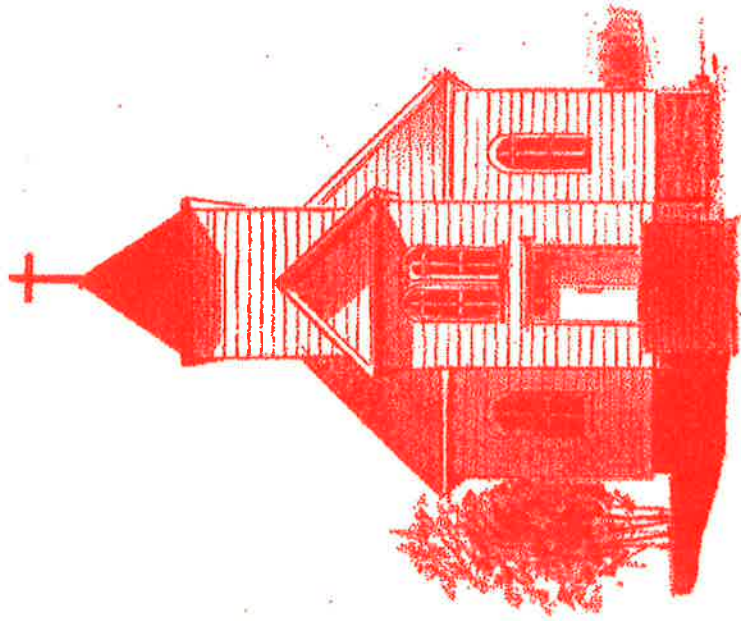


Red River-Bowie
Missionary Baptist
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2006 Yearbook



**Minutes of the
163rd Annual Session
of the**

**Red River-Bowie
Missionary Baptist Association**

September 7, 2006

Hosted by

AVERY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Officers for 2006-2007

**Moderator – Bro. Billy Turpin
Vice Moderator – Bro. Jim Jones
Clerk/Treasurer – Bro. Roddy Jackson
Assistant Clerk/Treas. – Bro. James Brown**

**Annual Sermon – Bro. Billy Daniels
Alternate – Bro. John Bryant**

2007 Host Church

**Austin Chapel Missionary Baptist Church
Dekalb, Texas
Thursday, September 6, 2006
9:00 a.m.**

HISTORICAL ROLL FO THE RED RIVER-BOWIE ASSOCIATION

1994	Hooks	Joe Shafer	Roddy Jackson	David Wilson	Kevin Plaster
1995	Friendship	Joe Stevens	James Kitchens	James R. Brown	A.B. Kellam
1996	Hopewill	Wayne Stringer	James Kitchens	James R. Brown	A.B. Kellam
1997	East Post Oak	Gene Smith	Joe Stevens	James R. Brown	James Brown
1998	Wards Creek	Steven Hill	Joe Stevens	James R. Brown	James Brown
1999	Avery	Billy Turpin	Steven Hill	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2000	Friendship	Ray Brooks	Wayne Stringer	Roddy Jackson	Roddy Jackson
2001	Johntown	J. T. McNabb	Wayne Stringer	Rod Jackson	Rod Jackson
2002	Bogata	Paul Magness	Wayne Stringer	Rod Jackson	James Brown
2003	Austin Chapel	John Bryant	Billy Daniels	Rod Jackson	James Brown
2004	I Hubbard Chapel	Ronnie Pipes	Billy Daniels	Rod Jackson	James Brown
2005	Echo Hills	Robert Dillon	Billy Daniels	Rod Jackson	James Brown
2006	Avery	Dennis Humber	Billy Turpin	Rod Jackson	James Brown

- Order of Business**
- Reading of Letters and Enrolling of Messengers
Petitionary Letters
Election of Officers
Miscellaneous Business
Special Order of Business
Introductory Sermon
Hearing of Various Reports
Special Reports
Treasurer's Report
Resolution of Thanks to the Host Church

Rules of Decorum

1. This body shall be opened by song and prayer.
2. Any member wishing to speak shall arise and address the Moderator and await his recognition.
3. When a member has been recognized by the Moderator he shall not be interrupted while speaking unless he departs from the subject, or uses personal or indecorous language.
4. No member shall be allowed to speak more than twice on any one subject.
5. No one shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes on any one subject unless granted an extension of the Body.

1964	Avery	Cecil Purcell	A. Downing	H.L. Johnston	Jerry Coffman
1065	New Haven	J.B. Watson	A. Downing	H.L. Johnston	Jerry Coffman
1966	West Side	Jerry Coffman	A. Downing	H.L. Johnston	Jerry Coffman
1967	Pinkham Memorial	A. Downing	Cecil Purcell	H.L. Johnston	Jerry Coffman
1968	Johntown	Cecil Hill	Cecil Purcell	H.L. Johnston	A. Downing
1969	Friendship	M.A. Gardner	Loyd Roper	A. Downing	A. Downing
1970	Post Oak	J.C. Henderson	Loyd Roper	A. Downing	M.A. Gardner
1971	Avery	Darrel Owens	A. Downing	James R. Brown	G.P. Allen
1972	Hillcrest	B.A. Morris	A. Downing	James R. Brown	G.P. Allen
1973	Austin Chapel	A.I. Bond	Bob Griffith	James R. Brown	G.P. Allen
1974	Friendship	J.T. McNabb	J.C. Hannock	James R. Brown	G.P. Allen
1975	Johntown	James Garten	J.C. Hannock	James R. Brown	G.P. Allen
1976	Wards Creek	Carl Raleigh	J.C. Hannock	James R. Brown	Earl McBryde
1977	Hopewell	Lynn Hitt	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1978	Avery	Don Rainey	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1979	Austin Chapel	Lynn Hinkle	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1980	Johntown	James McBryde	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1981	New Haven	J.R. McDougal	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1982	Avery	Jim Henry	James Hinkle	James R. Brown	Cecil Purcell
1983	Friendship	Lynn McBryde	James Hinkle	Billy Daniels	Joe Helms
1984	Johntown	Joe Helms	A.B. Kellam	Billy Daniels	Joe Helms
1985	East Post Oak	Ervin Gould	A.B. Kellam	Billy Daniels	Joe Helms
1986	Faith	Charles Johnson	Ervin Gould	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1987	Johntown	John Sanders	Ervin Gould	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1988	Hopewell	A.B. Kellam	Guy Culver	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1989	Wards Creek	Charley Ellison	Guy Culver	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1990	New Haven	Carl Raleigh	James R. Brown	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1991	Pinkham Memorial	Roddy Jackson	James R. Brown	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1992	Avery	David Wilson	John Sanders	Billy Daniels	Kevin Plaster
1993	Johntown	Bill Johnson	Roddy Jackson	David Wilson	Kevin Plaster

The Missions report was read by Bro. Jackson from Avery. He made a motion that it be approved. The motion was seconded. The motion was spoken to by: Bro. Marion Reed, Bro. Jerry Smith, Bro. Ronnie Steward, Bro. Bill Johnson, Bro. David Smith, Bro. Cecil Herrington, Bro. Billy Daniels, Bro. Wayne Stringer, and Bro. Ray Brooks. The motion to adopt the report carried.

A motion was made and seconded to reprint the Christian Education Report from the 2005 minutes. Bro. Brooks gave a report from TBI. Motion passed.

Bro. Turpin gave the Orphan's Home report, and made a motion that it be adopted. Bro. Billy Daniels, trustee of the orphans' home spoke. Motion carried.

The Temperance Report was read by Bro. Mike May of Wards Creek. He moved it's approval. Motion carried.

Bro. James Hinkle read the Ladies' Auxiliary Report, and motioned it's adoption. Bro. Jerry Smith spoke to the report. Motion carried.

Bro. Henry Blackmon gave the Men's Brotherhood Report. After his motion to adopt, the motion passed.

Bro. Dennis Humber read the Youth Report. He made a motion to adopt. Bro. Robert Wallace of Youth Frameworks ministry spoke to the report. Bro. Marion Reed, State Sec.-Treasurer of Missions, spoke concerning camp work. The motion carried.

Bro. Cecil Herrington read the Aged Minister's Report, and made a motion that it be adopted. Bro. Calvin Permenter, Bro. Wayne Stringer, and Bro. Rod Jackson spoke to the report. The motion passed.

Bro. Billy Daniels introduced Bro. Dennis Humber, speaker for the day. Bro. Brown led in singing "Oh How I Love Jesus". Bro. Dennis' text was II Timothy 4, and he spoke concerning the pastor's responsibility. Bro. Wayne Stringer was appointed to offer the right hand of appreciation to Bro. Humber and to Bro. Steward for the message and the devotional.

Bro. Ronnie Pipes read the Texas Mission Builders' Report.

HISTORICAL ROLL OF THE RED RIVER-BOWIE ASSOCIATION

YEAR	PLACE	SERMON	MODERATOR	CLERK	TREASURER
1857	Mt. Moriah	T.W. Anderson	T. W. Anderson	J. W. Leigh	G. B. Brem
1858	Concord	R. D. Potts	D.B. Morrell	Hardy Moore	G. B. Brem
1859	Salem	T. W. Anderson			
1871	Pleasant Grove	R. C. Buckner	R. C. Buckner	S. J. Anderson	A. D. Hatcher
1872	Clarksville	R. W. Billups	R. C. Buckner	S. J. Anderson	A. D. Hatcher
1873	Paris	S. J. Anderson			
1881	Antioch	T. W. Anderson	Tom Carter	John Wright	J. D. Williams
1882	Paris Baptist	J. E. Horner	J. E. Horner	B. F. Fuller	J. D. Williams
1883	Annona	Silas Crain	D. W. Perkins	Tom W. Anderson Jr.	J. Petty
1884	Mt. Pleasant	J. H. Holt			
1885	Bennet	D. W. Perkins	Z. T. Eaton	Tom W. Anderson Jr.	J. Petty
1886	Center Springs	Thomas Whitten			
1889	Macedonia	T. C. Holt			
1890	Detroit Baptist	A. B. Kirk	N. B. Terry	Tom A. Carter	W. B. Terry
1891	Annona		G. B. Dean	C. A. Worley	W. B. Terry
1892	White Oak	J. F. Whitson	G. B. Dean	Thomas C. Holt	W. B. Terry
1893	Clairmont	J. W. Brewer	N. B. Terry	Thomas C. Holt	W. B. Terry
1894	Enon	E. C. Martin	N. B. Terry	W. W. Lawson	W. B. Terry
1895	Brewster Prairie	C. P. Pearson	N. B. Terry	W. W. Lawson	W. B. Terry
1896	Pilgrim's Rest	C. B. Furgeson	N. B. Terry	W. W. Lawson	W. B. Terry
1897	Salem Baptist	J. E. Horner	N. B. Terry	W. W. Lawson	W. B. Terry
1898	Liberty	W. T. Compere	H. C. Hill	T. C. Hold	W. B. Terry
1899	Clairmont	J. B. Riddle	G. B. Dean	W. W. Lawson	I. H. Lawson
1900	Bogata	J. T. Duram	C. A. Worley	W. W. Lawson	I. H. Lawson
1901	Lydia	J. H. Crain	G. B. Dean	W. W. Lawson	I. H. Lawson
1902	Hopewell # 1	J. H. Taylor	G. B. Dean	W. W. Lawson	I. H. Lawson
1903	Pilgrim's Rest	G. E. Pinkham	G. B. Dean	W. W. Lawson	T. H. Holt

He made a motion that it be approved. The motion carried.

Bro. James Brown gave the Treasurer's Report, and moved that it be adopted. Motion carried. He made a motion, which passed, that the clerk be paid \$325.00 plus expenses.

Bro. Calvin Permenter read the Obituary Report, and called for it's adoption by a moment of silence and prayer in memory of these departed ones.

Bro. Henry Blackmon read the Resolution of Thanks to the church at Avery, and made a motion that it be adopted. The motion carried.

Bro. Stringer made a motion that the clerk send a card to Bro. Wilbourn Lee, and Bro. Carl Raleigh, telling them that we are praying for them and that they are missed. Motion carried.

Announcements were called for. Reports for the 2007 meeting were assigned. Bro. John Bryant worded our dismissal prayer. Motion made, seconded, and carried for adjournment.

REPORTS SUBMITTED FOR 2006

MISSIONS REPORT

According to the report of Bro. Randy Cloud, the year 2005-2006 was a banner year for mission work of the churches of the American Baptist Association. A great number of souls were saved, and a record amount of financial support was received from the churches for mission work worldwide.

Certainly we are all aware of the commission the Lord gave in Matthew 28:18-20 to carry the gospel to the whole world.

Another thing he addressed that desperately needs our attention is the need of men answering the call to carry the gospel to this lost world. Jesus said, "The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth laborers into his harvest." Luke 10:2

Section 5: Treasurer: (1) To receive and disburse funds as designated by this District Auxiliary; (2) To keep accurate records of all funds taken in and dispersed by the Auxiliary.

Section 6: Assistant Treasurer: (1) To assist the treasurer in whatever manner needed in performing the duties of that office; (2) To act as Treasurer in the absence of the Treasurer.

Section 7: Corresponding Secretary and Reporter: (1) To correspond about necessary matters with the officers of this Auxiliary; (2) To report through our religious papers on the activities of this Auxiliary.

Section 8: Bible & Tract Distributor: (1) To solicit funds and receive voluntary offerings for Bible and Tract work; (2) To keep local Auxiliaries informed about the needs for the carrying on of this work; (3) To supply local Auxiliaries with tracts for distribution in their fields of work; (4) To give a financial report each quarter.

ARTICLE IX – MEMBERSHIP

Any woman who is a member of the Auxiliaries of the churches composing the Red River-Bowie Association shall have the right and privilege of membership in the District Ladies' Auxiliary. Four voting messengers shall be allowed from each Auxiliary.

ARTICLE X – CONTRIBUTIONS

All contributions of this Auxiliary shall be raised by voluntary offerings and shall be given to the Treasurer for proper disbursement.

ARTICLE XI – AMENDMENTS

These Articles of Agreement shall not be amended unless the amendment be submitted to the District Auxiliary in a regular meeting and said amendment lay over until the next regular meeting. It then may be adopted only by a two-thirds majority, each church having only one vote.

must be present or send word that they desire to entertain the District Auxiliary, otherwise, the District Auxiliary will go to the next church in order.

ARTICLE V – OFFICERS

The officers of this District Auxiliary shall be: (1) President; (2) Vice President; (3) Secretary; (4) Assistant Secretary; (5) Treasurer; (6) Assistant Treasurer; (7) Reporter & Corresponding Secretary; (8) Bible & Tract Distributor; (9) Song Leader; (10) Pianist.

ARTICLE VI – ELECTION OF OFFICERS & TERMS OF OFFICE

All officers shall be elected annually at the meeting of the second quarter (April). No officer, except the Bible & Tract Distributor, shall succeed herself more than once consecutively.

ARTICLE VII – QUALIFICATIONS

Any lady who is a member of a church in the Red River-Bowie Association, in good standing, and is an active participant in Auxiliary work is qualified to hold office in the District Auxiliary.

ARTICLE VIII – DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1: President (1) To preside over all District Meetings, that they may be carried on in an orderly manner; (2) To appoint committees as directed by the District meeting; (3) To call special meetings when necessary; (4) To be active in looking after the welfare of the work.
Section 2: Vice President: (1) To preside over the meeting in the absence of the President or when called upon by the president.

Section 3: Recording Secretary: (1) To keep an accurate record of the proceedings of all meetings; (2) To announce special meetings; (3) To prepare and read reports as instructed by this District Auxiliary.

Section 4: Assistant Secretary: (1) To assist the Secretary in whatever manner needed in performing the duties of that office; (2) To act as Secretary in the absence of the Secretary.

While we recognize every Christian's responsibility to carry forth the gospel message, we encourage our churches to earnestly pray for God-called men to answer the call to lead our churches and mission works in this greatest of all earthly endeavors.

Respectfully Submitted, Avery MBC

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD REPORT

There is a great need in many churches for men. Studies have found that many men think church is for women and children, because of this, churches are lacking men to fill needed leadership roles in many cases. Homes and families are suffering because they do not have the needed spiritual male guidance that God calls for. This should be sounding an alarm to God's people.

Many churches have put great focus on youth and ladies' ministries which are important, but it has been pointed out that when churches focus on reaching men, that in the end the church reaches the whole family which makes all the ministries of the church stronger. Men's Brotherhood is a good way to reach out to the men of the church and community. These brotherhoods can be made up of simple Bible study time and activities for the men of the church to do together.

Within our ABA work there is "All The King's Men" which gives a church a laid out program to use for men's brotherhood which has blessed many of our churches. The important thing is that churches need to reach out to men especially in this world that attacks God's standard of manhood.

The effect of a good brotherhood can be felt in a church for years because the men become better equipped to fill leadership roles that God has for them. The church is stronger because the homes that make up the church are stronger because daddy is closer to God. We tend to put brotherhoods on the back burner, but it may be time that the Lord's

churches move it back up front so that kingdom work can be done in a greater way.

Respectfully submitted,
East Post Oak MBC

TEMPERANCE REPORT

The Bible tells us in II Peter 1:5-7, beginning with faith we should add virtue, knowledge, "and to knowledge temperance, and to temperance patience; and to patience godliness; and to godliness brotherly kindness; and to brotherly kindness charity". Webster's dictionary defines temperance as, "moderation in action, thought or feeling; restraint; habitual moderation in the indulgence of appetites or passions". Self-control is choosing and deciding in our hearts and minds whom we are going to obey.

As sinners saved by grace, we struggle daily with the pressures of this world. Will we obey the Lord and do his will, or do we succumb to the pleasures of sin? Proverbs 16:32 tells us, "He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city". Also, Proverbs 25:28 says "He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down, and without walls". Too often temperance is only associated with abstaining from alcohol. May all who are saved by the blood of Jesus Christ endeavor to practice restraint in every area of our lives lest we bring reproach upon the Lord Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted, Wards Creek MBC

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT
(reprinted from 2005 minutes)

ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENT

Two-thirds of the churches of this Association must approve any change or amendment to the Constitution. The following procedure shall be followed in order to change or amend the Constitution. Any proposed amendment shall be presented for discussion in open session of the Messenger Assembly. After discussion, the proposed amendment may be withdrawn only by consent of a simple majority of the messengers voting. Otherwise, it must be referred to the churches of the Association. Each church may then vote for or against the proposed amendment, expressing said vote for or against in the associational letter to the next annual session of the messengers. In this matter, each church is entitled to one vote.

Red River-Bowie District Ladies' Auxiliary

Articles of Agreement

ARTICLE I - Name

The name of this organization shall be the District Ladies' Auxiliary of the Red River-Bowie Association.

ARTICLE II - DEFINITION

This organization shall be composed of all the Auxiliaries of the churches of the Red River-Bowie Association.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The purpose of this District Auxiliary shall be to further promote the Lord's work and encourage the women of each local church to be more active in all phases of the work in which they have the Scriptural right and responsibility to participate.

ARTICLE IV - TIME AND PLACE

Section 1: This District Auxiliary shall meet quarterly: the 1st Tuesday in the months of January, April, July, and October, or at such time most convenient for the host church.

Section 2: The place of the meeting shall be determined on a rotation basis, based on the alphabetical order of Auxiliaries.

Section 3: On this basis, the Auxiliary which is next in order

ARTICLE IV. NATURE

Section 1: This Association shall be in nature a joint Auxiliary to the churches composing it. It is not formed for ecclesiastical end, but merely for benevolent purposes, but it reserves the right to withdraw from any church which becomes heterodox in faith to disorderly practice.

Section 2: This Association shall recognize freedom of speech as essential to the highest achievement of it's work.

ARTICLE V. OFFICERS

Section 1: The officers of this Association shall be a moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk/treasurer, an assistant clerk/treasurer who shall be chosen by the messengers meeting in annual session, and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are chosen.

Section 2: It shall be the duty of the moderator to preside over the messenger assembly, keep order, and to discharge such other duties as are incumbent upon this office.

Section 3: It shall be the duty of the clerk/treasurer to keep a correct record of each session of the messenger assembly and to have the same published and distributed to the churches as a report of the Association, to keep a correct record of all moneys received and disbursed, and to make report of the same to the Association during it's annual session.

ARTICLE VI. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

This Association may have an executive committee composed of one member from each church in the Association. Five members of said committee shall constitute a quorum. The moderator of the committee is to provide leadership and counsel in the carrying out the work outlined in the annual Messenger Assembly of the Association.

Much time and money is spent on secular education, while too often Christian education takes a back seat! Unlike generations before us who had very little, or at most, only the basics to work with, we have so much to draw from and take advantage of. Our churches have the ability with the technology and resources available, to truly educate their people. We are blessed with literature from the Baptist Sunday School Committee that is second to none. The literature includes studies for Sunday School, the Discovery Program, Ladies groups, Men's studies, and books on many different subjects. There are more Bible Schools and Seminaries in our ABA work than at any other time in the history of our associated work. Texas Baptist Institute and Seminary has grown to be a premier institution, and has done a great job of preparing men to serve the Lord through his local churches as pastors, music leaders, and youth ministers.

However, it does not make any difference how much is available, if it is not utilized and taken advantage of, it will not benefit those in need. The world and our churches need to be educated with truth. The Lord's command to teach and educate the first century believer is as relevant today as it was two thousand years ago. Before he returned to the Father, our Lord told his church, "...All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen". (Matthew 28"18-20).

This command has not been removed; in fact, as we see the approaching day of the Lord's return, it becomes more important to become involved and concerned in the educating of our people.

Respectfully Submitted , Wayne Stringer, pastor
West Side MBC

YOUTH REPORT

The youth of our churches are a very vital part of the things we do. They should have a part in carrying out the great commission. They have a ministry all their own, and they can be involved in any ministry. The youth of our churches have not been led to do what God wants them to do. They have been taught to sit on the sidelines and let the adults do church. They come because they are made to, and when they move out of the house they don't go to church anywhere, because they've been taught that without them we don't have a future.

They need to know that God instructs them to, "...forsake Not the assembling of ourselves together..." just like he does everyone else. Youth need to be working in church services as much as anyone else does. If we don't give them a part to do now, they won't do anything in the future either. We don't need them to do this just so our church will survive. We need to do it for their good. In order for them to grow spiritually, they need to be in God's house.

So I want to encourage all of the Lord's true New Testament churches to lead our youth to be involved in services and in other activities. Give them a job to do and you might be surprised at what they can do for the Lord.

Respectfully submitted: Pinkham Memorial MBC

LADIES' AUXILIARY REPORT

By definition, the word "auxiliary" means giving support, helping, aiding, or assisting others. When the ladies of the church organize into a group, it is referred to as a Ladies' Auxiliary.

The Auxiliary meets with the primary purpose to study the

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WEST SIDE: President: Vicki May, 847 Hwy 8 S., New Boston, TX 75570. Secretary: Kathy May, 1213 Rolling Hills, Dekalb, TX 75559

CONSTITUTION OF THE RED RIVER-BOWIE MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I. NAME

The Association shall be known as the Red River-Bowie Missionary Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be to awaken a deeper interest in the welfare of the churches, to cultivate a closer fellowship among the churches, and to encourage and perpetuate the very greatest possible activity in missionary, educational, and benevolent enterprises.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1: This Association shall be composed of such regular Baptist Churches as may agree to cooperate by means of messengers, to carry out the object as set forth in Article II of the constitution; such messengers to present letters of petition for admission from their respective churches.

Section 2: The messengers to the annual session of this Association shall be chosen by their respective churches in their letters to the association.

Section 3: Each church composing this Association shall be entitled to three messengers to the annual Messenger Assembly.

Section 4: Each church shall be the sole judge of her messengers.

ALBERT RIGGS.....838-2535
 BOB WHITE.....794-3468
 RONNIE STEWARD.....632-5797
 WAYNE STRINGER.....628-5314
 ANTHONY TROPP.....628-6292
 BILLY TURPIN.....632-9953

LADIES' AUXILIARIES

AVERY: President: Brenda Jackson, P. O. Box 303, Avery, TX 75554; Secretary: Wanda Downs, 392 CR 4323, Avery, TX 75554.

BOGATA: President: Freda Jean, Rt. 1, Box 246 B, Bogata, TX 75417. Secretary: Debbie Hudson, Rt. 1, PO Box 505, Bogata.

ECHO HILLS: President: Marilyn Langley. Secretary: Stacy Burnett, 8612 Pierce Rd., Texarkana, TX. 75501.

EAST POST OAK: President: Janis Reynolds, 5425 CR 44800, Detroit, TX 75436. Secretary: Anna Crawford, P.O. Box 284, Blossom, TX.

FRIENDSHIP: President: Janice Herrington, 262 Hwy. E. Clarksville, TX. Secretary: Janice Ross, 401 W. Roberts Clarksville, TX.

JOHNTOWN: President: Tracey Eudy, PO Box 471, Bogata, TX 75417. Secretary: Jerry Ann Richardson, Rt. 1 Box 1915, Bogata, TX 75417

OAK RIDGE: President: Lora Foster, 4950 FM 2624 Maud, TX 75567. Secretary: Janeta May, P.O. Box 553, Maud TX 75567.

PINKHAM MEMORIAL: President: Elaine Belt. Secretary: Bernice Martin (Both can be contacted at church address.)

PLEASANT OAKS: President: Joyce Lipham. Secretary: Erna Adams. (Both can be reached c/o church address.)

UNITY: Sandra Staggs, 21 Morning, Texarkana, AR. 71854. Secretary: Barbara Beard, 320 FM 3287, Texarkana, TX. 75501

WARDS CREEK: President: Kitty May, 1987 CR 4241,

Bible, and learn more about God's will in their lives. This equips them to reach out and serve where needed. They are to be a helper to their church and pastor.

The Bible records the lives and sacrifices of many ordinary women who made a great impact for the Lord's cause. Eunice and Lois motivated Timothy to do a great work. Paul was also encouraged by the faith of these two ladies.

We heartily recommend each church of the Red river-Bowie Association to organize a Ladies' Auxiliary. We also recommend each auxiliary to renew it's commitment to fulfill their purpose for the honor and glory of God.

Respectfully submitted, New Haven MBC

ORPHAN'S HOME REPORT

The Orphan's Home in Texarkana has met special needs of the children of the American Baptist Association for almost 100 years.

The churches and other caring people have responded in a very generous way, not only to build houses for these children to live in, but also to help build their lives in a loving and caring environment.

The trustees work very hard to provide dedicated people to perform the administrative functions and equally as important to work with the children in a very personal way as house parents and role models for their lives.

Continue to pray for this home and the children who make this place their home

Respectfully submitted, Johntown MBC

AGED MINISTER'S REPORT

Psalms 71:18 states, "Now also when I am old and

grey-headed, O God, forsake me not; until I have shewed thy

strength unto this generation, and thy power to everyone that is to come.” This verse probably describes the mindset of many of our aged ministers.

Notice their desire; “*until I have shewed thy strength to this generation*” declares to us that the aged minister still has a burning inside of him to testify of God’s ability to provide for his people. Who else but the older Christian knows the incredible strengths of our God?

Notice their goal; “and thy power to everyone that is to come” informs us that the aged minister is “instant in season, out of season”. He is well qualified, because of the years of serving God, do display to all people the power the Lord has to finish the good work that he began in his people, even into old age.

Notice their fears; “O God, forsake me not” probably enters their minds as they become older and less physically able to perform the pastor’s duties. Deep within their hearts they know that God will never leave them nor forsake them, but what about us? Will we forsake them when they desperately need us?

May we encourage them by using them as fill-ins. May we give them hope by helping to meet their needs. And may we help ourselves by tapping into their fantastic spiritual wisdom by listening to them.

Respectfully submitted by Friendship MBC

TEXAS MISSION BUILDERS REPORT

Texas Mission Builders has had another productive year in helping the Churches to build. There have been five projects that have been worked on so far this year. One of these projects (Landmark of Waco) took seven months to complete.

6. DEACONS: John M. Proctor, Kenneth Tower. ORDAINED MINISTERS: Robert Dillon, James Kesner.

WESTSIDE: Hwy. 82 West, New Boston. PASTOR: Wayne Stringer, 710 S. McCoy Blvd. New Boston, TX. 75570.

CHURCH CLERK: Sandra King, 615 W. Walters Blvd., New Boston, TX. 75570. SS SUPERINTENDENT: Randy Scott, SS

SECRETARY: Jimmy Rackley. ENROLLMENT: 110,

Classes- 9. DEACONS: Perry May. ORDAINED MINISTERS: Wayne Stringer, Nael Badar. LICENSED MINISTERS: James H. Mills, Barry Bobbitt.

Pastor’s phone numbers

HENRY BLACKMON.....982-6408
 BARRY BOBBITT
 JAMES R. BROWN.....427-2821
 JAMES L. BUNGER.....667-2837
 JOHN BRYANT.....838-7082
 BILLY DANIELS.....632-9948
 ROBERT DILLON.....543-2299
 JASON DUDLEY.....585-3246
 RICKY GANDY.....684-3712
 CECIL HERRINGTON
 DENNIS HUMBER.....667-7317
 JAMES HINKLE.....427-3522
 ROD JACKSON.....684-3420
 JIM JONES.....547-9293
 A. B. KELLAM.....966-2465
 PAUL MAGNESS.....501-773-4018
 J. T. MCNABB.....982-5941
 WILBOURNE LEE.....982-5309
 CALVIN PERMENTER.....632-9393
 TIM MONTGOMERY.....831-3040
 RONNIE PIPES.....667-2445
 CARL RALEIGH.....684-3240
 SAM REEVES.....667-5277

75567. SS SUPERINTENDENT: Jake McCommas. **SS SECRETARY:** Wayne Burris. **ENROLLMENT:** 64. **Classes-8. DEACONS:** ORDAINED MINISTERS: Jason Dudley.

PINKHAM MEMORIAL: 117 Browning, Dekalb, TX. 75559. **PASTOR:** Dennis Humber 117 Browning, Dekalb, TX. 75559. **PHONE- 903-667-7317. CHURCH CLERK:** Cindy McGregor, 117 Browning, Dekalb, TX. 75559. **SS SUPERINTENDENT:** Tony Shumake **SS SECRETARY:** Carla Batchelor. **ENROLLMENT:** 100, **Classes- 10. DEACONS:** Lynn Shumake, Stan Flanery, Gay Shumake, Roger Batchelor, Terry Sturdivant. **ORDAINED MINISTERS:** Dennis Humber

PLEASANT OAKS: 6324 Richmond Road, Texarkana, TX.

75505. PASTOR: Bobby White, 4706 Walnut Texarkana, TX. **75503. Clerk:** Erna Adams, P O Box 5079, Texarkana, TX **75505. SS SUPERINTENDENT:** Franklin Wray. **SS SECRETARY:** Rhonda Maxwell. **Classes:5. DEACONS:** ORDAINED MINISTERS: Bobby White, Franklin Wray.

UNITY: 2711 Texas Blvd, Texarkana, TX 75503. **PASTOR:** John Bryant, 216 Larkspur, Wake Village, TX 75501. **CHURCH CLERK:** Barbara Beard, 320 FM 3287, Texarkana, TX 75501. **SS SUPT.** Charles Staggs. **SECRETARY:** Charles Capps. **ENROLLMENT:**75 . **CLASSES:**8 . **DEACONS:** Charles Beard, Charles Staggs, Larry Stanley, Gary Crane, Woody Hearn, Reggie Johns. **ORDAINED MINISTERS:** John Bryant, Lynn McBryde, John P. Jones, Gene Smith. **Licensed Ministers:** Daniel Smith.

WARDS CREEK: 17 CR 4239, Simms, TX. 75574. **Phone-628-3526. PASTOR:** Robert Dillon. **46 CR 4239, Simms, TX 75574. CHURCH CLERK:** Barbara Tidwell, 636 CR 4260, Simms, TX 75574. **SS SUPERINTENDENT:** Gene Ford. **SS SECRETARY:** Charlotte Lawing. **ENROLLMENT:** Classes-

These projects are as follows:
Woodville MBC, Woodville
Victory Baptist, New Caney
Landmark Baptist, Waco
Stonegate Baptist, Port Arthur
Greggton Baptist, Longview (just getting started)

These churches were very appreciative of the help they received from Texas Mission Builders. The churches of the Missionary Baptist Association of Texas have made this program available to all our churches by their faithful giving and prayer support. The men and women of our work have come to the jobs and helped with the work that was needed to be accomplished for the spreading of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

The churches have saved themselves much finance by doing their own projects with the help of Texas Mission Builders. It is the desire of Eastside Baptist Church to help their sister churches through the work of Texas Mission Builders. Their sponsorship of this program is successful because of their fellowship with our Lord. The churches of the Texas work who help with this program show their concern for the success of their sister churches in spreading the gospel. For this we are thankful.

The sponsoring church and the men and women who do the work ask that you continue your financial and prayerful support. May God get honor and the glory for all that is done.

Submitted by Austin Chapel MBC as Received from Leroy Smith, Texas Mission Builders Supervisor

OBITUARY REPORT

Let us thank God for the works and testimony of these faithful members of our churches who were called home to glory this past year. We look forward to seeing them again on the other side in the presence of our Lord.

Aikin Grove: J. C. Aikin

Austin Chapel: Orby Caddenhead, Donal Nix

**Avery: David Thomas, Rosine Bishop, Myrtle Duncan,
Clara Crawford**

Bogata:

East Post Oak: Don Vaughn, Fred Ramsey, Louise Preston

Echo Hills:

Faith:

Friendship: Mrs. Millard Morrison

Heritage: Byron Ryan, Frances Griffin

Hillcrest: Stina Lenior, C. O. Joplin, Judith Loveless

Hooks:

Hopewell : Donald Harp, Sarah Wooten

Hubbard Chapel:

Johntown: Val Douglas Hawkins

Landmark:

Liberty:

New Haven:

New Hope:

**5493. CHURCH CLERK: Tracey Eudy, P. O.Box 471 Bogata,
75417 SSUPERINTENDENT: Steven Hawkins. SS
SECRETARY:Bonnie Green. Enrollment:52, Classes- 8.
DEACONS: Mark Richardson, Adam Eudy, Steven Hawkins,
Elmer Green. ORDAINED MINISTERS: Billy Turpin.**

**LANDMARK: Paris. PASTOR/MISSIONARY: Ronnie
Steward, 2548 Hwy 271 S., Bogata, TX. 75417. CLERK: Kay
Steward (address above). SS Supt.: Ronnie Steward. SS
Secretary: Kay Steward. ENROLLMENT:5. CLASSES:1.
ORDAINED MINISTERS: Ronnie Steward.**

**LIBERTY: Rt. 1, Detroit, TX. PASTOR: Calvin W.
Permenter, 3315 Hwy 271 S. Bogata, TX. 75417. Phone-632-
9393. CHURCH CLERK: Myra Permenter, (address same as
Calvin's) SS SUPERINTENDENT: Martin McLaughlin. SS
SECRETARY: Mrs. D. A. Pearce. ENROLLMENT: 11,
Classes- 1. DEACONS: Wilbourne Lee. ORDAINED
MINISTERS: C. W. Permenter, Wilbourne Lee.**

**NEW HAVEN: Clarksville. PASTOR: James Hinkle, 1390 FM
2120 Clarksville, TX. 75426. PHONE-427-3522. CHURCH
CLERK: John R. Mitchell, 6811 Hwy 37, N, Clarksville, TX.
75426. SS. SUPERINTENDENT: Scott Hinkle. SS. Secretary:
Kathy Roberts. Enrollment: Classes:5. ORDAINED
MINISTERS: James Hinkle. LICENSED MINISTERS:**

**NEW HOPE: Dekalb. PASTOR: Sam Reeves, P. O. Box 44,
Dekalb, TX. 75559. Phone- 667-5277. CHURCH CLERK:
Dolores McNatt, 6972 Uwy. 259 S., Dekalb, Tx. 75559.
SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: CLASSES:2
ORDAINED MINISTERS: Sam Reeves.**

**OAK RIDGE: P. O. Box 627, Maud, TX. 75567. PASTOR:
Jason Dudley, 218 Terrace Lane, Texarkana, TX. 75503.
CHURCH CLERK: Janeta May, P.O. Box 553, Maud, TX**

Lindsey, Jerry Law. ORDAINED MINISTERS:
 Tim Montgomery, Dr. Paul Magness, Jim Wait, Stephen
 Dumas, Andy Rachel.

HILLCREST: Paris. Pastor: , Barry Bobbitt, Paris, TX. 75462.
 CHURCH CLERK; 2503 E. Cherry, Paris, TX. 75460. SS SUPT.:
 Dora Landers. SS Secretary: Martha Henry. Enrollment:35.
 Classes:3
 Deacons: C.O. Joplin. ORDAINED MINISTERS:Bill Snell.

HOOKS: P. O. Box 935, Hooks, TX. 75561. PASTOR: Jim
 Jones, P.O. Box 1085, Nash, TX 75569 CHURCH CLERK:
 Vicki Murchison, 4 Harman St., Hooks, TX 75561. SS
 SUPERINTENDENT: La Vern Steele. Enrollment:55, Classes-
 6. ORDAINED MINISTERS: Jim Jones, Steve Reeves, Dave
 Anderson.

HOPEWELL: 3515 TX Hwy 37 N. Clarksville TX. 75426.
 PASTOR: A. B. Kellam, (address same as above). CHURCH
 CLERK: Pat Boyd, 627 CR 3105, Clarksville, TX. 75426. SS
 SUPERINTENDENT: Larry Stringer. SS
 SECRETARY:Shirley Henderson. Classes- 5. Deacons:
 Johnny Boyd, Kenneth Henderson, Dewey Knight, Larry
 Stringer. ORDAINED MINISTERS: A. B. Kellam.

HUBBARD CHAPEL: Rt. 2, Box 391-D, Dekalb, TX. 75559.
 PASTOR: Rick Gandy, 2815 CR 4515, Avery, TX. 75554.
 Phone-684-3417. CHURCH CLERK: Dora Perry, 1495 Hwy.
 259 S, Dekalb, TX. 75559. SS. SUPT. John Stanley.
 ENROLLMENT: 18, Classes- 3. DEACONS: Lester Stout,
 Jackie Hawkins, Louis Forsythe, Tom Tucker. ORDAINED
 MINISTERS: Ricky Gandy.

JOHNTOWN: Rt. 1, box 216, Bogata, TX. 75417. PASTOR:
 Bill Turpin, Rt. 1, Box 216, Bogata, TX. 75417. Phone-632-

Oak Ridge: Hugh Caudle

Pinkham Memorial: Katie Suratt, Ann Ford

Pleasant Oaks:

Unity: Charles Martin, Jean Horrocks, Annie Rucker

Wards Creek: Helen Barrett, Bobby Lee Johnson

West Side: Bessie York, Homer Steelman, Joetta Penny,
 Lyndon Ray Batchelor

Respectfully submitted, Liberty MBC, Calvin Permenter

TREASURER'S REPORT 2005-2006

beginning balance **\$ 2610.55**

Received at 2005 meeting..... \$ 1135.00

Received since the meeting..... \$ 1425.00

Interest..... \$35.02

Total received..... \$2595.02

Total to account for..... \$5205.57

PAID OUT:

Bro. Rod Jackson.....\$325.00

Radio Broadcast..... \$1375.00

Minute Books.....\$555.00

Total paid out..... \$2255.00

BALANCE ON HAND\$2950.57

CHURCH DIRECTORY

AIKIN GROVE MBC, Rt. 4 Clarksville, TX. Pastor: James R. Brown, P.O. Box 155, Clarksville, TX. 75426. Phone: 427-2821.
CHURCH CLERK: Sherry Moore, 603 West 6th, Clarksville.
SS SUPERINTENDENT: Bobby Brown, SS SECRETARY: Mary Humphrey. **ENROLLMENT:** 45, Classes 35.
DEACONS: Bobby Brown, W.H. Hammer, Dean Kerr, Boyce Tull. **ORDAINED MINISTERS:** James R. Brown.

AUSTIN CHAPEL, Dekalb, PASTOR: Ronnie Pipes, 9668 F.M 1840, Dekalb, TX. 75559. Phone-667-2445. **CHURCH CLERK:** Carolyn Grider, 714 CR 4227, Dekalb, SS SUPERINTENDENT: Gerald Proctor. **SS SECRETARY:** Ima D. Jones. **ENROLLMENT-139, Classes-11. DEACONS:** Doyle Grider, Gerald Proctor, James Louis Tidwell, Joe Jones, Mitch Stone, Larry Hart. **ORDAINED MINISTERS:** Ronnie Pipes, James Bunger, John Moles.

AVERY, P.O. Box 41, Avery TX. 75554. Phone-684-3451.
PASTOR: Rod Jackson, P.O. Box 41, Avery. Phone-684-3420.
CHURCH CLERK: Irvelyn Hardman, P.O. Box 41, Avery. **SS SUPERINTENDENT:** Tilmon Deaton. **SS SECRETARY:** Cindy Woods. **No. Classes, 10. DEACONS:** Tilmon Deaton, Harold Nevill, Glenn Woods, Carl Raleigh, Clint Crawford.
ORDAINED MINISTERS: Rod Jackson, Carl Raleigh.
LICENSED MINISTER: Danny Cooper.

BOGATA MBC: P.O. Box 855, Bogata, TX. 75417. PASTOR: Billy Daniels, 388 CR 1471, Bogata, 75417. Phone-632-9948.
Church Clerk: Mary Lynn Palmer, 623 CR 1470, Bogata, TX. 75417. **SS SUPERINTENDENT:** Donald Jean. **SS SECRETARY:** Mary Lynn Palmer. **ENROLLMENT-55.**
Classes: 7 Deacons: Ricky Daniels, Donald Jean, Ray Shirley.
ORDAINED MINISTERS: Billy Daniels.

EAST POST OAK, Detroit: PASTOR: Henry Blackmon, 5383 CR 44800, Detroit, TX. 75436. Phone-982-5226. **CHURCH CLERK:** Ruth Johnston, 995 22nd N.E., Paris, TX. 75460.
SS SUPERINTENDENT: James Freelen. **SS SECRETARY:** Sandra Flatt. **Classes-9. DEACONS:** Alvis Bates, James Freelen, Claude Tyler, Steven Reyes, Mike Ingram,
ORDAINED MINISTERS: Henry Blackmon, J. T. McNabb.

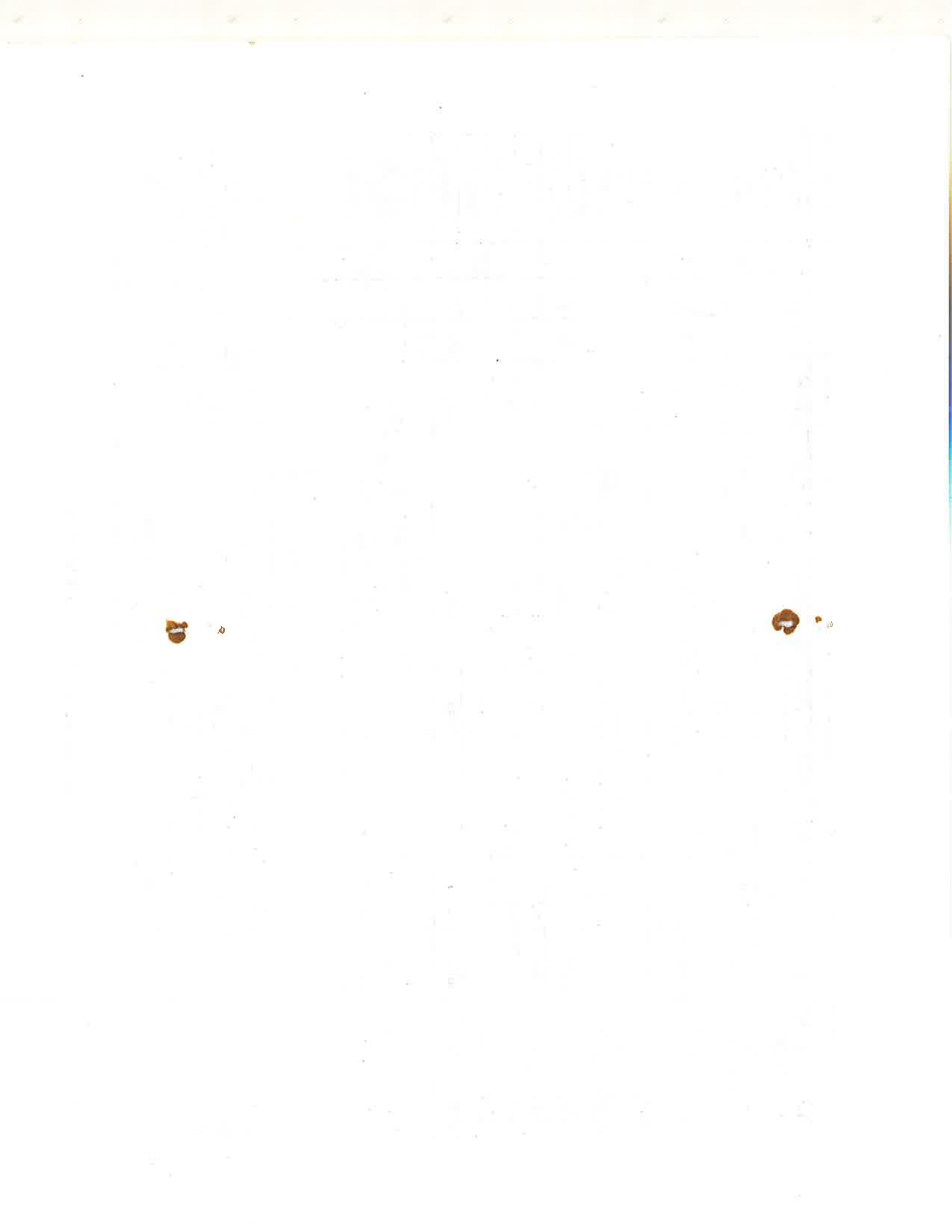
ECHO HILLS MISSION: Red Water: Pastor: Albert Riggs, PO Box 665, Redwater, TX 75573. **Church Clerk:** Stacey Hatfield. **SS Supt. Mike Adams:** Secretary: Chastity Jester. **Enrollment:** 44. **Classes-7. Ordained Ministers:** Albert Riggs.

FAITH: 301 N. Bowie, New Boston, 75570: PASTOR: Anthony Tropp, 303 N. Bowie, New Boston, TX. 75570. Ph. 903-628-6292.

Clerk: Joyce Hartline, 301 N. Bowie, New Boston. **SS Supt.:** John Talkington. **Enrollment:** 65. **Classes:** 9.
ORDAINED MINISTERS: Anthony Tropp, Steve Litton.

FRIENDSHIP: 262 US Highway 82 E., Clarksville, TX. 75426.
PASTOR: Cecil Herrington, 262 Hwy 82 East, Clarksville, TX.
CHURCH CLERK: Sally Reed, 1205 W. Jackson, Clarksville.
SS SUPERINTENDENT: Larry Napier. **SS SECRETARY:** Clara Gaddis. **ENROLLMENT:** 45, **Classes-9. DEACONS:** Bobby Hines, Buddy Langston, Bobby Cornelius, Larry Napier, James Gaddis. **ORDAINED MINISTERS:** Cecil Herrington.

HERITAGE: : 5801 N. Kings Highway, Texarkana, TX 75503.
PASTOR: Timothy Montgomery, 6106 Deerfield Dr., Texarkana, TX 75503. **CLERK:** June Little, 704 Tri State Rd. Texarkana, TX. 75501. **SS Supt:** Randy Murray. **SS Secretary:** Enrollment: 566. **Classes:** 19. **DEACONS:** Kale Magness, Byron Johnson, Bob Murray, Randy Hagar, Mickey Trammel, Rick



RED RIVER-BOWIE ASSOCIATION STATISTICS

CHURCHES OF THE RED RIVER- BOWIE ASSOCIATION	INC	DCR	PRESENT MEMBER SHIP	PASTOR'S SALARY	ASSOC. MISSIONS	STATE MISSIONS	INTEREST AND FOREIGN MISSIONS	TMD	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	ORPHANS HOME	RADIO PROGRAM	BLDG & REPAIRS	OTHER EXPENSES	TOTAL TO MISSIONS	TOTAL PAID OUT
AIKIN GROVE		3	194	22100		323	2633		493	688	300	8280	1311	2956	67171
AUSTIN CHAPEL	5	10	254	31200	1500	1125	6999	1125	3527			4611	4927	9624	57742
AVERY	6	7	357		600	1500	1800		3300	1200				15080	131624
BOGATA	9		146	35675	1739	1989	6331	825	1850	275		3548	4573	10059	64277
POST OAK	6	5	195	24963	1610	1610	3650		1795	840		1059	21529	13151	67802
ECHO HILLS															
FATH															
FRIENDSHIP	2	3	233	32460	606	686	5976		1259		240	5796	916	7268	51121
HERITAGE	138	21	673		24725	21750	29825							76300	
HILLCREST			48	8702	533	533	533			533				1599	10474
HOOKS	10	1	188												
HOPEWELL	4	4	324	27200	1193		3889		889		300	11778	8199	5082	56637
HUBBARD	12	1			757	757			2013	757				1514	10352
JOHNTOWN	3	4	198	32500	1008	2015	3023			300	120	20286		6046	62213
LIBERTY	1		33	13815	522	522	522	60	622	50		202	1669	1566	19613
NEW HAVEN	11	1	186	28400		4400	5400		5050	1600	120	160	21508	9800	76753
NEW HOPE			44	5200	300	777	1277		2777	777		3301	1450	2354	21606
OAK RIDGE	9	3	215	26500	520		4666		1822	1822		15103		5186	71732
PINKHAM	5	14	265	32954						1691			6913	9992	52954
PLEASANT OAKS															
UNITY	16	14	475		600	6919	16722	300	2100	600				41234	
WARDS CREEK	9	2	167		647	2154	3007		2734	647				5808	
WEST SIDE	18	20	431	26780	1168	1801	12152			144		10645		15121	55897
LANDMARK	1	16			444	444	25	120				5695	2192	913	10248
TOTAL	265	129	4626	348449	38472	49305	108430	2430	30231	11924	1080	90464	75187	240653	888216