing of School ...

Preparing For New Project ...

Speak to Workers at End of 1992 ...

by Bobby Creiglow

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January 15, 1993

Dear Brethren:

The old year of 1992 is now gone and we have already gotten into the activities of the new year. Although last year was not one of our better years of service here in Brazil, until now the Lord has blessed us and used us even if in a small way. The three missionary families got together several times during the holidays for meals and fellowship. We all had a great time together. Although we all work and live in the same place, it isn't often that we can all get together due to the fact we all have our own special work to do, so we enjoyed it while we could. We attended the usual watchnight service where the old was ended and the new one started with prayer and preaching. Most of New Year's Day was spent just resting, getting ready for one more year of work.

Last week we were able to build the trusses for the first wing of the new school building that we are trying to get ready for classes that are to start next month. The roofing has been ordered and we hope to

have it under roof within the next week or two.

We have also been doing some remodeling of Mike's shop getting ready for our next big project. This project is the reason we came here and we are now waiting for the materials that Mike bought in the States to get here so that we can get it underway. It is estimated to take about four hundred manhours of labor to do this project.

Four times a year the pastors and missionaries get together for reports and planning of their work and these meetings are always closed out with a preaching service to which all are invited. I was invited to do the preaching for the last meeting of 1992. It was a good service with several decisions being made.

Betty and I are feeling some better than we did when I wrote my last letter. For those who pray for us, we give thanks and ask you to continue to do so.

In His Name,
Bobby D. Creiglow



JANUARY OFFERINGS, 1993

Antioch Baptist Church, Belleville, MI	50.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Designated)	30.00
Ashland Ave. Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	1,700.00
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY	20.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, KY	250.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, KY	30.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, KY (Work Horse Fund)	170.01
Berea Baptist Church, Hiddenite, NC	100.00
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN	150.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	568.80
Bohon Road Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY	88.00
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	500.00
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV	275.00
Burleson, W.T., Knoxville, TN	20.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, OH	445.82
Calvary Baptist Church, Nitro, WV	380.00
Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarville, WV	30.00
Clark, Boyd & Wilma, Cookeville, TN	1,000.00
(David Clark Mem. Jul 56-Feb 88)	
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	330.00
Creel, Brother Billy, Cairo, GA	20.00
Crooked Fork Baptist Church, Gassaway, WV	70.00
Ebenezer Baptist Church, Orma, WV	10.00
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, WV	36.00
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	143.26
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (Children's Service)	33.06
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN	1,180.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Old Town, KY	347.00
Emmaus Baptist Church, Fancy Farm, KY	52.37
Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY	243.08
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, KY	1,000.00
First Baptist Church, Island City, KY	50.00
First Baptist Church, Niles, IL	170.00
First Baptist Church, Siloam, KY	357.81
Friend, Leesville, SC	20.00
Friends	50.00
Friends, Tennessee	50.00
Friends, Texas	400.00
Friend, Virginia	460.00
Friend, West Virginia	180.00
Gethsemane Baptist Church, Marengo, OH	20.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	500.00
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, KY	125.00
Grace Baptist Church, Holly, MI	400.00
Grace Baptist Church, Melbourne, LA	644.99
Grace Bible Mission, Crystal Springs, MS	90.00
Hallum, Marguerite, Hammond, LA	50.00
Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Letter Gap, WV	400.00
Henderson, SSgt. John Jr., Chicksands, England	40.00
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC	100.00
I-20 Baptist Church, Darlington, SC	25.00
Independent Missionary Baptist Church, Pottersville, MO	75.00
(Work Horse Fund)	
Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tusculumbia, AL	158.37
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL	100.00
Julien Baptist Church, Gracey, KY	100.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI	75.00
(In Memory of Pastor Armstrong's father)	
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI	718.51
Liberty Baptist Church, Burton, MI	20.00
Lilly Valley Baptist Church, Rainele, WV	100.00
Little Sewell Baptist Church, Rainele, WV	150.00
Lynams Creek Baptist Church, Lone, KY	50.00
Mansfield Baptist Temple, Mansfield, OH	50.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Grafton, OH	200.00
Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Sadieville, KY	40.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Hgts., MI	637.00
North Ballard Baptist Church, Wickliffe, KY	203.12
Open Door Baptist Church, Jonesboro, TN	80.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	200.00
Poplar Creek Baptist Church, Leighton, AL	200.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	600.00
Riverview Baptist Church, Point Pleasant, WV	24.00
Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN	100.00
Roselawn Baptist Church, Middletown, OH	30.00
Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC	400.00
Scotts Grove Baptist Church, Murray, KY (Designated)	65.00
Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, MS	280.00
Smyrna Baptist Church, Courtland, AL	298.74
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	1,200.00
Sprouse, Leonta, Richmond, VA	20.00
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH	5,530.00
Temple Baptist Church, Murfreesboro, TN	100.00
Trent, Elder G.B., Chattanooga, WV	40.00
Tuppers Valley Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	28.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI	80.00
(In Memory of Betty Jean Davis)	
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI	2,599.00
Valley View Baptist Church, Richmond, KY	5.00
VanArsdale, Rick, Normal, IL	150.00
Vision Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV	50.00
Watkins, Bert & Louise, Richmond, KY	40.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, WV	597.00

MISCELLANEOUS	
Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Bob, Brasil (Hamilton Medical)	25.00
Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Bob, Brasil (Kirkman Medical)	25.00
Total	50.00

HOME MISSIONS	
First Baptist Church, Niles, IL	20.00
Grace Baptist Church, Melbourne, FL	10.00

HOME MISSION REPORT

February 3, 1993

Missionary Dwayne Reinhardt reports that the Lord has blessed with excellent services. The number of men attending the services is increasing. First time visitors are frequent and a number have become regular attendees. On the last Sunday of this month there were 4 first time visitors.

There are a couple of matters that we should pray about. Janice (Mrs. Reinhardt) suffered with some extreme headaches during the month of January and was hospitalized for 6 days. The headaches have now subsided, but the doctors found no clues as to their cause. Thank the Lord for improvement and ask the Lord to heal her completely, if He sees fit.

The second matter is the building purchase. As we wrote last month, Dwayne was preparing to meet with the owners to enter into the contract purchase of the building. After a couple of meetings the closing still has not taken place and the sellers still seem to be dragging their feet. Pray that the Lord will work this out for his honor and glory. Meanwhile the down payment is still in the bank and the congregation is still leasing and using the building the Lord has provided to this point.

The Sunday morning attendance has been averaging about 30 and the offerings given by those who are members of attendees is meeting the building payments and overhead.

I am greatly encouraged by the progress of this young congregation. I believe that in the not too distant future we will see a self-supporting church in Newport which is itself reaching out to others. May God help us all to be reaching those around us with the Gospel. All of us hope to see you at the SPRING MISSIONARY CONFERENCE IN LEXINGTON (April 5-7).

In Christ,
John M. Hatcher

Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Reinhardt)	25.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY (Reinhardt)	50.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, WV (Reinhardt)	25.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, WV (Newport Bldg.)	25.00
Total	155.00
Car Fund	200.00
Korean Work	80.00
West Indies	450.00
Bean	391.85
A. Bratcher	1,294.06
H. Bratcher	1,196.94
Crain	315.00
B. Creiglow	266.50
M. Creiglow	1,075.00
P. Creiglow	10.00
Draper	294.00
J. Hatcher	576.71
P. Hatcher	526.60
Stanton	2,046.82
Wacaser	260.00
Miscellaneous	50.00
Home Missions	155.00
Regular Fund	28,898.94
Received for all purposes	38,087.42

OFFERINGS FOR CAR FUND, JANUARY	
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH	200.00
Total	200.00

OFFERINGS FOR KOREAN WORK, JANUARY	
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY	10.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Dr. Lee)	20.00
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH	50.00
Total	80.00

OFFERINGS FOR WEST INDIES FUND, JANUARY	
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Sewnauth Punallal)	50.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, FL	100.00 (Barosa)
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Sookraje)	100.00
Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH (Sookraje)	50.00
Temple Baptist Church, Ocala, FL (V. Duncan)	50.00
Temple Baptist Church, Ocala, FL (S. Jaggemauth)	50.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI (Barosa)	50.00
Total	450.00

OFFERINGS FOR BEAN'S FUND, JANUARY	
Battle Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY	10.00
Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Nicholasville, KY (Salary)	66.69
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Friends, Ohio (Pers. Needs)	150.00
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary)	50.00
Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, MS (Pers. Needs)	30.00
Valley View Baptist Church, Farmers Branch, TX (Bldg. Fund)	60.16
Total	391.85

OFFERINGS FOR ASA BRATCHER'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Salary)	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Bible Inst.)	900.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	30.00
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA (Field Needs)	25.00
Glen's Creek Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Relief Fund)	75.00
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Hamilton, OH (New Work)	30.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (Bible Inst.)	30.00
Northwest Baptist Church, Tampa, FL (New Work)	104.06
Total	1,294.06

OFFERINGS FOR HAROLD BRATCHER'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Bldg. Fund)	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Pers. Needs)	300.00
Faith Decision Baptist Church, Paint Lick, KY (Pers. Needs)	200.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Friend, Michigan (Repymt. Car Loan)	35.00
Friends, Ohio (Relief Fund)	100.00
Glen's Creek Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Relief Fund)	75.00
Grace Baptist Church, Annville, KY (Salary)	30.00
Grace Baptist Church, Columbia, TN (Salary)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI (New Work)	50.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Burton, MI (Car Fund)	50.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, OH (Personal)	30.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, OH (Salary)	70.00
North West Baptist Church, Tampa, FL (Bldgs.)	78.05
Stoney Run Baptist Church, Richmond, KY (Salary)	53.89
Total	1,196.94

OFFERINGS FOR CRAIN'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (New Work)	50.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	120.00
Kanawha Baptist Temple, Charleston, WV (Salary)	40.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Hgts., MI (Pers. Needs)	50.00
South Irvine Baptist Church, Irvine, KY (Salary)	30.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Work Fund)	25.00
Total	315.00

OFFERINGS FOR BOBBY CREIGLOW'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Bldg. Fund)	50.00
Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Frank, Lancaster, OH (Where needed)	10.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI (New Work)	50.00
New Haven Baptist Church, New Haven, WV (Salary)	36.50
New Testament Baptist Church, Brawley, CA (Where Needed)	50.00
Park Layne Baptist Church, New Carlisle, OH (Salary)	45.00
Total	266.50

OFFERINGS FOR MIKE CREIGLOW'S FUND, JANUARY	
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (School)	900.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, TN (Work Fund)	75.00
Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Frank, Lancaster, OH (Where needed)	10.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI (New Work)	50.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Salary)	15.00
Total	1,075.00

OFFERINGS FOR PAUL CREIGLOW'S FUND, JANUARY	
Creiglow, Mr. & Mrs. Frank, Lancaster, OH (Where needed)	10.00
Total	10.00

OFFERINGS FOR DRAPER'S FUND, JANUARY	
Bible Baptist Church, Plant City, FL (Work Fund)	50.00
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Charleston, WV (Salary)	50.00
Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Theol. Class-Bldg. Fund)	14.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (New Work)	25.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (New Work)	100.00
Victory Baptist Church, Wickliffe, KY (Salary)	30.00
Total	294.00

OFFERINGS FOR JOHN HATCHER'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Salary)	50.00
Bible Baptist Church, Kingsport, TN (Salary)	40.00
First Baptist Church, Versailles, KY (Bldg. Fund)	24.21
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Coffeen, IL	67.50
Grace Baptist Church, Georgetown, KY (Bldg.)	30.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI (New Work)	50.00
Meadow Bridge Baptist Church, Meadow Bridge, WV (Salary)	50.00
Park Layne Baptist Church, New Carlisle, OH (Salary)	45.00
Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, MS (New Work)	70.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (New Work)	25.00
Spicer, Mr. & Mrs. Hubert, South Bend, IN (Salary)	100.00
Total	576.71

OFFERINGS FOR PAUL HATCHER'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Seminary)	100.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Seminary)	70.00
Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, TN (Seminary)	75.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (Jr. Girls)	1.60
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, KY (Seminary)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI (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)	100.00
Total	526.60

OFFERINGS FOR STANTON'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Bldg.)	50.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Tuition)	180.00
Ball, Wanita P., Hopkinsville, KY (Tuition)	35.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Tuition)	16.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL (Bldg.)	900.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN (Jr. Boys & Jr. High)	17.82
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
Friends, Sterling Heights, MI (New Work)	500.00
Grace Baptist Church, Melbourne, FL (Salary)	30.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (New Work)	10.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Burton, MI (Tuition)	52.00
Meadowthorpe Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Salary)	15.00
Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Sadieville, KY (School)	40.00
Shawnee Baptist Church, Louisville, KY (Salary)	70.00
South Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington, KY (Work)	25.00
Trinity Temple Baptist Church, Dallas, TX (Tuition)	16.00
Twelve-Ryan Baptist Church, Warren, MI (New Work)	17.00
Waverly Road Baptist Church, Huntington, WV (Tuition)	48.00
Total	2,046.82

OFFERINGS FOR WACASER'S FUND, JANUARY	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH (Salary)	50.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH (Salary)	35.00
Fellowship Baptist Church, Brinson, GA (Training Ctrs.)	50.00
First Baptist Church of Ojus (Pers. Needs)	25.00
First Baptist Church, Covington, OH (Salary)	25.00
First Baptist Church, Covington, OH (Training Ctrs.)	75.00
Total	260.00

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MISSION STUDY

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unevangelized areas. These are all a part of bringing men to Christ. So, it is important to get settled on the fact that this is the primary work of the church. The first work of the church is not the building of buildings. The principal work of the church is not to establish good public relations. The principal work of the church is the spreading of the Gospel.

There are many secondary works which grow out of the principal work. For example, you go into a new area where the Gospel has never been preached. The first work will be preaching the Gospel only. However, after the work has been established with a church membership, there is the task of teaching the observance of the "all things". There will be many responsibilities for the church in that particular area and "unto the uttermost parts of the earth". There will be the building of buildings for the meetings of the church. There will be the care of the orphans and the widows as well as many other works. But, the primary work of the church is the spreading of the Gospel.



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