

We thank thee, Lord,  
For fields of grain  
Gold and ripe  
from summer's rain,

For hillsides bright  
With scarlet trees  
That rustle  
in the autumn breeze,

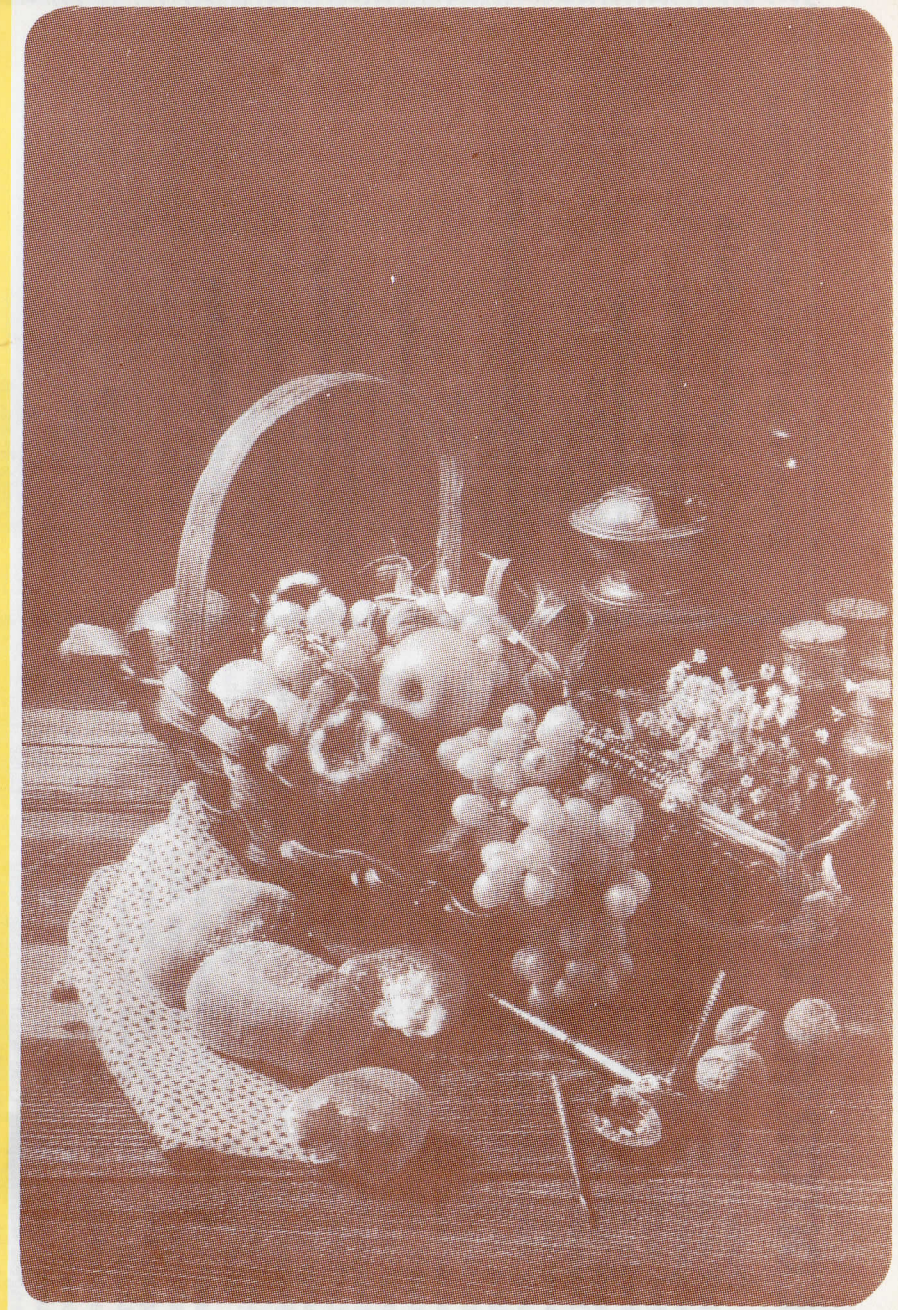
For friends so dear,  
For those we love,  
For all things sent  
from heaven above. . .

We thank thee, Lord.

The  
**Apostolic  
Faith**  
Report

November 1978

Vol. 25 - No. 11



# EDITORIAL VOICE . . . .

During a recent shopping trip I decided that I'd like to look at the decorations for Thanksgiving. Much to my surprise the first store I looked at had none. The next store had anything you'd want for halloween or Christmas. Finally, I found tucked in at the back of the store, on one small shelf about four or five different decorations for Thanksgiving. They weren't in plain sight and certainly were few in number. I couldn't help but wonder—is it this way with our Thanksgiving unto the Lord? Do we have our lives so filled with other things that we have pushed the thanksgiving and praise back into a small shelf in the corner of our heart, out of sight? All through the scriptures we're taught about thanksgiving and praise. Noah built an altar unto the Lord after the flood and I feel sure Noah had a thankful heart and offered praise unto the Lord along with the burnt offerings. Moses sang songs of victory and praise when the children of Israel were delivered from the hand of Pharaoh. David teaches us in the book of Psalms to praise the Lord and to offer thanksgiving unto Him. Psalms 50:14 "Offer unto God thanksgiving; and pay thy vows unto the most high." Do we not owe God our praise and thanksgiving after all He has done for us? Psalms 100:4 "Enter into his gates with thanksgiving and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto Him and bless his name." Jesus our supreme example gave thanks and praise unto God many times. Paul teaches us to let our requests be made known unto God with thanksgiving. In Revelation 7: 11 & 12 we read about the angels worshipping God with thanksgiving and praise. Let's not be like the world and tuck our thanksgiving and praise in a corner somewhere only to be seen by a few. Let's let our praises ring out unto God the Father honoring and praising Him. May we "In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God concerning you." 1 Thess. 5-18.

I pray that each one of you will have a beautiful "Thanksgiving," not only on November 23 but each and every day.

Praise His wonderful name!

Karen

## THE APOSTOLIC FAITH REPORT

**Karen Oakes Editor**

New Office Box 653 Ph-316-856-5281  
Baxter Springs, Kansas 66713

### EDITORIAL BOARD

Bill Hollis  
436 Cherokee Ave.  
Baxter Spgs., Kans. 66713  
316-856-5301

Jack Hopson  
Box 568  
Butler, Ala. 36904  
205-459-3654

Howard Whiteley  
1009 Lincoln, P. O. Box 110  
Baxter Spgs., Kans. 66713  
316-856-3283

Ward Stanbery  
Box 145  
Katy, Texas 77450  
731-371-3464

Doyle Wiles  
Rt. 1 Box 226  
Decatur, Ark. 72722  
501-752-3937

Lee Oakes  
Rt. 3 Box 35  
Neosho, Mo. 64850  
417-451-0175

Jim Fox, Katy, Texas, 77450 (Ph. 731-371-3310)

Published as the Lord provides; sent to you upon request on the free-will offering basis.

Please send all changes of address, giving both old and new addresses, and Zip Code.

## Doctrinal Teachings Of The Apostolic Faith

### Trinity of the God—Head

1 John 5-7

### Repentance [Act of Man]

Mark 1: 14\*-15

2 Peter 3:9

Acts 3:19

### Conversion [Justification] [Act of God]

Matt. 18:3

Acts 13:38, 39

II Cor. 5:17

### Consecration [Act of Man]

Romans 12: 1,2

### Sanctification [Act of God]

[A second definite work of grace]

Neb. 13: 12,13

Ephesians 5: 25\*-27

I Thess. 5:23

### Baptism of the Holy Ghost

Luke 3:16

Acts 1:5

Acts 2:4

Acts 10:45, 46

### Divine Healing

Matt. 4:23

I Peter 2:24

James 5: 14-16

### Ordinances

#### Water Baptism [by immersion]

Matt. 28:19

Romans 6: 3,4

#### The Lords Supper

Matt. 26: 26-28

I Cor. 11: 23-30

#### Feet Washing

John 13: 4-5, 14

#### NO Divorce and Remarriage

Luke 16:18

I Cor. 7:39

#### Second Coming of Christ

John 14:3

Acts 2:11

Matt. 24:30

#### Thousand Year Reign of Christ

Rev. 20:6

Rev. 20:4

#### Conditional Immortality

[Life through Christ]

John 10:10

I John 5:11, 12

Romans 2:7

#### Destruction of the Wicked

Matt. 7:13

II Thes. 1:7-9

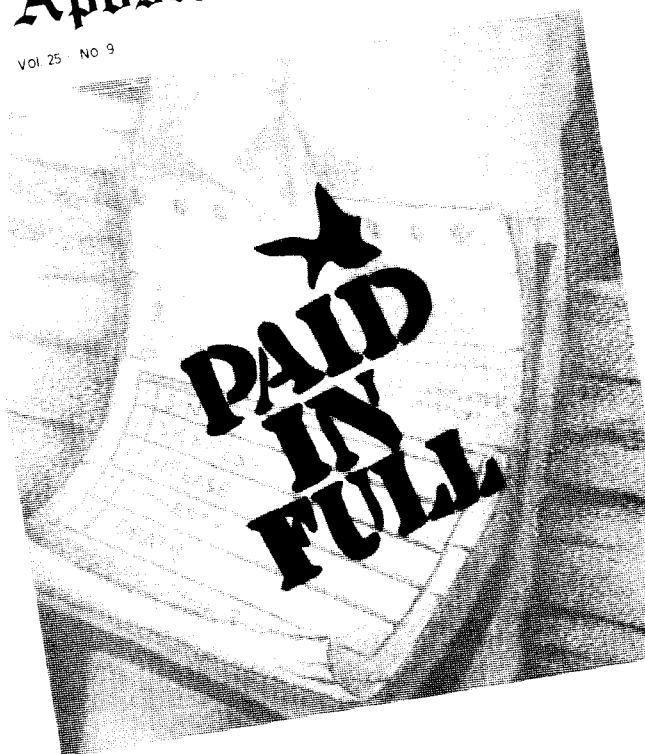
Romans 7:23

Mal. 4:1

#### Tithes and Offerings

Mal. 3:8, 10

Luke 11:42



When receiving the September issue of the Apostolic Faith Report on the front page in bright, glowing, red letters I read "Paid in Full" and by the Spirit I was moved upon to write my testimony that I trust may be a blessing to someone.

A hungry, **very hungry** soul who many years ago was filled.

O praise the Lord for his precious promise found in Matt. 5:6. "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness for they shall be filled." In Christ I have been made a new creature for the many things I have received through his sufferings.

In I Cor. 4:7 we read, "For who maketh thee to differ from another and what hast thou that thou didst not receive?"

I had a mother who told me she lived closer to the Lord when she in a few months was expecting to hold me in her arms then ever in her life. This perhaps was because of losing two babies who were still born, so I feel her prayers were answered.

It seemed as far back as I can remember, my desire was to do right but at the age of 20 when convicted by the Lord, I felt I was the worst sinner who ever lived, and Godly sorrow for sins worked repentance unto salvation. O what peace after seeking God with my whole heart and with tears that freely flowed. This was in 1908 and throughout 12 years from that date my whole being was so hungry for a closer walk with the Lord.

My home was with my parents until I was the age of 22 and was in the country 12 miles northwest of Carthage,

Missouri. At that age I married and came to the panhandle of Texas where I since have lived.

Spearman, Texas, our home town is on the map now, but wasn't until 1919.

At this time Spirit filled, ministers began coming to this part of the panhandle of Texas and Oklahoma with the message taught by Jesus and the Apostles, and the first was "The Morton Sisters" May, Bess and Eva. The many things that had confused and bothered me since being saved were made clear by God's truth that so freely flowed from lips of clay. Many times I had said, "Lord which is the right church, I'm sure there are some Christians in all the different denominations?"

I heard the message "Jesus is the door in to the sheep fold (church) and through him we go in and out and find pasture. One church made up of people whose names are recorded in the Lamb's Book of Life. I could never forget the rejoicing that came to me, for light had been given dispelling darkness. My voice was gone and for 2½ years I had not been able to speak above a whisper. Through these spirit filled messengers I heard God's holy word as written on page 1 of the Sept. Report "Doctrinal Teachings of the Apostolic Faith" and I began to seek for that my soul yearned. In 1920 in a meeting conducted by the Morton Sisters in Waka, Texas, six miles north of our home, I was sanctified and also had a voice restored. Two years later was sealed having received the promise of the Father, "The Holy Ghost." Irene Dilworth was in charge of this meeting in Range, Oklahoma. The tarry services were in the home of Bro. Joe Davis who has departed this life years ago.

For 2 hours I was unable to speak English and during this time, rejoiced, sang and preached to all present.

Since then I have been able to yield to the Spirit at anytime, for since the day I said yes to the will of God and was sanctified, I have striven to do his whole will.

Through trials and testings I've gone, but the Lord was faithful in taking me through victorious.

Many visions and revelations have been given, but of these I will not glory save in the cross.

Others have felt at times I was near death's door, but God still had something more for me to do though it may seem small. It has been so blessed to trust him as my "Great Physician." No relief of any kind have I had for my body from the arm of flesh since 1919.

When Jesus comes, the dead in Christ shall rise first and we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them to meet the Lord in the air, and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

I'm seeking for Redemption, not from the grave, but with the group we read about in Rev. 14th chapter, "Redeemed from among men."

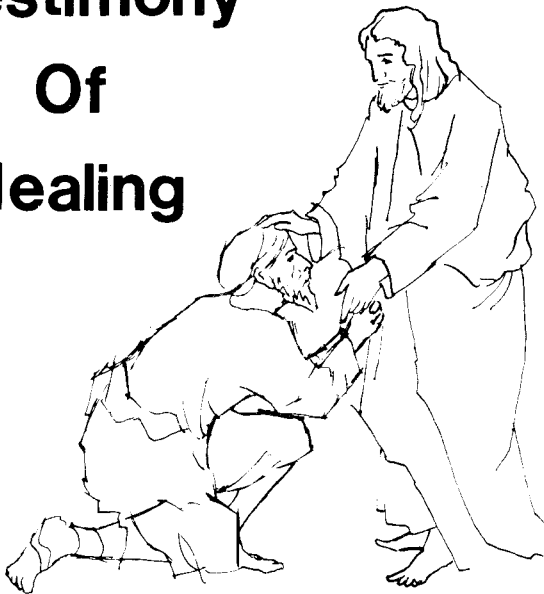
What I'm worthy of through Christ I'll receive and He will know as is the case with all of God's dear children.

I'm longing to see him but not weary in well doing, for I'll reap in due season if I faint not. My cup often runs over with joy as I wait, knowing our labor is not in vain in the Lord.

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ let us run with patience the race that is set before us, for some glad day he will be coming for us. He had warned us to "Be Ready."

With my love,  
Mrs. E. A. Greever  
319 South Bernice  
Spearman, Texas 79081

# Testimony Of Healing



God gave Moses a great promise in Exodus chapter 15 verse 26. And said, if thou wilt diligently hearken to the voice of the Lord thy God, and wilt do that which is right in his sight, and wilt give ear to his commandments, and keep all his statutes, I will put none of these diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians; for I am the Lord that healeth thee.

Thank God for His promise of healing: Psalms 34:15, tells us, The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and His ears are open unto their cry.

July 16 I became ill with severe pain in my left shoulder next to the spine. The pain went up my back into my head. For days I suffered. James 5:13 says, "Is any among you afflicted? Let him pray." My husband, Ray and I prayed. The pain grew worse. On July 28, I called Sister Faye Forbes of Joplin. I asked her to pray and to call Sister Goldia Forknor, Dorothy Maney, and Karen Oakes. I knew these women believed God for healing. I knelt to pray after placing the call and as I prayed they were praying, Sister Faye and Goldia on the phone together. And the glory of God came around me. I knew He had heard my cry. Although the pain remained for three more days, I had the assurance by the Holy Ghost that I was healed. On Sunday Sister Goldia and Sister Faye came to see me, again as they laid hands on me and prayed I was assured I was healed. On Tuesday, August 1, the pain was gone. Thank God. I have not had it since. Isaiah 53:5 looking toward the cross says, "But he was wounded for our transgressions; he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed." And I Peter 2:24 looking back to the cross says, "Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed. I do so Thank Jesus for healing me. He was bruised for my iniquities and by his stripes I was healed.

Essie G. Beaver  
Granby, Missouri

## SHOULD I FORCE MY CHILD TO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL?

By Edgar Hoover

Shall I make my child go to Sunday School and church? Yes! And with no further discussion about the matter. Startled? Why? How do you answer Junior when he comes to breakfast on Monday morning and announces to you that he is not going to school any more? You know! Junior goes. How do you answer when Junior comes in very much desmudged and says; "I'm not going to take a bath." Junior bathes, doesn't he.?

Why all this timidity, then, in the realm of his spiritual guidance and growth? Going to let him wait and decide what church he'll go to when he's old enough? Quit your kidding! You didn't wait until you were old enough! You don't wait until he's old enough to decide whether he wants to go to school or not—to start his education. You don't wait until he's old enough to decide whether he wishes to be clean or dirty, do you? Do you wait until he's old enough to decide if he wants to take his medicine when he is sick? Do you?

What shall we say when Junior announces he doesn't like to go to Sunday school and church? That's an easy one to answer. Just be consistent. Tell him, "Junior, in our house we all go to church and Sunday school and that includes you." Your firmness and example will furnish a bridge over which youth rebellion may travel into rich and satisfying experience in personal Christian living.

The parents of America can strike a telling blow against the forces which contribute to our juvenile delinquency, if our mothers and fathers will take their children to Sunday school and church regularly.

When God loves us so much as to give His only Son to become our sin-bearer and Saviour, we certainly must grieve His heart by our indifference and neglect of Him. Think of it, the God of creation, the one who made us, in whom is all wisdom and knowledge, invites you—your family—to come to Him through His Son, Jesus Christ!

How rich, how full, how blessed, how wonderful will be your life and the lives of your children when, through Christ, you and they know God's forgiveness, His fellowship, His smile upon your lives and your home!

Listen to the promise of the Lord, "Behold, I stand at the door (the door of your heart—your home), and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come into him, and will sup with him, and he with me" (Rev. 3:20).

May you this day take God at His Word. And may His blessing and His fullness change your home into a home where the Lord Jesus Christ is one with you. Determine right now to take your family to a Sunday school and church where Christ is honored and the whole Bible is preached.

Gospel Herald

Heb. 10:25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

If your troubles are deep seated and of LONG  
standing, try kneeling.

# AFBC News

## GIRL'S DORM REPORT

Praise the Lord for He has been so good to us in the girl's dorm! We are few in number but the Lord has kept His promise of where two or three are gathered, He would be also. The most precious times have been in prayer and praise to the Lord. Of course, girls will be girls so there are many high-pitched shrills and plenty of friendly pranks. Among these pranks include various items of clothing found in peculiar places and drawers being switched, leaving their owners searching for their belongings that were once so easy to find. Also, a few girls find it hard to obey the curfew which keeps our dorm mom, Sister Tony Bartel, busy after hours scurrying down the hall listening and watching intently for any unlawful noises or lights!

Speaking of faculty, recently we had a teacher appreciation day. Besides balloons and signs, the students gave several gifts and keepsakes to the faculty throughout the day. Also, the students served the faculty their lunch. We are very proud of the faculty—they are excellent servants of the Lord and we truly appreciate them.

Studying is, of course, one of our favorite pastimes. Each one of us has learned so much already from God's Word and are expecting even more. However, the most important thing is that we are one in the Lord. The love of God is so easy to give to Christian sisters and if we've gained nothing else from Bible School we have learned how to truly love and be loved. Thank the Lord for His goodness!

"Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!" Psalms 133:1

In Christian Love,  
Peggy Gray

## FROM THE DEAN OF MEN'S DESK

With mid semester exams coming up, the first week in October, there is much activity among the students in the dorm. A person hears typewriters going when the students are not in their classes, and those who are not typing are writing and scratching their heads. Some of the students are finding that it doesn't pay (gradewise) when they do not take notes, and do a little writing in their note books. Ask Andy, or Rick!

I see students helping each other during study period each evening from 8 to 10 p.m. These students will not only be an asset to the churches they come from, if they continue on in deepening their lives in the Word of God, but they will make good husbands as they are keeping their end up on doing household duties, and doing a good job! Keep it up fellows.

Our aim here at the College is to see that each student will return to his local community and Church, ready to teach, preach and live the Gospel he has learned here in school; and help promote the Apostolic Faith Doctrine which is sorely needed to keep our churches from dying.

We have had several visitors visiting the College. We are always glad to have them come and see how the College operates and sit in the classes. I personally feel it would be a blessing for each Apostolic Faith Church to have a delegate visit and sit in the classes that are being taught. We appreciate those of you who are holding the College and the students in prayer.

R. C. B.

Dear Friends in Christ:

"Blessed are those that hunger and thirst after righteousness for they shall be filled." We feel that AFBC is the place where this scripture is being fulfilled daily.

This has been a good term of school as the students are studying with diligence. We have tried to stress the need to build on a solid foundation and to become established in the Word of God. This should be top priority in every Christian's life.

I know that many of you are wondering exactly what my physical problem is and how I am. Many have heard that I'm completely down. Well, I'm not. There were several things wrong with me but each one is diet related and can be controlled with a diet and limiting physical stress and activity. Already with the month of following a strict diet, I can see my symptoms disappearing. I have low blood sugar besides being very low in red blood cells which together were causing some liver and kidney problems. It takes 3 months to build new blood cells and this must be done with as much rest as possible, strict diet and vitamin supplements.

Since we can't make the fall choir tour, we're depending upon each of you to remember the school . . . keeping the school before the church, and remembering us and the school DAILY in prayer.

The Lord willing we plan to continue for a full nine months. Financially the choir tour put us over the top last year so we will be depending upon each pastor to fill the gap for us.

On November 15th (or another day if it is better for you) we would like to have Bible College Appreciation Day. Make it a special time in emphasizing all the good which the school does for individuals which then benefits the churches. Perhaps a special offering can be taken that day and the needs of the school brought to the congregation's attention.

A fall festival banquet will be held November 4, 1978, at 6 p.m. in place of the Thanksgiving banquet. We invite each of you that possibly can attend to do so. Take a few days and be with us and enjoy the spiritual blessings of some of our classes. You won't be sorry. As one student remarked a few years ago that at the time was one of my church members, "You can't attend Bible School and NOT be helped in some way, even if you aren't a Christian." Those that come with an attitude of receiving the most possible, are the ones that go home filled to overflowing. Those that come for a good time are the ones that go home disappointed with the school . . . their hearts and minds were NOT in the proper attitude for God to bless and fill with His word. So, prayer is essential for our students.

Again we ask that you don't forget our deep-freezes which are getting a little low; don't forget our teachers who are giving of their time to teach our youth; and don't forget our general fund which pays the bills.

We will remind you that our land payment plus interest is due again in February. The Parham book note is due in December, so help us sell our books.

May God richly bless each of you and again. . . PRAY DAILY for us, for the students and faculty. . . that God's wisdom and direction will abide upon each phase of AFBC.

In Christian service,  
Howard Whiteley,  
Superintendent

# The Gospel Of Jesus Christ

The word Gospel means good news. It is a revelation, it is teaching to bring man to a place where he could be redeemed from the fall of sin. In the beginning man had everything, but because of Adam and Eve's sin, death was pronounced on the human family. I think that the gospel really began when God in Gen. 3:15, promised that he would not leave man without a Saviour. So the good news was that man would have a chance to be redeemed.

What is The Gospel? St. John 7:16, "Jesus answered them, and said, My doctrine is not mine, but of him that sent me," speaking of God the Father. True doctrine is the Gospel. You can't have one without the other. With all the different teachings and beliefs being taught in the world today, let us be sure of what we accept, because in spite of all these that we hear of, there is still the pure unadulterated gospel of Jesus Christ. Anything that does not agree with what Christ and the apostles taught is not right. Gal. 1:7-9 Paul said, "Which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ. But though we or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you let him be accursed." "As we said before, so say I again, if any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed."

I have been asked why do I believe that The Apostolic Faith Movement teaches the true gospel? Because we teach what Christ and the apostles taught, thus our movement is called The Apostolic Faith Movement. In Gal. 3:8. Paul speaks of the gospel being preached to Abraham and the scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the heathen through faith, preached before the gospel unto Abraham, saying, "In thee shall all nations be blessed." The gospel began in the New Testament with the preaching of John the Baptist. Matt. 3:1-3. His message was repent for the kingdom of heaven is at hand. Mark 1:1, "The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ the Son of God." What was this gospel for? 2 Tim. 1:10. "But is now made manifest by the appearing of our Saviour Jesus Christ, who hath abolished death, and hath brought life and immortality to light through the gospel." Isn't that what we are all working for—eternal life? Eternal life only comes through Jesus Christ, 2 John 5:12 "He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life." God's work makes it very plain to us who has eternal life and who does not. Jesus said in Mark 13:10, "And the gospel must first be published among all nations." Mark 16:15, "And he said unto them, go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." The gospel is a very important part of the Bible, for without it we would not be informed as we are. Rev. 14:6, "And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people."

I know that we can not use all of the scriptures pertaining to this subject in one short writing, but remember this, all the earth and all peoples will hear the gospel before the coming of the Lord. In Mark 16:15, they were commanded to

go and preach the gospel to the whole world. Mark 13:10, Jesus said "And the gospel must first be published among all nations. Finally I Peter 4:7 tells us, "but the end of all things is at hand; be ye therefore sober and watch unto prayer." Let us hold fast to the precious gospel of Christ.

In the Masters Service  
Rev. Ted Jackson  
1524 Galena Ave.  
Galena, Kansas 66739

## FAITHFUL . . . IS HE WHO HAS PROMISED

Are you passing through a testing.

Is your pillow wet with tears?

Do you wonder what the reason,

Why it seems God never hears?

Why it is you have no answer

To your oft-repeated plea,

Why the heaven still is leaden

As you wait on bended knee?

Do you wonder as you suffer,

Whether God does understand,

And if so, why He ignores you,

Fails to hold you in His hand?

Do black doubts creep in, assail you,

Fears without, and fears within,

Till your brave heart almost falters

And gives way to deadly sin?

All God's testings have a purpose—

Some day you will see the light.

All He asks is that you trust Him,

Walk by faith and not by sight.

Do not fear when doubts beset you,

Just remember—He is near;

He will never, never leave you,

He will always, always hear.

Faithful is He who has promised,

He will never let you fall,

Daily will the strength be given

Strength for each and strength for all.

He will gladly share pain with you,

He will gladly give you peace.

Till your tired and weary body

Finds its blessed, glad release.

When the darkened veil is lifted,

Then, dear heart, you'll understand

Why it is you had to suffer,

Why you could not feel His hand

Giving strength when it was needed,

Giving power and peace within

Giving joy thru tears and trial,

Giving victory over sin.

So till then just keep on trusting,

Thru the sunshine and the rain,

Thru the tears and thru the heart-aches,

Thru the smiles and thru the pain—

Knowing that our Father watches,

Knowing daily strength He'll give,

Victory for each passing hour,

This is life, so let us live!

# MINISTERS

# DIRECTORY

## A

**ABRAHAM, T. S.**  
"Philadelphia"  
Walker Town  
Secunderabad 50025  
India

**ADAIR, MARCUS L.**  
Box 844  
2700 4th Ave.  
Ph. 806-655-4770  
Director: Faith Bible  
Education Center  
26th & 2nd Ave.  
Faith Student Center  
2708 4th Ave.  
Canyon, Texas 79015

**ALLEN, HOMER H.**  
1727 Donax Ave.  
Ph. 714-423-2131  
Pator: Apostolic Faith Church  
1735 Donax Ave.  
San Diego, Calif. 92154

**ANDERSON, DOROTHY**  
Rt. 4 Box 108  
Quitman, Miss. 39355  
Ph. 601-776-3587  
Pastor: Pine Crest Chapel

**ARNALL, FRANK**  
Box 284  
Center Point, Texas  
Ph. 512-634-7703  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Mission

**ARNALL, JIM**  
Rt. 2 Box 385  
Ashland, Ala. 36251  
Ph. 205-354-2167  
Pastor: Bethel Community Church

**ARNALL, JOHNNY**  
P. O. Box 16  
Ph. 713-826-2528  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Hempstead, Texas 77445

**ARNALL, LYNDEL**  
Box 110  
Ph. 316-856-3986  
Baxter Springs, Kansas 66713  
AFBC Faculty

## B

**BACHLER, OLEN**  
Box 514 - 1602 Heights Dr.  
Ph. 713-371-3643  
Katy, Texas 77450

**BARKER, GLENN [TED]**  
Rt. 1  
Ph. 405-921-5188  
Laverne, Okla. 73848  
Evangelist

**BARKER, JACK**  
Box 411  
Ph. 405-921-3996  
Laverne, Okla. 73848

**BARKER, KEITH**  
706 E. 15th  
Ph. 806-665-1579  
Pampa, Texas 79065  
Pastor: Pampa Chapel

**BARKER, RAYMOND**  
Box 218  
1010 Ave. A  
Ph. 713-371-2208  
Katy, Texas 77450

**BARKER, WINSTON**  
Box 7  
Taneyville, Mo. 65759  
Ph. 417-546-4897  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**BEELER, GRACE**  
Box 94  
Ph. 417-546-4286  
Gospel Worker  
Taneyville, Mo. 65759  
Taneyville A. F. Church

**BEYDLER, ROBERT & DORA**  
Box 110  
Ph. 316-856-2483  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713  
AFBC Faculty

**BLYTHE, JOHN W. SR.**  
Rt. 1 Box 323  
Ph. 601-693-4887  
Meridian, Miss. 39301  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Snell, Miss.

**BLYTHE, VAN EARL**  
362 W. Davilla  
Ph. 512-446-5525  
Rockdale, Texas 76567  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
400 W. Davilla

**BOLLINGER, HAROLD J.**  
Crooked Creek, Alaska  
99575

**BRILES, ROSS**  
603 Floyd Ave.  
Ph. 209-529-2127  
Modesto, Calif. 95350  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
505 Floyd Ave.

**BROCK, LEE**  
4007 Marfarqua Dr.  
Ph. 209-465-8376  
Stockton, Calif. 95206

**BUSCH, O. A.**  
1614 Washington  
Ph. 316-856-2626  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713  
Evangelist

**BUSCH, ROLAND E.**  
Box 1002  
1537 East Ave.  
Katy, Texas 77450  
Ph. 713-371-3356

**BUSCHMAN, ALVIN R.**  
Box 641  
Ph. 308-586-1345  
Bayard, Nebraska 69334  
Co-Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

## C

**CARNEY, MYRTLE**  
Rt. 4 Box 178  
Ph. 205-398-3132  
Quitman, Miss. 39355  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Hinton, Ala.

**CHRIESTENSON, ELMER**  
Rt. 2 Box 196  
Ph. 405-938-2468  
Shattuck, Okla. 73858  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**CLANTON, PAUL A.**  
Rt. 2 Box 346  
Ph. 316-856-5100  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713  
Pastor: Mt. Pleasant  
Community Church  
Purdy, Mo. 65734

**CLANTON, S. VESTER**  
3101 Ave. Y  
Ph. 915-573-5144  
Snyder, Texas 79549  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**COBERLY, HOMER**  
1307 30th St.  
Ph. 806-744-2871  
Lubbock, Tex. 79410

**COOK, SHARI**  
Box 94  
Taneyville, Mo. 65759  
Ph. 417-546-4286  
Youth Director  
Assist. Pastor

**COOPER, ROBERT**  
201 W. Hill  
Ph. 417-451-5814  
Neosho, Mo. 64850  
Pastor: Union Chapel  
Bethpage Community  
Stella, Mo. 64867

**CORNELL, E. K.**  
1811 S. Main  
Ph. 316-783-2433  
Galena, Kans. 66739  
Pastor: Spring Grove  
Apostolic Faith Church

**CORNELL, JACK**  
Box 133  
Ph. 405-888-4555  
Hardesty, Okla. 73944  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**CROWHURST, JEROME**  
611 W. 17  
Ph. 505-622-5197  
Roswell, New Mexico 88201  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

## D

**DALTON, RANDY**  
McClurg, Mo. 65701  
Ph. 417-796-2694

**DAY, TOM**  
Rt. 3 Box 459A  
Joplin, Mo. 64801  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Prosperity, Mo.

**DAY, RONALD**  
Rt. 3 Box 459  
Ph. 417-624-3690  
Joplin, Mo. 64801  
Pastor: Tom's Station Church

**DEARING, FRANCIS**  
5083 E. Judson  
Ph. 702-452-2571  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89110  
Pastor: Full Gospel  
Tabernacle Church

**DENTON, GARY**  
1109 Valerie  
Ph. 713-472-0912  
Pasadena, Texas 77502

**DENTON, RALPH**  
2717 Westside Dr. #75  
Pasadena, Tex. 77502  
Open for calls

**DENTON, ROGER**  
1101 Amor  
Ph. 713-477-2619  
Pasadena, Texas 77502

**DEWEES, JOE B.**  
Box 323  
Ph. 713-826-2507  
Hempstead, Texas 77445

**DIBBENS, DONALD**  
Vanderpool, Texas 78885  
Ph. 512-966-3672

## F

**FERGUSON, A. WAPEL**  
Box 286  
Ph. 501-248-1352  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Cave Springs, Ark. 72717

**FERRY, J. O. & OPAL**  
1320 Rolling Oaks Dr.  
Rogers, Ark. 72756

**FLOCK, DEWEY**  
P. O. Box 411  
Perryton, Texas 79070

**FOX, JIM**  
Box 713  
Ph. 713-371-3426  
Katy, Texas 77450  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
10th and Ave. D  
Church Ph. 713-371-3310

**FREEMAN, LYFORD**  
401 S. Kings Highway  
McAllen, Texas 78501  
Ph. % Don Russell  
512-787-2675

## G

**GREEVER, MRS. E. A.**  
319 S. Bernice  
Spearman, Texas 79081  
Ph. 806-659-3205

**GRIMMER, LEALAND**  
913 S. W. 19th  
Ph. 806-435-5018  
Perryton, Texas 79070  
Pastor: Gray Community Church

## H

**HANEY, ROLAND**  
Rt. 2 Box 123  
Ph. 501-643-3491  
Elkins, Ark. 72727  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Crosses, Ark.

**HARRIS, AMOS**  
Rt. 1 Box 44  
Ph. 308-586-1148  
Bayard, Nebraska 69334  
Co-Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**HARRIS, BILL**  
1364 Judson Way  
Ph. 714-462-0506  
Chula Vista, Calif. 92011

**HEIL, RENE**  
3572 Bellaire N. 16  
Ft. Worth, Texas 76109

**HINTERGARDT, GEORGE**  
Box 334-815 Washington  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713  
Ph. 316-856-5790  
Pastor: Westside Mission  
Purcell, Mo.

**HOLLIS, WM. T. [BILL]**  
436 Cherokee Ave.  
Ph. 316-856-5301  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713  
AFBC Trustee

**HICKMAN, F. ALLEN**  
Box 103  
Fort Sumner, N. Mex.  
88119  
Ph. 505-355-2802



**HOPSON, JACK**  
Box 568  
Butler, Ala. 36904  
Ph. 205-459-3564  
AFBC Trustee

**HOSLER, JAMES**  
1309 S. Goliad  
Ph. 915-263-7144  
Big Springs, Texas 79720  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**HUFF, DENNIS**  
6817 Rochelle  
Amarillo, Tex. 79109

**HULTS, BILL**  
Star Rt.  
Witter, Ark. 72776  
Ph. 501-677-2520

## J

**JACKSON, TED**  
524 Galena Ave.  
Box 171  
Ph. 316-783-5389  
Galena, Ks. 66739

**JACOBS, MRS. LEOTA**  
5221 E. 28th Terr  
Kansas City, Mo. 64120

## K

**KERR, GARY**  
645 N. E. 17th  
Guymon, Okla. 73942

**KERR, G. K.**  
904 W. 7th  
Ph. 316-624-5266  
Liberal, Kans. 67901  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
6th and Roosevelt  
Church Ph. 316-624-5729

**KINSER, OLLIE**  
Box 161  
Arnett, Okla. 73832  
Ph. 405-885-3891  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**KLAUS, CALVIN**  
Trapper Creek, Alaska  
99688

## L

**LAMUNYON, FLOYD**  
Box 738  
Ph. 405-921-5155  
Laverne, Okla. 73848

**LIVELY, DAVID**  
Box 87  
Sharon, Okla. 73857  
Ph. 405-866-3425

**LONG, JIMMY**  
2048 W. 76th Ave.  
#2110  
Denver, Co. 80221  
Pastor: Your Community Chapel  
4172 W. 76th Ave.  
Westminster, Co. 80030

**LONG, LOWELL**  
114 S. W. 4th  
Box 735  
Ph. 405-921-3224  
Laverne, Okla. 73848

## M

**MALONE, EARL GENE**  
Rt. 2  
Laverne, Okla. 73848  
Ph. 405-921-5466

**MARTIN, RONNIE**  
1405 Lang  
Ph. 713-331-1300  
Alvin, Texas 77511  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Church Ph. 713-586-3911

**MATHIS, TERRY**  
% Box 40398  
Ph. 713-462-3039  
Houston, Texas 77040

**McCANCE, DAVID**  
Rt. 4 Box 259  
Ph. 405-237-0867  
Enid, Okla. 73701  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**McLEOD, CLAUDE JR.**  
Alvin, Texas 77511

**MENKE, PEARL**  
313 Ave. B. East  
Ph. 316-532-3506  
Kingman, Kans. 67068

**METHVIN, BARRY**  
Highway 15 East  
Box 278  
Ph. 806-653-2801  
Follett, Tex. 79034  
Evangelist

**METHVIN, M. D.**  
Highway 15 East  
Box 278  
Ph. 806-653-2801  
Follett, Texas 79034  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**MICHENER, RAY & EDNA**  
Rt. 1  
Ph. 316-856-3576  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713

**MILLER, GAIL**  
116 Pen Mar Dr. Box 604  
Ph. 405-256-8096  
Woodward, Okla. 73801  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**MODRICK, EDWIN W.**  
6200 Estacado  
Ph. 806-359-9797  
Amarillo, Tex. 79109

**MODRICK, MITCHELL**  
732 E. Cherokee  
Ph. 405-242-0019  
Enid, Okla. 73701

**MORGAN, AUSTIN**  
3525 E. Fedora  
Ph. 209-222-5859  
Fresno, Calif. 93726

**MORGAN, EARL**  
9127 White Oak Lane  
Houston, Texas 77040

## N

**NUNN, ONAL**  
Box 296  
Ph. 417-472-3665  
Granby, Mo. 64844  
Fill in Work

## O

**OAKES, F. LEE**  
Rt. 6 Box 81  
Neosho, Mo. 64850  
Ph. 417-451-0175  
AFBC Trustee

## P

**PARKS, PEARL**  
925 W. Main #405  
Ph. 503-942-4841  
Cottage Grove, Ore. 97424

**PATTERSON, BILL SR.**  
8236 Flora  
Ph. 816-361-4136  
Kansas City, Mo. 64131

**PATTERSON, BILL JR.**  
1901 Lelia  
Guymon, Okla. 73942

**PENNINGTON, MAX**  
2805 Fareham Ct.  
Columbus, Ohio 43227  
Ph. 614-861-2085

**PITTS, CARL**  
Rt. 1  
Ph. 417-624-1456  
Diamond, Mo. 64840

**PLETCHER, JAKE H.**  
Box 744  
Ph. 316-856-3163  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713  
AFBC Faculty

**POLVADO, GEORGE**  
Ph. 512-966-3420  
Vanderpool, Texas 78885

**PRIEST, KENNETH JR.**  
3424 84th #3  
Anchorage, Alaska 99502

## Q

**QUALLS, ANDY**  
Box 28  
Hempstead, Texas 77445  
Ph. 713-826-2290

## R

**RAGAN, NEIL**  
510 S. Cox  
Ph. 417-781-5761  
Joplin, Mo. 64801  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**RAY, JOHN D.**  
3824 DeBarr  
Ph. 907-279-7720  
Anchorage, Alaska 99504  
Pastor: Full Gospel Church

**REGIER, JACOB**  
1518 S. Drake  
Ph. 806-435-4478  
Perryton, Texas 79070

**ROBINSON, DANNY**  
Rt. 2 Box 32  
Balko, Okla. 73931  
Ph. 405-646-3377  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**ROUTH, JAMES RAY**  
Box 178  
Des Arc, Arkansas 72040

**RUSSELL, JIMMY**  
901 Zauk  
Ph. 806-935-3665  
Dumas, Texas 79029  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

## S

**SCRUGGS, JOHN**  
Rt. 3 Box 70  
Ph. 713-826-2762  
Hempstead, Texas 77445  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Pattison, Texas 77466

**SHEPHERD, MR. & MRS. MEL**  
501 Raff Rt. 3  
Ph. 316-532-2539  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Kingman, Kansas  
**SHIPMAN, JAMES W.**  
Box 80  
Leakey, Texas 78873

**SPARKS, MARLON**  
Box 9  
Gause, Texas 77839  
Ph. 713-279-2073  
**STANBERRY, A. B. SR.**  
1705 W. Sealy  
Alvin, Texas 77511  
Ph. 713-585-6029  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
Tomball, Texas 77375

**STANBERRY, WARD**  
Box 145  
Ph. 713-371-3463  
Katy, Texas 77450  
AFBC Trustee

**STIMSON, FRANK**  
808 E. Redwood  
Sallisaw, Okla. 74955

**SUTTON, AUSTIN**  
628 N. Bivins  
Ph. 806-374-0546  
Amarillo, Tex. 79107  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**SUTTON, DARREL & PEGGY**  
Box 65  
Ph. 713-371-7221  
Katy, Texas 77450

**SUTTON, LOUISE**  
526 E. 17th St.  
Ph. 316-856-5091  
Baxter Springs, Ks. 66713

## T

**TAYLOR, BOB**  
Logan, Okla. 73849  
Ph. 405-837-5595  
Pastor: Midway Country Church

**THOMPSON, LAURA**  
P. O. Box 271  
Camp Wood, Texas 78833

**TURNER, DAVID**  
R. R. 4 Box 255B  
Alvin, Texas 77511

## V

**VASSAR, GEORGE**  
Rt. 1 Box 199  
Ph. 405-256-3046  
Woodward, Okla. 73801

## W

**WALLIS, JAMES E.**  
6015 Sunset Dr.  
Ph. 405-338-5034  
Guymon, Okla. 73942  
Pastor: Panhandle Bible Center  
Apostolic Faith Church  
1901 & Lelia

**WATERBURY, EDWIN**  
Box 205  
Ph. 417-472-6203  
Granby, Mo. 64844  
Pastor: Gospel Tabernacle

**WATERBURY, HARROL**  
Box 845  
1117 S. Indiana  
Ph. 806-435-3134  
Perryton, Texas 79070  
Pastor: Full Gospel Church  
4th & Eton  
Church Ph. 806-435-2506

**WATERBURY, F. E.**  
3139 E. Sierra  
Fresno, Calif. 93710  
Ph. 209-299-8954

**WEBSTER, EUGENE**  
Box 68  
Ph. 307-332-2609  
Pastor: Hudson Community Church  
Hudson, Wyoming 82515

**WELSH, LARRY**  
111 E. O'Bryant  
Ph. 713-856-3485  
Bellville, Tex. 77418  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church

**WHITELEY, HOWARD**  
Box 110  
Ph. 316-856-3283  
Baxter Spgs., Ks. 66713  
Supt AFBC and  
Pastor: Apostolic Faith Chapel  
10th & Lincoln

**WILES, DELVIN**  
 Box 337  
 109 S. E. 4th  
 Ph. 405-921-5144  
 Laverne, Okla. 73848  
 Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church  
 4th & Broadway

**WILES, DOYLE**  
 Rt. 1 Box 226  
 Ph. 501-752-3937  
 Decatur, Ark. 72722  
 AFBC Trustee

**WILLS, HAROLD**  
 618 Briarwilde Court  
 Ph. 713-331-5141  
 Alvin, Texas 77511  
 Pastor: Apostolic Faith Church,  
 Dickinson, Texas

**WIMER, JACK**  
 804 S. Drake  
 Box 5321  
 Ph. 209-464-6590  
 Stockton, Calif. 95205  
 Pastor: Bethel Wayside Chapel  
 836 S. Drake

# HOLY LAND TOUR

## Departing

### March 12, 1979

A 10 day Middle East tour is being hosted by Jack Hopson from Butler, Ala. This tour will be going to Egypt to visit the Egyptian Museum with its priceless finds from the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen; then to Memphis, the ancient capital of Egypt. On to visit the Sphinx and the Pyramids and many other interesting sights in Cairo. Then the tour will continue on to Amman Jordan where you will visit the Rose Red City of Petra some ninety miles from Amman. Also a visit to Mt Nebo from which Moses viewed the Promised Land. The tour will then continue on to Israel to visit many interesting places such as the Old city of Jerusalem, Mt. of Olives, Gordon's Calvary, the Dome of the Rock, the wailing wall, the Upper Room and walk the Via Dolorosa. You will visit such places as Jericho, Bethany, Bethlehem, Massada, Hebron. To the north you will visit Jacob's Well, Nazareth, Megiddo, Sea of Galilee, Capernaum, and Mt. Carmel.

Mr. Jack Hopson has had much experience in the travel field as he has visited many countries in his photography business. He will try to make your tour as meaningful as possible and if you are interested in making this tour with Mr. Hopson please contact him as soon as possible so that all details can be worked out for your trip. For more information write Jack Hopson, Box 568, Butler, Ala. 36904 or phone area code 205-459-3564.



## AFBC Phone Numbers

Howard Whiteley, Supt.	
Supt. home, office, sec. office, kitchen . . . . .	856-3283
Supt. home and office . . . . .	856-3282
Lyndel Arnall . . . . .	856-3986
Jake Pletcher . . . . .	856-3163
Tony Bartel (Dean of Girls) . . . . .	856-3059
Vicki Bartel . . . . .	856-3007
Barbara Cooper . . . . .	856-3040
Robert Beydler (Dean of Men) . . . . .	856-2483
<b>Pay Phones</b>	
The Old Home . . . . .	856-9871
Boys Dorm . . . . .	856-9872
Girls Dorm . . . . .	856-9873

-----

**DEADLINE!**

Copy must be in by the  
 15th of the month to be in  
 the next month's issue.

-----

## PARHAM BOOKS

NOW AVAILABLE

- Life of Charles F. Parham . . . . . now \$7.00
  - The Voice Crying in the Wilderness . . . . . \$2.00
  - Selected Sermons . . . . . \$1.50
  - The Everlasting Gospel . . . . . \$2.00
  - Handling and Postage . . . . . \$ .50
- ORDER NOW!! from The Apostolic Faith Bible  
 College Box 110 Baxter Sggs., Kans. 66713.

# JESUS CHRIST

## The Answer To All Our Problems

By James W. Hosler

Webster says a problem is a question proposed for solution. We often hear people say I must get away from it all. This is one of the most false statements ever made, there is only one answer, and that is to pray through on the problem, and let Jesus be the answer. Praise the Lord there is an answer.

With much prayer and a burden I would like to share some of the words of God that have been an answer to my problems. Let me say again this world with all its problems, JESUS is still the answer. Men seek council of men and fail to find the answers. Isaiah's Prophecy gives us the answer for counselling. Isaiah 9:6 For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulders and his name shall be called wonderful, counsellor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

This is divine counselling for all of us, in this troubled world of ours in the seventy's. Thank God there are answers. Heb. 13:8 Jesus Christ the same, yesterday, and today and forever.

Jesus has been the answer down through the years and still is, thank God. I Cor. 14:33 For God is not the author of confusion but of peace as in all churches of the saints. I am so glad that the Lord doesn't leave us in a confused state of mind, but there are answers for God's people through Jesus.

I Cor. 10:13 There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man. But God is faithful who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.

This is a wonderful promise and we find answers in the precious word. I like to think of God being faithful and Jesus as our high priest, which can be touched by the feelings of our infirmities. Jesus was tempted in all points as we are, yet without sin. Let us come boldly before the throne of grace that we may go to him in mercy and find grace to help in time of trouble. II Peter 2:9 The Lord knoweth how to deliver the Godly out of temptations, and to reserve the unjust unto the day of judgment to be punished. I am so thankful that the Lord knows how. The important thing is to commit it all in the hands of one that knows how.

In this world with all its problems, we live in the greatest age that has ever been, for we live in the generation and age in which the Rapture will take place. Praise the Lord! Rev. 14:1-5 And I looked and lo, a Lamb stood on the mount Sion, and with him an hundred forty and four thousand, having his Father's name written in their foreheads. And I heard a voice from heaven, as the voice of many waters, and as a voice of a great thunder: and I heard the voice of harpers harping with their harps: And they sung as it were a new song before the throne, and before the four beasts, and the elders: and no man could learn that song but the hundred and forty and four thousand, which were redeemed from the earth. These are they which were not defiled with women; for they are virgins. These are they which follow the Lamb whithersoever he goeth. These were redeemed from among men, being the first fruits unto God and to the Lamb. And in their mouth was found no guile: for they are without fault before the throne of God.

I feel that this event will take place in the near future and I want to, as Jesus told us, to pray always that we might be counted worthy to escape the things that are coming upon the world.

I Peter 1:10-12 Of which salvation the prophets have inquired and searched diligently who prophesied of the grace that should come unto you.

Searching what, or what manner of time the Spirit of Christ which was in them did signify, when it testified before hand the sufferings of Christ and the glory that should follow. Unto whom it was revealed that not unto themselves but unto us they did minister the things which are now reported unto you by them that have preached the gospel unto you with the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven; which things the angels desire to look into. The age of redemptive Glory was what Peter was writing about. The prophets and angels desired this age that we live in. We have talked a lot about problems but after all it is paving the way for the Antichrist. There will be a man rise up one of these days in the near future that will say he has the answers to all problems. This man will rule the world and will be accepted by many cold professors, this will close the Church age, Men's opportunities will close. Let us each one prove faithful unto our Lord and Saviour.

May God bless each of you,  
James Hosler

## Pearls Of Promise

Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away. Mt. 24:35.

### YOUTH RETREAT

On September 15 & 16, there was a Youth Retreat held at Taneyville, Missouri, at the General Baptist Campground. Shari Cook, Youth Director, and the Apostolic Faith Youth sponsored the gathering.

There were 70 young people on hand to enjoy the spiritual feast spread before them. Rev. Marlon Sparks was the evangelist with the help of Rev. Troy Boulware. Special music was provided by the "Cupbearers" as the Spirit led.

Retreat started with a wiener roast and get acquainted session followed by worship which began at 8 p.m. and lasted until 2 a.m. "Remember When" is a phrase often used by older Christians when talking of past revivals, camp meetings, etc., but these young people experienced it for themselves during these few hours spent in worshipping the Lord.

Saturday was also a day of Praise and Worship as they spent from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. in magnifying the Lord. Everyone left knowing that they had been with Jesus and He had lifted them high in His presence. We Praise Him and Lift Up His Holy Name, for this time of fellowship together!

# Prophecy Lesson 7

Jake Pletcher, Teacher

In these Bible Lessons we are going to study about the prophecy of Amos 8:11-12 and I Tim. 4:1-6, II Tim. 4:1-4, II Thess. 2:9-12, II Peter 2:12-22, Rev. 17:1-7, Rev. 18:1-5. Prophecies of the deluting, twisting, wresting, adding to and taking from the Word of God. Jesus said man shall not live by bread alone but by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of God. Matt. 4:4 Luke 4:4

A summary of the teaching of these scriptures. Amos said there would be a great famine in the land for the hearing of the Word of God. I Tim. 4:2 tells us that some would depart from the faith giving heed to seducing spirits and doctrines of devils. II Tim. 4:3-4 tells us a time will come when sound doctrine will not be endured, but fables will be desired.

In these several lessons we will be studying the translations leading up to the King James Version from the Peshitta of 150 A.D. to 1611 A.D. This Peshitta or Queen of the Versions was taken from the old Greek Vulgate or the apostles' writings, used in the early Antioch Church in Syria where Christ's followers were first called Christians (Acts 11:26) and the "Peshitta their Bible" today in texts follows the King James closely.

We will also study where some of the confusing and so called better translations come from and the beliefs of some of those that were a force in bringing them in some of the modern translations, Paraphrases, amplifieds, Good News for Modern Man and also the proposed translation that will bring all religions together.

## Beware of "Scholars" Who Talk About Better Manuscripts

What do Scholars, Radio Bible Teachers, Evangelists, Church Pastors, Bible Foot-notes and Marginal References mean; when they say certain statements found in the King James Bible are not in the best manuscripts?

Answer: They, either knowingly or through ignorance refer to an unproven HYPOTHESIS propagated by Westcott and Hort, during their Bible revision of 1881. That is, that the Codex Vaticanus, and Codex Sinaiticus, are superior and more trust-worthy than the Textus Receptus (Received Greek Text) from which the King James Bible was translated in the year 1611. Both of these manuscripts are of uncertain ancestry, of questionable history, and of suspicious character. Codex Sinaiticus was discovered in an out-of-the-way monastery and Codex Vaticanus has lain, for an uncertain time upon a shelf in the library of the Pope's palace.

The religious convictions of Westcott and Hort are revealed from the following: In 1847 Westcott wrote: "Had I been alone I could have knelt there for hours." (Referring to a life-size statue of a Virgin and dead Christ) (1) Hort writes to Westcott in 1865: "I have been persuaded for many years that Mary-worship and Jesus-worship have very much in common in their causes and their results (2).

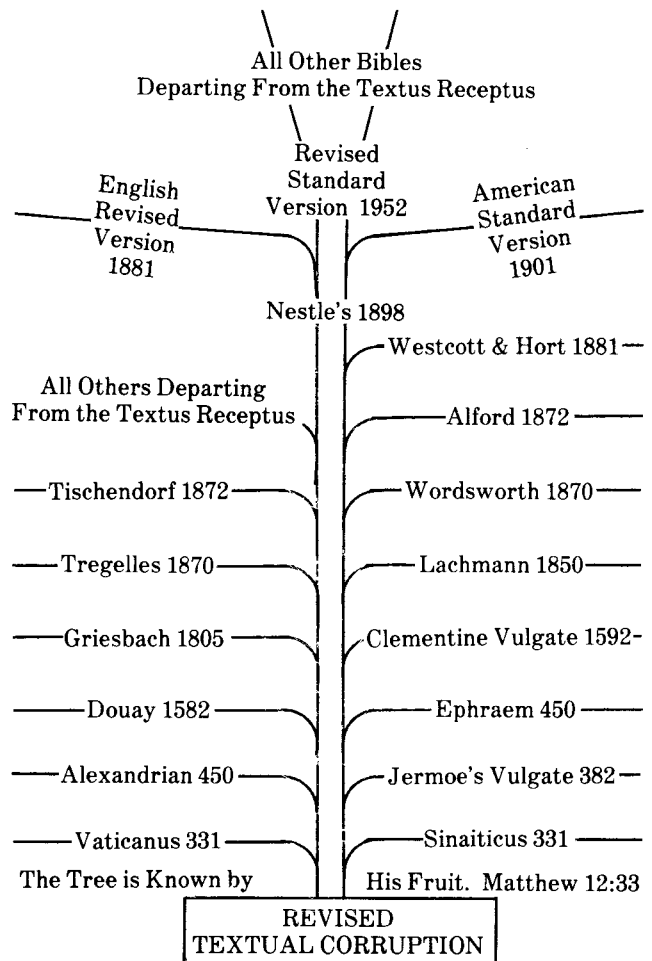
1. Life of Westcott, Vol. 1, p. 81.
2. Life of Hort, Vol. 2, p. 50.

Some of the excerpts in these lessons are from "God Wrote Only One Bible" and the "Thompson's Chain Reference Bible."

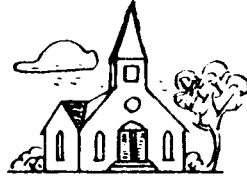


Bro. Jake Pletcher teaches prophecy and Bible doctrine at AFBC. We're thankful to have dedicated men to teach our young people the truths of God's word.

There will be two more lessons in following issues on this subject.



# CHURCH



# NEWS

## Greetings from the Roswell Apostolic Faith Church!

Bless the Lord, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless his holy name. Words can't express the blessings of the Lord that have been in our midst. On a recent Sunday evening we felt like we had tasted a little bit of heaven. One of those services the old timers talk about. We sang, had several readings and the Lord blessed so that Bro. Jerome never did get to preach. We had a beautiful altar service, then more singing, testimonies, people rejoicing, hugging one another and the most wonderful of all was the salvation of a young girl. Oh, how the Lord does bless. We feel it will be worth it all when we see Christ.

It's building time in Roswell. We are adding on to the parsonage with a new kitchen, utility room and bedroom with bath. The Lord is being good to us during this project and we are trusting in Him to supply our every need.

The church is growing in spirit and also in number. We have increased with several new families and trusting for some more to be added as the Lord sees fit. We are glad to have the Ted Simineo family (Mrs. Simineo is a daughter of the late Bro. Bill Briles. We are also glad to have the Kenneth Esslinger family back from Albuquerque.

We recently had our Birthday Supper for the ones in August and September at the park. We enjoyed the wonderful fellowship of our Christian Brothers and Sisters. Those with birthdays were: Wilma Wilkerson, Sophia Murphy, Bob Coggin, Peggy Crowhurst, Thurman Wynn, Billy Coggin, Ted Simineo, Richard Graveline, Bobby Coggin and Leona Winkler. May the Lord bless them!

Our church hosted the monthly Chaves County Singing Convention in August and September. We enjoyed having them come and share their music.

Mrs. Vivian Bard and Linda of Joplin, Missouri came to visit the Crowhurst family over Labor Day. It was nice to have them in our services.

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of our pastor's wife after church Wednesday, September 13th. Everyone had a good time sharing her day.

Again we say the Lord is wonderful and good to us and we are rejoicing in His presence! Remember our church in your prayers.

Leona Winkler, Reporter  
Jerome Crowhurst, Pastor

## Pampa Chapel

This summer we had a wonderful Daily Vacation Bible School conducted by Barbara Myers of Balko, Oklahoma which was enjoyed by all, young and old alike.

Our attendance in August was not what we would like but since school has started we are expecting it to be better.

The Lord has been good to us in every way and we have no complaints at all.

We appreciate the Earl Malone's filling in for our pastors while they were on vacation and we enjoyed them very much.

Bro. Keith has been doing some good preaching and his Bible lessons are very good. We appreciate them very much.

Keith Barker—Pastor  
Anabel Simmons—Reporter

## Crosses, Arkansas

It has been quite some time since we've sent in a report. We have had a very busy summer with youth camp and camp meeting. We were privileged to have Bro. Lowell Long hold us a revival. We enjoyed his inspiring messages.

This summer our church installed a central heating system and air conditioning unit. The air conditioning has certainly been a blessing this hot summer.

We miss our oldest son Marty, who is attending John Brown University in Siloam Springs, Arkansas. We are thankful it is close enough for him to be at home on weekends.

God has been good to us, and we praise him for all of his blessings.

Roland Haney—Pastor

## Centerpoint, Texas

Greetings in the name of the Lord:

I truly feel that if we have Christ in us we are new creatures. In the past few weeks we have quite a few visitors of the movement in our midst. Bro. & Sis. Edwin Waterbury and Kylon were in services with us one Sunday, which we really enjoyed. Also Bro. & Sis James Routh were with us in services.

It seems that in the work of the Lord & Master time is so short when so much needs to be done. Souls in our community who need the Lord and those that once knew the Lord have forsaken for what they think are good excuses. We need to reach them before it's too late.

We pray that God will continue to bless those who are spreading the gospel whether by the Report or by preaching.

Frank Arnall—Pastor

## Apostolic Faith Church Purcell, Missouri

We are so thankful for all the rich blessings the Lord gives us from day to day.

We find His promises to be true and sure and steadfast. His Word is sure and steadfast and even tho heaven and earth pass away His word will endure.

I'm so thankful there is victory in Jesus, over every power of the devil. If we will be faithful to the Lord, and keep His commandments and statutes and do His will, we have nothing to fear. For He will be near and be a very present help in every time of need.

We are so thankful Jesus left His home in heaven, in order to bring us deliverance for soul, Spirit and body. May God help us not to doubt His good promises, but take Him at His word. All things are possible to them that believe.

Pastor,  
George Hintergardt

### Dickinson, Texas

Financial support for the Lord's house is directed through prayer and spiritual answering. One week a month our weekly tithes are placed in a building fund. It has been our hope and prayer for a concrete drive and walkway. This fund has been growing well but now we have received a blessing. Funding of the drive and walkway has been made possible as a gift from Gladys Wooster. Since this has been financed we are now able to purchase a long needed P.A. system with the building fund. In this instance our prayers were answered with a bonus included. This is an example of God's answer to prayer in his own time and we praise him for it. We have also been blessed with some wonderful services led by Harold Wills who in turn is led by the Holy Spirit. We have been blessed with so many gifts during August and September that our joy can last through the remainder of the year!

Dee Boles—Reporter

### Hempstead, Texas

The Hempstead Apostolic Faith Church has been blessed by the ministry of the Johnny Arnall family, who came as pastors in July.

In August a Vacation Bible School was conducted, with average attendance of 50+. This was an enjoyable time of fellowship as well as instruction.

Each Wednesday night Bro. Johnny has been giving Bible Lessons with a few minutes set aside at the end of each lesson for questions and comments.

Beginning the latter part of September, there will be a night for special services and fellowship for our Adult Youth group. One of the young people from our church, Joyce Mathis, is attending Bible College.

Pray for our church that we may continue to grow in spirituality as well as in number.

Bro. Johnny Arnall, Pastor  
Anna Beth Merten, Reporter

### Lubbock, Texas

Dear Friends in Christ,

Greetings in the name of our Lord. We are still praying that God will open a way for us to obtain a building in Lubbock for services. We have three families and have met with others who would attend. We feel a great burden for Lubbock. Pray that soon we can gather together in a church building so others will feel free to come worship with us.

The church in Ralls is without a pastor at the present. We have been conducting Sunday morning services for them. They are praying that God will lead someone there.

Pray for both churches, Lubbock and Ralls, for we feel that God will bless our efforts. Souls must be reached now, the time is so short.

Praise God for all who believe  
Kay Wheeler

## From Our Readers

Dear ones in Christ,

I thought I would write a few lines. We miss all the good camp meetings and seeing each one of you. We hope that everything is well with each of you. Frank is not very well now so please remember him in your prayers. May God bless each one with His love and mercy. He is our best hope.

Frank & Bertha Stimson  
808 E. Redwood  
Sallisaw, Oklahoma 74955



What a miracle—

A tiny golden heartbeat—

All brand new—

Name—Lesa Danell

Arrived—September 14, 1978

Parents—David & Sharon McCance

Maternal grandparents—J. E. & Marieta Cates, Balko, Oklahoma

Paternal grandparents—Harold & Dorothy McCance, Prosperity, Missouri

## You Are Invited

Dear readers of the Apostolic Faith Report,

We would like to extend you an invitation to join us on Sunday, November 26 for a "Celebration of Faith and Praise."

This will be a day of Thanksgiving and Re-dedication, in commemoration of two very important milestones reached by our church: our tenth anniversary and the final payment of our church indebtedness.

Special guests for this homecoming day will include former pastors: Rev. & Mrs. Amos Harris, Rev. & Mrs. Floyd LaMunyon, and Rev. & Mrs. Edwin Waterbury.

Please come and worship with us in this blessed time of reunion and renewal of our visions for the cause of our Lord Jesus Christ.

In His Service,  
Rev. Keith Barker, Pastor  
Pampa Chapel of the Apostolic Faith

Board of Trustees:  
Wm. J. Berry  
C. T. Rasco  
Edwin Simmons  
Marvin Hensley  
Paul Simmons

**1978**  
**Holy Convocation**  
**December 27 - December 31**  
**General Baptist Campground**  
**Taneyville, Missouri**

**Sponsored by Apostolic Faith Church**  
**Taneyville, Missouri**

**For More Information Contact:**

**Rev. Winston Barker**  
**P. O. Box 7**  
**Taneyville, Mo. 65759**  
**Phone 417-546-4897**

Non Profit Organization  
U. S. POSTAGE  
**PAID**  
PERMIT No. 37  
Galena, Kansas 66739

**THE APOSTOLIC FAITH**  
**REPORT**

New Post Office Box 653  
Baxter Springs, Kansas 66713



**4-STATE YOUTH CAMP**  
**June 17-22, 1979**

**CAMP MEETING 1979**

**Baxter Springs, Kansas**

**July 19-27, 1979**

**Committee To Be Announced Later**