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Section I

Southern Baptist Highlights

THE RECORD OF SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCHES*—1983-1982

	1983	1982	Gain or Loss	Percent Gain or Loss
State Conventions	34	34		
Associations	1,214	1,211	3	0.2
Churches with Pews	32,777	32,648	129	0.4
CHURCHES AND MEMBERSHIP				
Churches	36,531	36,302	229	0.6
Nonresident Members	4,023,706	3,935,112	88,594	2.3
Resident Members	10,161,748	10,063,140	98,608	1.0
Total Membership	14,185,454	13,998,252	187,202	1.3
Churches with Baptisms	30,060	30,260	-200	-0.7
Baptisms	394,606	411,534	-16,948	-4.1
Baptism Rate per 100 Enrolled in Sunday School	5.0	5.4	-0.4	-7.4
Additions by Letter	507,424	515,492	-8,068	-1.6
Open Country and Village Churches	16,102	16,106	-4	-0.0
Towns	4,052	4,040	12	0.3
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	3,573	3,530	43	1.2
City (10,000-49,999 pop.)	5,286	5,229	57	1.1
City (50,000 or more pop.)	5,518	5,397	121	2.2
Full-time Preaching (AM and PM every Sunday)	32,799	32,619	180	0.6
SUNDAY SCHOOLS				
Churches with Sunday Schools	35,363	35,365	198	0.6
Sunday School Ongoing Enrollment	7,815,443	7,678,404	136,839	1.8
Vacation Bible School Enrollment	3,244,335	3,276,977	-32,622	-1.0
CHURCH TRAINING				
Churches with Church Training Enrollment	23,032	22,659	373	1.6
Total Church Training Ongoing Enrollment	1,987,390	1,949,348	38,042	2.0
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNIONS				
Churches with Organizations	25,391	24,942	449	1.8
Enrollment of all Organizations	1,173,354	1,149,266	24,088	2.3
BROTHERHOODS				
Churches with Brotherhoods	18,636	18,111	525	2.9
Brotherhood Ongoing Enrollment	565,349	529,642	35,707	6.7
MUSIC MINISTRY				
Churches with Music Ministry Enrollment	29,246	28,789	457	1.6
Music Ministry Ongoing Enrollment	1,656,764	1,634,774	21,990	1.3
GIFTS				
Total Receipts ¹	\$ 3,370,450,615	\$3,117,387,150	\$ 253,063,465	8.1
Total Gifts	\$ 3,165,237,965	\$2,919,507,245	\$ 245,730,720	8.4
Per Capita Total Gifts	\$ 223.13	\$ 208.56	\$ 14.57	7.0
Mission Expenditures	\$ 529,283,289	\$ 486,935,086	\$ 42,348,203	8.7
Per Capita Mission Expenditures	\$ 37.31	\$ 34.79	\$ 2.52	7.2
Cooperative Program Receipts Reported by States	\$ 272,571,144	\$ 253,281,558	\$ 19,289,586	7.6
Cooperative Program Receipts-Going to SBC Causes ²	\$ 102,313,308	\$ 93,344,356	\$ 8,968,952	9.6
Churches Giving to Missions	34,687	34,576	111	0.3
Number of Tithers Reported	1,651,221	1,608,458	42,763	2.7
CHURCH PROPERTY				
Churches Reporting Property Value	34,262	33,998	264	0.8
Total Value Church Property	\$14,514,045,215	\$13,187,085,015	\$1,326,960,200	10.1

¹Includes campus BYW as well as church activities.

²This concept of Brotherhood enrollment was changed in 1983 to allow concurrent enrollment of persons 12 or more at the four Baptist men's categories.

³Includes total amounts of income from fees, rentals, etc.

⁴Figures in this column are supplied by the Executive Committee, SBC.

⁵The above summary of statistics for churches is based on collaborative input of churches, associations, state conventions, and Convention Executive Committee offices. A specific church's relationship to an association, a state convention, or the SBC is determined solely by such of these respective autonomous Baptist bodies.

BAPTIST STUDENT MINISTRIES 1983-1982

	1983	1982	Gain or Loss	Percent Gain or Loss
Number Campuses with Student Ministries	1,165	1,138	27	2.4
Number Students Involved	156,630	165,293	-8,663	-4.0
Baptisms Among Students	11,318	11,702	-384	-3.3

Index 1973 = 100



* **Indicates for Church Music and VBS Enrollments are identical from 1973 thru 1975.

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***Includes small amounts of income from fees, rentals, etc.**

The above summary of statistics for children is based on children

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NUMBER OF CHURCHES, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Conventions	Total Churches		City (10,000 or more Pop.)		City (2,500-9,999)		City (10,000-49,999)		City (50,000 or more Pop.)		Total City	
	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982
	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area
SBC	36,531	36,302	14,253	14,233	3,832	3,875	4,082	4,040	3,373	972	2,260	2,054
Alabama	3,037	3,025	1,640	1,642	264	253	276	279	259	74	153	102
Alaska	41	41	6	6	3	3	3	3	9	2	3	3
Arizona	264	234	22	20	17	18	33	35	51	8	12	9
Arkansas	1,266	1,264	478	480	229	231	181	189	136	33	69	45
California	3,038	2,995	34	30	27	30	83	86	179	53	154	101
Colorado	178	172	11	11	6	7	35	35	35	3	16	19
Dist. of Columbia	56	57										
Florida	1,598	1,588	425	434	78	81	170	175	151	72	91	130
Georgia	2,984	2,982	1,434	1,433	303	312	274	277	277	67	168	259
Hawaii	39	38					3	3	11	2	3	7
Illinois	930	910	222	217	133	136	138	144	139	25	85	67
Indiana	287	280	38	30	12	12	45	46	53	18	33	30
Iowa	238	227	6	6	16	14	51	53	45	7	34	11
Kansas	2,238	2,217	1,176	1,168	330	338	215	208	155	41	84	56
Kentucky	1,330	1,325	617	625	155	155	145	144	106	28	60	39
Louisiana	327	312	46	46	17	16	34	34	40	9	40	54
Maine	195	194	10	12	8	5	12	13	26	6	26	43
Maryland	1,907	1,938	1,147	1,130	217	223	172	179	138	41	111	73
Massachusetts	1,893	1,887	708	708	365	369	365	373	373	33	61	35
Michigan	57	55	3	3	4	3	10	8	10	7	1	1
Minnesota	262	261	29	30	46	47	38	37	31	34	43	23
Mississippi	165	151	5	5	2	4	11	9	19	8	10	28
Missouri	3,479	3,462	1,892	1,901	291	290	320	321	249	71	172	163
Montana	174	166	8	9	8	46	41	40	9	23	17	1
Nebraska	381	289	10	11	8	7	57	47	55	3	46	41
Nevada	482	475	32	32	24	24	62	60	45	17	43	72
New Hampshire	1,451	1,444	436	433	243	246	246	249	172	38	94	53
New Jersey	98	98	8	8	3	3	10	8	15	5	29	14
New Mexico	1,721	1,707	846	834	127	134	176	176	167	32	109	118
New York	2,794	2,784	1,452	1,444	223	229	242	239	198	67	132	116
North Carolina	4,093	4,057	675	672	501	518	523	540	461	158	275	182
North Dakota	82	84	5	2	2	2	12	14	21	7	13	6
Ohio	1,455	1,448	635	632	163	161	134	131	61	29	67	77
Oklahoma	86	85	10	10	11	14	20	19	21	3	11	5
Oregon	31	23	1	1	1	1	4	3	6	3	2	1
Pennsylvania												
Rhode Island												
South Carolina												
South Dakota												
Tennessee												
Texas												
Utah												
Vermont												
Virginia												
Washington												
West Virginia												
Wisconsin												
Wyoming												

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*Includes "nonreporting" churches. "Nonreporting" refers to those still affiliated with the convention but who have not submitted a report for three or more years.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total Reporting Churches	Size of Membership												Percent of Churches with Membership Under 300	Non-Reporting Churches (Not Incl. in Other Cols.)
		1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more	
SBC	36,062	2,091	4,545	4,698	4,191	6,200	3,997	2,515	3,431	1,658	1,511	581	408	236	60.2
Alabama	3,014	177	437	505	406	512	292	166	242	95	115	30	25	12	67.6
Alaska	41	3	7	3	3	7	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	56.1
Arizona	243	26	29	25	28	21	16	32	13	12	2	6	1	27.6	1
Arkansas	1,260	97	191	162	154	203	123	75	110	53	53	22	10	7	46.0
California	988	111	136	112	94	124	102	87	110	49	34	17	8	4	58.4
Colorado	178	20	33	28	15	21	15	11	15	8	7	1	2	2	65.7
Dist. of Columbia	49														24.5
Florida	1,587	49	142	168	163	266	165	129	185	117	93	52	37	21	49.7
Georgia	2,964	120	313	396	372	541	336	221	302	155	118	38	35	17	58.8
Hawaii	39	3	6	6	5	6	2	3	3	3	2				66.7
Illinois	898	81	173	153	130	145	83	45	57	19	24	6	1	1	73.7
Indiana	283	27	38	46	33	45	34	22	24	7	3	2			66.8
Kansas-Nebraska	227	23	40	27	26	30	22	17	19	11	5	3	1		64.3
Kentucky	2,161	71	253	307	294	441	266	138	201	65	74	24	21	6	63.2
Louisiana	1,320	57	159	144	163	245	162	92	125	55	64	20	19	15	58.2
Maryland	321	23	42	33	26	58	38	42	33	13	10	1	2		56.7
Michigan	194	25	40	21	25	29	17	12	14	8	3				72.2
Minnesota	1,928	103	259	305	239	385	221	109	129	81	47	26	18	6	67.0
Missouri	1,889	130	356	297	196	289	154	114	163	71	70	38	7	4	67.1
Nevada	57	9	10	7	7	6	6	2	3	2	4	1			68.4
New Mexico	258	23	41	26	23	38	22	18	27	14	11	7	5	3	58.5
New York	160	40	48	23	17	14	8	5	3	1	1	1			88.8
North Carolina	3,425	110	355	423	460	694	472	313	327	134	97	22	17	1	59.6
Northwest	173	64	28	30	13	13	11	5	4	4	1				85.5
Ohio	298	40	53	38	35	59	28	10	18	6	9	1	1		75.5
Oklahoma	473	38	78	66	47	83	54	45	36	13	8	3	2		66.0
Oregon	1,407	93	172	151	155	194	129	99	152	89	86	34	28	25	54.4
Penn.-So. Jersey	96	11	18	20	18	14	7	5	2	1					84.4
South Carolina	1,714	65	147	177	176	337	246	149	212	101	65	20	13	6	52.6
Tennessee	2,741	103	272	364	379	569	352	182	224	99	107	49	28	13	61.5
Texas	4,027	264	482	432	331	522	393	243	443	295	293	136	107	86	50.4
Utah-Idaho	82	18	20	11	6	8	2	7	8	1	1				76.8
Virginia	1,450	48	134	169	161	257	184	120	188	66	88	22	11	2	53.0
West Virginia	86	17	17	9	10	11	5	6	3	1	1				68.6
Wisconsin	31	13	11	1	1	2	3								90.3

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*"Nonreporting" refers to those still affiliated with the Convention, but who have not submitted a report in three or more years.

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Conventions	Grand Total (Percent Change)			Open Circuit and V-Blags			Town (500-2,499 Pop.)			Suburban City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)			Large City (50,000 or more Pop.)		
	1983	1982	% Change	1983	% Change	1982	1983	% Change	1982	1983	% Change	1982	1983	% Change	1982
SBC	14,185,454	13,998,257	1.3	3,506,406	0.8	1,364,969	1,801,819	1.3	1,314,869	1.6	4,135,791	2.0			
Alabama	1,085,819	996,659	0.7	539,502	1.3	88,115	136,181	0.9	202,310	6.4	239,802	-4.6			
Alaska	17,940	16,288	10.1	1,361	8.3	994	74		2,127	34.3	2,116	63.9			
Arizona	109,811	104,024	5.6	3,926	9.8	5,846	11,722	16.2	18,145	17.0	63,378	11.3			
Arkansas	499,626	472,326	1.6	118,330	0.3	65,073	79,510	6.1	110,650	2.3	86,104	2.7			
California	367,870	356,511	3.1	7,830	51.1	17,607	29,413	-2.0	118,332	-0.3	199,488	5.0			
Colorado	62,402	61,700	1.1	1,091	5.9	4,755	8,997	6.5	14,613	5.3	32,344	-2.0			
Dist. of Columbia	27,879	32,048	13.0												
Florida	836,065	877,566	2.2	110,413	-0.4	36,716	100,762	2.6	223,799	-1.7	364,775	7.3			
Georgia	1,171,387	1,161,346	1.1	378,158	0.9	92,142	160,780	2.9	374,444	12.3	168,063	-14.6			
Hawaii	12,113	11,349	6.5	201	10.4	943	1,492	16.1	4,002	3.7	6,083	6.6			
Illinois	234,057	231,409	1.1	49,041	7.2	30,817	56,415	3.1	71,237	-0.1	26,527	-3.3			
Indiana	82,662	88,940	2.4	4,575	-0.3	1,206	13,445	4.9	25,371	1.0	31,083	1.1			
Iowa	76,414	74,212	3.0	2,834	18.8	7,662	12,270	2.3	18,195	-0.2	35,451	11.8			
Kentucky	156,548	156,886	0.7	118,954	-0.1	78,877	96,740	-0.9	133,087	5.0	135,880	-1.1			
Louisiana	559,113	552,893	1.1	163,790	-0.9	57,416	58,871	-1.4	111,872	-10.1	167,133	13.3			
Maryland	109,957	107,729	2.1	15,708	-3.3	8,641	12,447	8.8	43,674	0.7	79,805	8.6			
Massachusetts	48,279	48,431	-0.3	2,386	-2.9	1,374	4,402	26.3	21,176	-7.3	18,876	8.8			
Michigan	628,235	627,603	1.0	381,868	1.6	65,352	73,723	3.1	179,380	-0.5	57,812	3.8			
Minnesota	618,561	611,056	1.2	198,411	0.3	99,120	98,146	1.8	97,802	-1.5	163,977	2.2			
Missouri	17,342	16,280	5.9	278	31.1	1,477	2,144	21.4	3,074	-14.3	10,169	8.5			
New Mexico	117,062	111,472	5.0	9,313	-7.1	9,780	17,878	5.0	55,888	-6.4	24,193	8.8			
New York	23,537	22,864	2.9	404	-32.0	1,267	2,324	-3.1	1,388	-5.1	11,944	9.6			
North Carolina	1,141,757	1,136,316	0.4	495,460	0.4	111,698	117,114	-0.4	218,771	1.4	199,714	-7.5			
Northwest	26,635	25,721	3.4	477	9.9	2,561	5,445	-3.9	11,272	-4.0	6,830	30.8			
Ohio	75,775	71,184	3.5	1,875	7.3	8,131	10,781	-1.2	33,535	1.7	21,433	7.0			
Oklahoma	135,867	134,412	8.1	10,170	8.7	12,353	15,154	-7.3	42,127	7.8	36,063	-3.1			
Oregon	719,127	702,245	2.4	106,758	2.8	110,665	122,336	6.9	184,725	-2.2	191,843	5.5			
Penn. So Jersey	17,659	18,786	6.0	1,989	-2.8	1,583	7,536	-7.9	6,510	2.3	3,041	-28.9			
South Carolina	641,919	676,179	1.0	237,531	0.3	67,806	95,138	1.7	170,567	3.4	117,073	0.7			
Tennessee	1,041,380	1,040,413	0.3	348,716	-0.0	79,625	103,258	-3.1	196,867	1.5	314,914	2.7			
Texas	2,332,731	2,288,318	2.0	237,084	1.2	224,931	299,117	0.8	489,670	-3.8	1,082,747	5.5			
Utah	16,667	16,883	-1.3	321	52.1	451	4,173	-4.2	6,528	-4.0	4,994	7.0			
Virginia	589,865	589,113	0.4	179,118	2.5	50,236	35,944	-0.7	107,402	4.7	217,165	-3.7			
West Virginia	22,792	22,926	0.9	2,156	-9.3	2,970	6,291	-2.3	3,975	7.0	3,397	120.4			
Puerto Rico	1,079	1,063	-0.2	90	25.0	255	971	26.1	223	44.3	1,948	0.3			

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TOTAL MEMBERSHIP, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Size of Church (1983)													
	Total	1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more
SBC	14,185,454	69,609	142,648	583,293	727,473	1,526,398	1,382,522	1,122,402	2,084,294	1,434,380	1,826,644	999,012	973,302	1,111,087
Alabama	1,085,819	5,843	12,297	61,130	70,831	123,277	100,515	74,409	146,543	81,725	137,260	51,893	58,549	36,492
Alaska	17,940	97	301	340	301	1,826	2,179	1,355	1,000	1,774	2,244	1,000	1,774	3,417
Arizona	109,811	862	2,348	1,517	4,292	4,622	1,384	7,722	19,480	11,306	14,755	3,280	14,712	14,102
Arkansas	499,626	3,300	8,567	30,015	36,803	58,214	47,624	33,463	65,940	45,682	65,920	36,066	24,169	29,700
California	367,870	3,492	9,928	13,793	16,643	30,796	23,364	39,039	66,437	42,332	40,321	29,117	18,673	22,173
Colorado	62,402	635	2,423	3,431	2,649	4,930	5,225	4,930	9,284	8,886	7,797	1,615	4,329	6,284
Dist. of Columbia	27,879													
Florida	836,065	1,498	18,157	30,630	28,701	65,363	57,165	57,556	114,336	102,449	115,491	39,492	61,857	801,616
Georgia	1,171,387	4,115	23,484	49,635	64,806	111,094	115,883	98,921	182,621	134,058	143,180	66,273	83,197	73,725
Hawaii	12,113	112	425	778	890	1,348	666	1,283	1,693	2,644	2,302			
Illinois	234,057	2,755	13,051	18,699	19,212	35,762	28,311	19,476	34,446	16,371	29,169	9,730	2,105	4,320
Indiana	82,662	940	2,831	5,710	1,728	11,209	11,928	10,011	11,973	5,448	3,187	3,372		8,455
Iowa	76,414	779	3,077	3,427	4,401	7,130	7,635	7,368	11,826	9,558	5,185	6,805	3,248	3,248
Kentucky	156,548	2,467	19,083	38,330	50,576	108,980	91,335	61,476	121,370	51,680	91,914	40,885	49,825	24,389
Louisiana	559,113	1,952	11,858	17,897	28,316	60,408	55,627	40,968	73,079	48,318	79,621	34,164	45,351	39,354
Maryland	109,957	702	3,292	4,122	4,765	14,446	13,222	18,680	20,385	11,598	11,633	1,559	5,353	
Massachusetts	48,279	822	2,970	2,992	4,283	7,264	5,921	5,344	8,793	3,312				
Michigan	618,561	3,422	19,673	37,803	41,157	94,751	76,107	48,457	78,893	69,644	56,471	43,404	43,151	25,004
Minnesota	618,561	4,134	26,721	38,437	31,866	70,645	52,852	50,634	98,256	69,928	83,239	64,463	16,431	17,835
Missouri	17,342	294	710	966	1,264	1,429	2,089	863	1,774	1,780	4,348	1,728		
New Mexico	117,062	840	3,073	3,128	4,086	9,448	7,494	7,827	16,583	13,314	13,671	12,090	11,592	14,496
New York	23,537	1,156	3,768	2,859	2,981	3,235	2,677	2,139	1,807		1,186	1,514		
North Carolina	1,141,757	1,911	26,875	52,943	88,208	170,612	163,889	139,424	196,407	113,648	113,489	36,323	16,124	3,583
Northwest	26,635	1,819	3,070	3,698	3,129	1,726	3,927	2,218	2,551	1,449	1,248			
Ohio	75,775	1,445	3,922	4,609	6,041	14,880	9,362	4,467	11,241	5,055	10,715	1,691	2,367	
Oklahoma	135,867	1,390	5,795	7,873	8,263	20,802	18,409	20,231	22,241	11,150	9,337	9,127	4,349	
Oregon	719,127	2,950	12,493	18,115	24,689	47,434	44,610	44,660	93,776	78,135	106,997	59,132	69,026	115,080
Penn. So Jersey	17,659	389	1,322	2,410	3,136	3,570	2,466	2,182	1,343	941				
South Carolina	641,919	2,228	11,140	22,422	30,608	63,207	62,730	64,275	128,208	87,272	78,147	34,482	31,387	21,521
Tennessee	1,041,380	3,631	21,398	46,235	65,618	139,924	121,407	80,848	135,892	83,611	128,653	83,785	60,525	61,751
Texas	2,332,731	8,401	35,830	54,029	57,128	128,703	136,438	108,579	271,058	254,284	354,406	235,861	253,605	435,428
Utah	16,667	543	1,450	1,379	1,677	1,891	747	3,120	4,677	833	1,021			
Virginia	589,865	1,550	10,772	21,289	27,632	63,618	64,281	53,659	113,483	57,080	105,180	36,413	23,799	1,599
West Virginia	22,792	1,159	1,344	2,836	1,532	2,244	1,680	2,156	3,954	2,743	1,159	1,643		
Puerto Rico	1,079	471	804	100	177	518	989							

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WORK IN STATES WITH FEWER THAN 100 CHURCHES AS A PERCENT OF SELECTED SBC STATISTICS, 1983

	Totals for States with Fewer than 100 Churches	As a Percent of SBC Totals
Churches	1,072	2.9%
Baptisms	12,699	3.2%
Total Members	239,488	1.7%
S.S. Ongoing Enrollment	151,411	1.9%
C.T. Enrollment	37,497	1.9%
Total Receipts	\$65,488,000	1.9%
Mission Expenditures	\$11,642,296	2.2%

NUMBER OF CHURCHES HAVING FULL-TIME PREACHING* BY LOCATION—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total Churches	Number of Churches Having Full-time Preaching	Percent of Churches Having Full-time Preaching				
			Open Circuit and Village	Town (500-999 Pop.)	City (1,000-9,999 Pop.)	City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)	City (50,000 or more Pop.)
SBC	36,331	32,799	84.2	94.6	97.0	96.6	93.2
Alabama	3,037	2,812	89.2	98.2	98.5	99.1	97.3
Alaska	41	39	77.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Arizona	244	239	89.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.9
Arkansas	1,266	1,220	95.9	98.4	100.0	99.3	98.9
California	1,006	928	91.8	94.0	98.4	91.5	90.6
Colorado	173	173	94.1	97.1	97.1	100.0	96.2
District of Columbia	56	56					79.6
Florida	1,598	1,562	97.2	98.2	99.4	99.6	98.7
Georgia	2,984	2,692	89.0	95.7	97.8	98.2	96.0
Hawaii	39	36	100.0	100.0	81.8	100.0	91.7
Illinois	910	845	92.1	94.9	96.2	94.4	92.7
Indiana	287	276	95.2	93.1	98.1	98.5	98.6
Iowa	228	214	93.0	98.0	95.6	94.3	96.4
Kansas	2,228	1,984	88.3	94.6	98.1	96.1	94.6
Kentucky	1,330	1,290	96.2	99.3	98.1	98.0	96.9
Louisiana	327	270	81.0	83.3	97.5	88.3	99.0
Michigan	195	189	94.4	100.0	96.2	100.0	93.8
Minnesota	1,947	1,828	91.7	97.7	100.0	100.0	95.8
Missouri	1,893	1,675	87.5	95.9	98.3	96.6	94.5
Montana	57	55	83.7	100.0	90.0	100.0	100.0
New Mexico	262	244	81.3	100.0	93.8	98.9	96.3
New York	163	122	71.4	80.9	89.5	88.5	96.5
North Carolina	1,479	1,409	94.4	93.4	99.2	93.8	90.7
North Dakota	174	159	86.7	94.8	97.8	97.8	100.0
Ohio	301	281	83.3	93.0	94.5	97.8	97.4
Oklahoma	442	463	96.9	93.1	100.0	97.7	94.0
Oregon	1,457	1,363	89.1	98.8	98.9	98.9	99.5
Penn.-So. Jersey	98	94	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.4	86.4
South Carolina	1,723	1,539	87.7	91.5	98.2	98.5	98.0
Texas	2,794	2,547	89.6	97.5	98.5	99.0	94.8
Tennessee	4,093	3,861	92.4	98.1	98.0	97.8	94.2
Utah	82	77	100.0	100.0	90.5	96.3	88.4
Virginia	1,455	961	64.1	58.2	73.8	80.4	85.1
West Virginia	86	83	90.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	80.0
Wisconsin	31	30	100.0	83.3	100.0	100.0	100.0

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*Preaching A.M. and P.M. every Sunday.

SUMMARY OF SOUTHERN BAPTIST WORK IN STATES WITH FEWER THAN 100 CHURCHES, 1983

State	Churches	Baptisms	Total	Open Circuit and Village	Town (500-999 Pop.)	City (1,000-9,999 Pop.)	City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)	City (50,000 or more Pop.)	Mission Expenditures
Totals	1,072	12,699	239,488	38,000,000	38,000,000	38,000,000	38,000,000	38,000,000	\$11,642,296
Alabama	3,037	3,037	3,037	3,037	3,037	3,037	3,037	3,037	1,006
Alaska	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41
Arizona	244	244	244	244	244	244	244	244	244
Arkansas	1,266	1,266	1,266	1,266	1,266	1,266	1,266	1,266	1,266
California	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006
Colorado	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173
District of Columbia	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56
Florida	1,598	1,598	1,598	1,598	1,598	1,598	1,598	1,598	1,598
Georgia	2,984	2,984	2,984	2,984	2,984	2,984	2,984	2,984	2,984
Hawaii	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39
Illinois	910	910	910	910	910	910	910	910	910
Indiana	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
Iowa	228	228	228	228	228	228	228	228	228
Kansas	2,228	2,228	2,228	2,228	2,228	2,228	2,228	2,228	2,228
Kentucky	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330
Louisiana	327	327	327	327	327	327	327	327	327
Michigan	195	195	195	195	195	195	195	195	195
Minnesota	1,947	1,947	1,947	1,947	1,947	1,947	1,947	1,947	1,947
Missouri	1,893	1,893	1,893	1,893	1,893	1,893	1,893	1,893	1,893
Montana	57	57	57	57	57	57	57	57	57
New Mexico	262	262	262	262	262	262	262	262	262
New York	163	163	163	163	163	163	163	163	163
North Carolina	1,479	1,479	1,479	1,479	1,479	1,479	1,479	1,479	1,479
North Dakota	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174
Ohio	301	301	301	301	301	301	301	301	301
Oklahoma	442	442	442	442	442	442	442	442	442
Oregon	1,457	1,457	1,457	1,457	1,457	1,457	1,457	1,457	1,457
Penn.-So. Jersey	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98
South Carolina	1,723	1,723	1,723	1,723	1,723	1,723	1,723	1,723	1,723
Texas	2,794	2,794	2,794	2,794	2,794	2,794	2,794	2,794	2,794
Tennessee	4,093	4,093	4,093	4,093	4,093	4,093	4,093	4,093	4,093
Utah	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82
Virginia	1,455	1,455	1,455	1,455	1,455	1,455	1,455	1,455	1,455
West Virginia	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86
Wisconsin	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31

*Figures shown for states in this summary are included in other tables in this publication as part of the aggregate state conventions over which the churches are affiliated.
*Includes income from fees, rentals, etc., as well as offerings and gifts.
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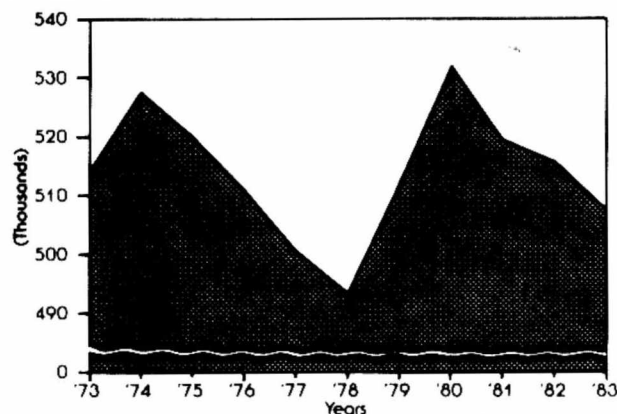
NUMBER OF CHURCHES REPORTING MAJOR ITEMS—1983

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Florida	1,413	1,445	1,565	1,241	1,177	1,252	975	1,435	1,551	1,352	1,516	1,454	816
Open County and Village	1,413	1,445	1,565	1,241	1,177	1,252	975	1,435	1,551	1,352	1,516	1,454 <td>816</td>	816
Term	1,413	1,445	1,565	1,241	1,177	1,252	975	1,435	1,551	1,352	1,516	1,454	816
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	1,413	1,445	1,565	1,241	1,177	1,252	975	1,435	1,551	1,352	1,516	1,454	816
City (10,000-49,999)	1,413	1,445	1,565	1,241	1,177	1,252	975	1,435	1,551	1,352	1,516	1,454	816
City (50,000 or more)	1,413	1,445	1,565	1,241	1,177	1,252	975	1,435	1,551	1,352	1,516	1,454	816
Georgia	2,493	2,493	2,902	2,343	1,845	2,151	1,759	2,383	2,846	2,879	2,835	2,690	1,216
Open County and Village	2,493	2,493	2,902	2,343	1,845	2,151	1,759	2,383	2,846	2,879	2,835	2,690	1,216
Term	2,493	2,493	2,902	2,343	1,845	2,151	1,759	2,383	2,846	2,879	2,835	2,690	1,216
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	2,493	2,493	2,902	2,343	1,845	2,151	1,759	2,383	2,846	2,879	2,835	2,690	1,216
City (10,000-49,999)	2,493	2,493	2,902	2,343	1,845	2,151	1,759	2,383	2,846	2,879	2,835	2,690	1,216
City (50,000 or more)	2,493	2,493	2,902	2,343	1,845	2,151	1,759	2,383	2,846	2,879	2,835	2,690	1,216
Hawaii	36	34	36	21	30	27	15	35	39	39	35	38	29
Open County and Village	36	34	36	21	30	27	15	35	39	39	35	38	29
Term	36	34	36	21	30	27	15	35	39	39	35	38	29
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	36	34	36	21	30	27	15	35	39	39	35	38	29
City (10,000-49,999)	36	34	36	21	30	27	15	35	39	39	35	38	29
City (50,000 or more)	36	34	36	21	30	27	15	35	39	39	35	38	29
Idaho	738	692	890	647	410	562	353	671	872	867	849	807	388
Open County and Village	738	692	890	647	410	562	353	671	872	867	849	807	388
Term	738	692	890	647	410	562	353	671	872	867	849	807	388
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	738	692	890	647	410	562	353	671	872	867	849	807	388
City (10,000-49,999)	738	692	890	647	410	562	353	671	872	867	849	807	388
City (50,000 or more)	738	692	890	647	410	562	353	671	872	867	849	807	388
Illinois	230	246	281	204	168	199	143	226	271	273	256	259	195
Open County and Village	230	246	281	204	168	199	143	226	271	273	256	259	195
Term	230	246	281	204	168	199	143	226	271	273	256	259	195
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	230	246	281	204	168	199	143	226	271	273	256	259	195
City (10,000-49,999)	230	246	281	204	168	199	143	226	271	273	256	259	195
City (50,000 or more)	230	246	281	204	168	199	143	226	271	273	256	259	195
Indiana	191	186	224	169	155	165	116	190	221	220	213	206	152
Open County and Village	191	186	224	169	155	165	116	19					

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ADDITIONS BY LETTER, 1973-1983

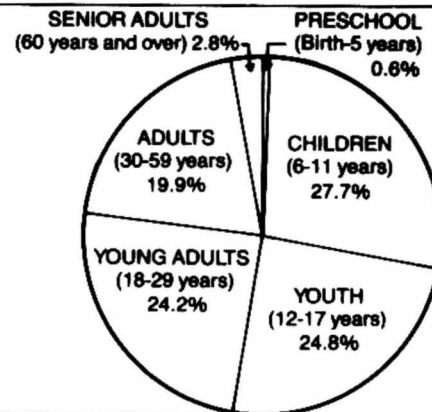


ADDITIONS BY LETTER, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Conventions	Total Additions By Letter		Open Country and Village		Town (2,000-9,999 Pop.)		Small City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)		Medium City (50,000-99,999 Pop.)		Large City (100,000 or more Pop.)	
	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change
SBC	307,424	-1.6	100,828	-0.9	40,790	-3.6	59,917	-1.5	133,915	-2.7	171,968	-0.6
Alabama	32,434	-2.3	9,778	0.8	2,602	3.2	4,416	1.4	6,671	-0.5	8,967	-9.7
Alaska	1,234	18.5	179	-3.6	80	-14.0	158	92.7	138	34.0	999	18.9
Arizona	6,138	4.4	136	46.7	313	-8.6	681	8.8	966	-7.8	3,839	3.3
Arkansas	17,826	1.8	4,353	0.5	1,840	-4.5	3,034	4.2	5,089	7.2	3,490	-2.3
California	15,830	-11.9	479	28.8	322	-14.6	1,136	-17.1	5,856	-8.3	6,067	14.8
Colorado	4,178	-12.3	154	-20.6	305	-26.8	459	8	1,104	-6.8	2,256	-13.4
District of Columbia	691	-15.5	30	-15.5	190	-28.8	431	-13.6	1,118	9.9	882	-0.5
Florida	37,226	-3.6	4,373	-9.3	1,948	-11.7	4,227	-7.5	11,019	-2.4	15,657	-0.4
Georgia	36,972	-0.2	9,926	-6.1	2,836	-12.7	4,888	-4.5	13,798	-7.5	5,304	-23.8
Hawaii	546	-11.9	21	31.3	30	53.8	58	0.0	201	-21.8	246	10.9
Illinois	6,787	0.1	1,545	35.4	722	-0.6	1,396	-2.0	2,273	-6.0	831	-30.6
Indiana	3,926	0.1	805	18.0	190	-28.8	431	-13.6	1,118	9.9	882	-0.5
Iowa	3,509	-0.8	86	-18.5	254	-19.9	520	-11.6	1,152	0.9	1,495	6.1
Kansas	19,003	0.2	6,972	0.9	1,828	-12.8	2,149	-9.6	4,032	17.2	4,222	-3.3
Kentucky	21,965	-3.9	5,300	-5.3	1,858	-5.7	1,979	-1.9	4,962	-20.3	7,646	11.8
Louisiana	4,291	3.7	523	0.2	145	63.8	484	-16.8	1,828	-6.7	981	25.3
Maryland	22,796	2.9	83	-3.4	145	-19.7	192	0.0	708	-2.2	671	18.6
Massachusetts	22,114	-2.2	1,193	-0.1	1,893	-2.7	2,549	4.2	7,219	9.5	2,321	-0.8
Michigan	18,362	-0.7	3,902	3.3	2,138	-2.1	2,969	1.5	5,491	-8.1	5,662	1.0
Minnesota	1,033	2.6	32	18.5	74	-18.7	118	49.4	183	28.0	628	13.0
Mississippi	2,441	-0.6	421	-3.9	334	10.2	682	-0.4	2,336	3.0	1,268	8.2
Missouri	29,116	-13.0	34	-12.4	79	19.7	304	15.9	908	6.8	457	-36.2
Montana	1,796	-7.0	60	15.4	193	-27.2	357	7.8	776	-11.6	412	24.5
Nebraska	3,841	8.3	489	10.8	342	9.3	499	9.4	1,607	4.4	1,270	12.7
Nevada	3,201	0.1	421	-1.6	535	1.3	534	-2.6	1,831	16.1	1,470	11.1
New Mexico	27,132	2.8	4,085	5.8	3,455	14.2	3,811	-2.7	8,344	1.1	7,477	1.6
New York	19,665	-9.8	45	-30.8	47	-36.5	111	-32.4	399	9.7	166	31.1
North Carolina	19,665	-8.2	5,965	-10.1	1,506	-12.7	2,535	-13.4	5,712	-5.5	3,947	-3.6
North Dakota	31,497	-0.9	8,408	-3.0	2,151	8.5	2,904	-7.3	7,195	-7.0	10,839	5.5
Ohio	110,277	0.5	10,661	-3.9	8,529	-4.8	12,167	4.7	23,301	-8.2	55,619	5.6
Oklahoma	14,071	6.9	11	37.5	43	7.5	255	10.9	647	20.5	315	-10.8
Oregon	14,461	2.9	3,191	10.2	893	-4.8	733	3.4	2,000	3.8	6,664	0.4
Penn. So. Jersey	897	10.3	100	-33.5	93	-10.6	194	3.2	321	8.1	199	193.3
Puerto Rico	115	-52.1	-100.0	-	14	100.0	19	1,800.0	5	-75.7	77	-81.5

Note: Some conventions may not be shown as part of SBC statistics.

DISTRIBUTION OF 1983 BAPTISMS BY AGE DIVISION



NUMBER OF BAPTISMS BY AGE DIVISIONS—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total Baptisms	Preschool	Children 6-11	Children 12-17	Youth	Young Adult	Adult	Senior Adult
SBC	394,606	2,156	36,968	72,623	97,984	95,531	78,400	10,938
Alabama	24,306	124	2,386	4,934	6,780	5,209	4,430	623
Alaska	808	3	90	95	150	281	180	9
Arizona	5,532	36	460	647	1,046	1,589	1,354	180
Arkansas	13,911	68	1,392	2,726	3,683	2,966	2,660	413
California	16,620	235	1,538	2,243	3,341	4,678	3,964	596
Colorado	2,728	21	236	364	561	823	633	70
District of Columbia	541	4	49	84	118	131	120	15
Florida	29,298	183	2,438	4,430	6,485	5,626	6,640	1,276
Georgia	27,369	147	2,417	5,468	7,763	5,988	4,967	599
Hawaii	494	40	42	102	139	150	21	21
Illinois	7,208	67	758	1,415	1,645	1,650	1,531	233
Indiana	3,391	28	299	330	806	764	849	115
Kansas-Nebraska	2,568	17	264	438	515	736	529	69
Kentucky	17,393	73	1,400	3,481	4,737	4,022	3,330	532
Louisiana	15,103	73	1,601	3,082	3,736	3,697	2,616	298
Maryland	3,534	16	253	482	639	978	1,042	120
Michigan	1,917	26	160	284	442	514	417	74
Mississippi	15,343	33	1,383	3,488	4,322	3,330	3,478	389
Missouri	15,946	138	1,644	3,335	3,443	3,427	3,158	600
Nevada	1,134	9	80	155	209	320	317	44
New Mexico	5,530	55	516	798	1,120	1,427	1,304	110
New York	1,306	26	81	130	343	407	36	36
North Carolina	22,779	152	2,136	4,871	6,089	5,023	4,012	496
North Dakota	1,683	12	135	267	262	589	377	41
Ohio	4,197	31	295	514	866	1,280	1,127	164
Oklahoma	6,797	46	555	1,033	1,506	1,738	1,645	274
Oregon	24,090	173	2,234	4,543	6,875	6,332	4,508	621
Penn. So. Jersey	983	5	62	123	187	278	289	40
South Carolina	13,479	88	1,518	3,501	3,926	3,792	2,733	323
Tennessee	36,871	120	2,324	5,164	6,358	5,665	4,367	676
Texas	67,059	447	6,529	11,807	16,561	17,363	12,976	1,376
Utah-Idaho	896	49	217	351	498	579	527	33
Virginia	11,033	43	874	2,304	2,856	2,797	2,448	309
West Virginia	1,071	8	82	185	237	261	259	41
Puerto Rico	397	4	30	74	86	180	23	23

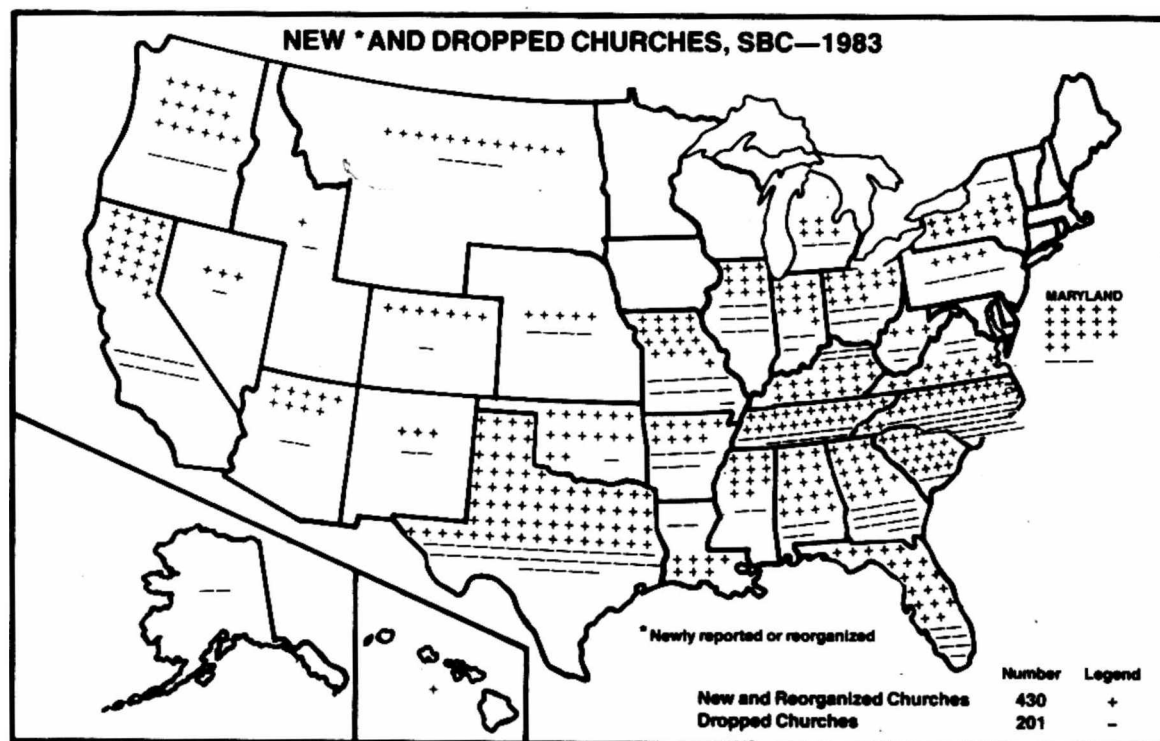
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ADDITIONS BY BAPTISMS, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Conventions	Total Baptisms			Open Country and Village			Town (500-2,499 Pop.)			Small City (2,500-9,999 Pop.)			Medium City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)			Large City (50,000 or more Pop.)				
	1983	1982	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	
	1983	1982	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	1983	% Change	Rate Per 100 Enrolled in '82	
SBC	394,606	411,554	-4.1	5.05	96,352	-7.2	5.33	37,332	-7.4	5.07	48,774	-2.8	4.71	96,332	-2.1	4.93	115,816	-2.6	5.07	
Alabama	24,506	25,752	-4.8	4.34	9,228	-3.4	5.40	1,972	-15.8	4.01	3,367	-0.3	4.13	4,622	1.4	3.90	5,317	-10.3	3.60	
Alaska	808	742	8.9	10.51	117	-12.7	11.79	42	-38.2	8.57	119	101.7	6.87	123	83.6	11.40	407	-1.7	12.00	
Arizona	5,532	5,806	-4.7	8.47	245	28.3	9.29	556	-19.3	10.76	585	-7.6	6.56	663	-34.4	6.41	3,703	4.0	9.15	
Arkansas	13,911	14,514	-4.2	5.46	4,262	-7.7	7.35	1,883	-11.8	5.85	2,106	1.1	4.51	3,493	15.4	5.43	2,167	-18.3	4.03	
California	16,820	18,116	-8.3	8.31	464	12.1	11.35	639	-17.3	9.61	1,429	-10.5	8.33	5,276	-9.8	7.48	8,812	-7.1	8.64	
Colorado	2,728	2,907	-6.2	7.68	134	6.3	10.76	233	-24.6	8.28	507	-1.8	9.28	685	13.2	7.98	1,169	-12.8	6.71	
Dist. of Columbia	541	570	-5.1	5.66	3,957	-11.5	6.85	1,679	-14.5	5.58	3,287	-5.0	5.42	7,877	0.7	5.89	12,498	-2.2	6.04	
Florida	29,298	29,965	-2.2	5.99	7,614	9,051	-7.6	5.14	2,300	-10.8	4.37	3,598	-1.6	3.81	9,185	11.9	4.28	3,335	-25.4	3.74
Georgia	27,390	28,601	-4.3	4.38	9,051	-7.6	5.14	2,300	-10.8	4.37	3,598	-1.6	3.81	9,185	11.9	4.28	3,335	-25.4	3.74	
Hawaii	494	519	-4.8	6.23	17	183.3	10.97	20	25.0	7.84	74	-14.9	6.60	159	-9.1	4.48	224	-4.7	7.47	
Illinois	7,298	7,628	-4.3	5.32	1,632	22.1	6.42	988	0.5	5.30	1,626	-6.5	4.78	3,133	-6.4	4.78	919	-28.7	6.37	
Indiana	3,391	3,454	-1.8	6.41	341	-6.3	9.57	361	-10.2	8.45	564	-0.7	7.70	1,167	0.3	5.72	958	0.2	5.52	
Iowa-Missouri	2,568	2,799	-8.3	5.53	108	-15.6	7.61	295	-13.0	6.70	480	-5.7	6.06	628	-19.2	5.62	1,057	1.1	4.91	
Kentucky	17,595	19,154	-8.1	4.66	8,041	-10.1	5.60	2,011	-12.8	4.95	1,925	-17.4	4.06	3,168	9.7	4.21	2,450	-8.9	3.48	
Louisiana	15,103	15,167	-0.4	4.92	4,843	-3.7	5.95	1,457	-1.5	4.79	1,386	-1.4	4.21	3,152	-10.2	4.82	4,265	14.0	4.40	
Maryland	3,534	4,159	-15.0	5.03	538	7.4	5.50	280	-21.1	5.47	481	-11.6	6.00	1,483	-20.9	5.04	752	-13.6	4.20	
Michigan	1,917	2,329	-17.7	6.82	107	10.3	7.40	122	-28.7	9.72	288	-7.4	9.67	827	-21.8	6.50	573	-17.2	5.90	
Minnesota	15,543	15,988	-2.7	4.44	7,267	-5.9	5.53	1,378	-8.2	3.72	1,654	9.7	3.80	4,303	1.9	4.07	941	-7.2	3.39	
Missouri	15,946	15,851	0.6	4.77	4,175	-4.4	5.83	2,171	-8.4	4.64	2,890	21.8	5.15	2,621	-7.1	4.65	3,899	-4.3	4.04	
Nevada	1,134	1,194	-5.0	8.55	40	33.3	11.70	166	55.1	18.80	148	-11.4	7.57	308	-22.4	9.79	572	-8.0	7.14	
New Mexico	5,530	4,599	20.2	9.99	329	5.8	7.31	297	-4.5	6.81	562	7.3	6.61	2,856	36.3	10.28	1,486	9.4	14.57	
New York	1,308	1,616	-19.2	8.84	28	-15.2	6.71	97	31.1	10.16	220	-10.6	9.59	403	-8.4	7.68	558	-32.2	9.51	
North Carolina	22,779	26,274	-13.3	3.44	10,408	-16.8	3.65	1,929	-17.0	3.08	2,055	-10.8	3.07	4,224	-0.6	3.27	4,163	-14.8	3.51	
North Dakota	1,683	1,587	6.0	9.64	40	60.0	8.16	268	4.3	9.68	424	9.0	10.16	662	0.3	10.53	289	12.9	7.72	
Ohio	4,197	4,576	-8.3	8.14	148	46.5	11.90	550	-4.7	9.30	639	-23.6	8.79	1,645	-11.9	7.42	1,215	1.8	8.12	
Oklahoma	6,797	6,202	9.6	7.76	661	17.6	9.34	713	40.9	9.28	877	6.0	8.33	2,107	4.3	7.22	2,439	6.7	7.35	
Oregon	34,690	34,789	-0.4	6.49	4,626	-1.6	8.10	3,774	0.1	6.67	3,696	1.6	5.66	6,359	-3.0	6.49	6,035	0.8	6.01	
Penn.-So. Jersey	983	1,197	-17.9	6.46	161	-4.5	10.18	139	-2.1	11.16	102	-53.6	4.42	355	-19.3	5.10	226	-6.2	7.81	
South Carolina	15,479	17,117	-9.6	3.79	5,764	-15.6	4.25	1,382	-13.1	3.60	1,953	-10.5	3.20	4,122	-5.1	3.76	2,258	6.2	3.54	
Tennessee	24,872	26,564	-6.4	4.54	8,547	-8.8	5.38	1,927	-5.4	4.59	2,303	-9.1	4.05	5,102	-13.0	4.23	6,993	3.4	4.12	
Texas	67,059	67,692	-0.9	5.36	7,570	-7.0	6.63	6,478	-2.2	5.58	8,042	-3.2	4.88	13,754	-6.3	4.86	31,215	4.2	5.44	
Utah-Idaho	896	1,230	-27.2	9.47	12	-55.6	4.65	53	-41.8	7.36	318	1.2	14.21	309	-7.5	9.25	204	-55.3	7.03	
Virginia	11,031	11,335	-2.7	7.46	3,372	-2.3	5.52	1,852	-1.2	3.99	673	18.1	3.58	2,132	9.9	3.67	3,802	-6.5	3.17	
West Virginia	1,071	864	24.0	7.82	101	-22.3	6.08	149	-16.3	7.08	172	27.4	9.76	311	40.1	7.94	138	228.6	5.79	
Puerto Rico	397	739	-46.3	12.09	18	80.0	9.89	71	73.2	16.55	14	-66.7	5.48	38	-77.2	10.41	236	-43.7	13.99	

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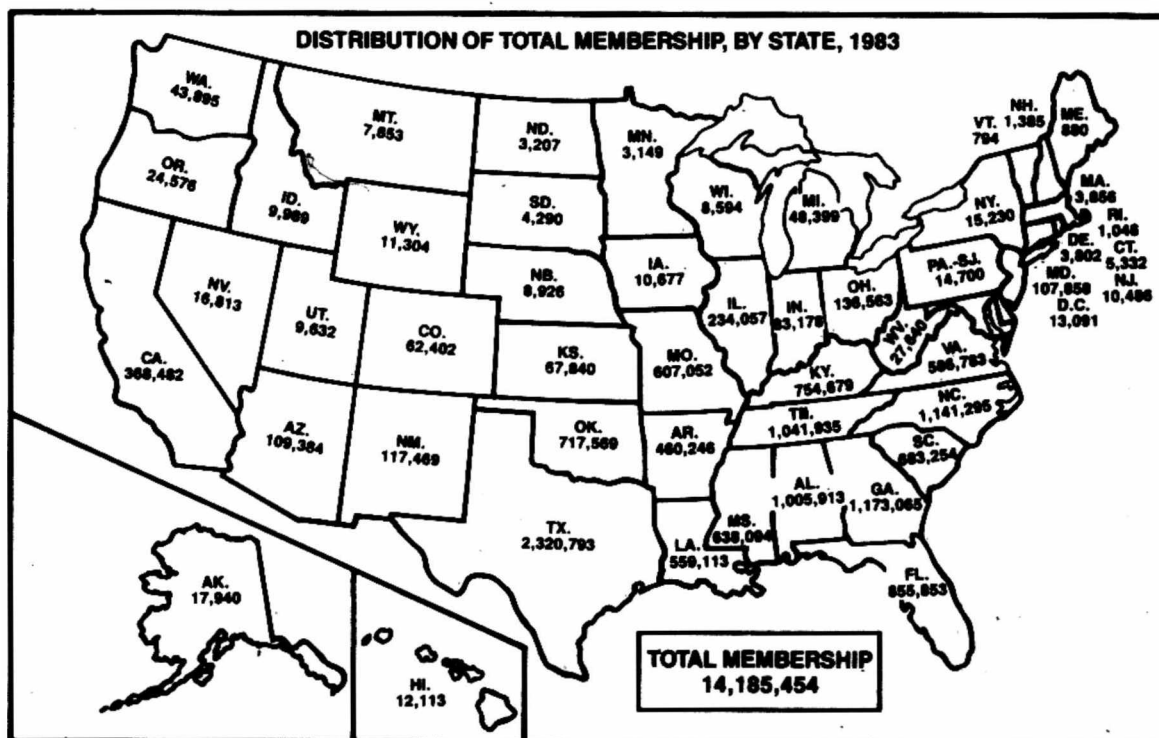
AVERAGE NUMBER OF BAPTISMS,¹ BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Size of Membership												
		1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more
SBC	11	2	3	4	6	8	10	12	16	21	28	41	63	150
Alabama	8	2	3	3	4	7	8	13	14	22	24	32	44	139
Alaska	22	1*	7	7*	25*	15	22	37*	17*	99*	36*	111*	15*	52*
Arizona	23	2	4	9	11	20	16	21	27	23	45	54*	79	1,320*
Arkansas	11	2	3	5	6	10	13	12	15	21	32	41	63	163
California	18	5	7	10	13	13	18	18	23	39	49	59	74	145
Colorado	16	5	7	8	12	13	12	23	26	22	46	32*	86*	129*
District of Columbia	14				6*	2	15	10	11	34	11*			
Florida	19	2	4	5	8	10	12	16	21	26	38	56	71	215
Georgia	9	1	2	3	4	7	8	11	13	18	23	44	60	134
Hawaii	13	5*	6	9	6	13	14*	24*	14*	21*	44*			
Illinois	8	2	3	5	6	9	11	16	19	18	24	38	227*	
Indiana	12	3	6	8	10	10	12	15	19	27	22*	32*		225*
Kansas-Nebraska	12	2	3	5	7	10	11	12	20	31	40	69*	44*	120*
Kentucky	8	2	3	4	5	7	9	10	14	13	24	35	56	82
Louisiana	12	1	2	4	6	8	11	12	17	21	31	39	54	104
Maryland	12	2	8	9	7	10	11	14	12	35	29	40*	49*	
Michigan	10	2	7	7	8	13	12	11	21	31	13*			
Mississippi	8	1	3	4	5	7	9	11	17	19	23	33	43	65
Missouri	8	1	2	3	5	7	11	12	15	20	25	41	75	98
Nevada	20	4	15	11	16	31	22	15*	39*	31*	48	50*		
New Mexico	22	3	6	5	7	10	8	16	17	21	26	42	326	378*
New York	9	3	8	11	9	12	20	8*	32*					
North Carolina	7	2	3	3	4	5	7	9	11	14	22	25	44	40*
Northern Plains	10	4	7	11	12	16	14	21	38	31	15*			
Northwest	14	4	8	9	13	13	20	22	28	44	33	109*	175*	
Ohio	15	3	7	11	11	12	17	19	27	36	51	64*	88*	
Oklahoma	18	2	4	5	8	11	12	18	19	27	41	49	89	137
Penn.-So. Jersey	11	3	7	9	13	16	7	16	40*	21*				
South Carolina	9	2	3	3	5	7	8	9	14	17	22	34	39	73
Tennessee	9	2	3	3	5	6	9	10	14	18	24	34	56	160
Texas	17	2	4	6	6	9	12	14	18	24	30	41	57	150
Utah-Idaho	12	3	5	7	8	27	13*	25	21	38*	39*			
Virginia	8	2	3	3	4	5	6	9	10	14	21	31	41	56*
West Virginia	13	3	5	10	7	12	14	15	41	38*	15*	21*		
Puerto Rico ²	13	7	12	7*	30*	11*	38*							

*Three or fewer churches in cell.

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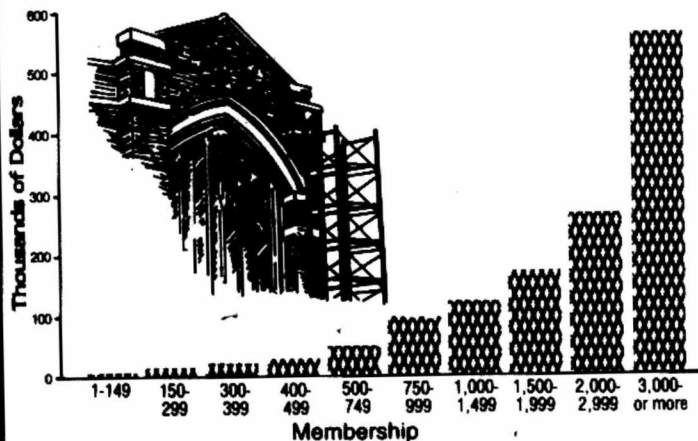


AVERAGE CHURCH DEBT', BY SIZE OF CHURCH, 1973 vs. 1983

Church Size	Average Church Debt, 1973	Average Church Debt, 1983	Percent Change
1-49	\$ 9,307	\$ 22,488	141.6%
50-99	11,801	24,864	109.0%
100-149	14,814	29,180	97.0%
150-199	19,031	31,258	64.3%
200-299	24,435	37,085	51.8%
300-399	33,910	49,832	47.0%
400-499	46,129	60,355	30.8%
500-749	66,926	87,885	31.3%
750-999	92,148	127,568	38.4%
1,000-1,499	133,383	188,237	41.1%
1,500-1,999	194,728	278,108	42.8%
2,000-2,999	265,819	469,035	76.5%
3,000 or more	498,346	1,024,431	105.6%
Total SBC	53,917	92,753	72.0%

1For churches reporting at least \$1.00 of debt.

AVERAGE* AMOUNT PAID FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND CHURCH PROPERTY, BY SIZE OF CHURCH—1983



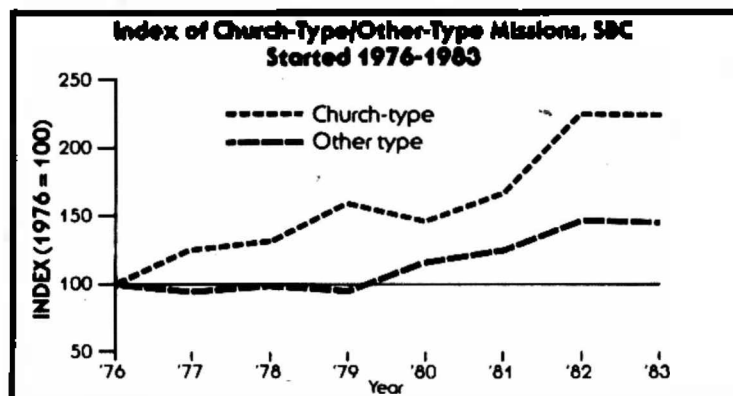
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VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Commissions	Total Value of Church Property		Open Country and Village		Town (1000-2999 Pop.)		Large City (30,000-99,999 Pop.)		Very Large City (100,000-999,999 Pop.)			
	1983	1982	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change		
SBC	\$14,114,041,311	\$13,187,085,012	\$1,411,071,491	12.4	\$1,291,961,140	8.6	\$6,552,311,880	10.8	\$1,790,441,135	8.1	\$3,087,942,835	6.8
Alabama	991,270,888	672,373,095	229,442,790	13.5	79,414,760	13.0	18,819,245	3.4	14,896,005	17.3	290,038,544	2.7
Alaska	28,360,888	27,103,060	1,760,040	11.0	1,220,510	8.8	5,636,040	88.8	3,012,000	63.3	11,677,335	-17.1
Arizona	12,844,775	22,902,890	3,380,640	18.9	3,208,720	8.8	17,458,640	68.8	20,139,310	-11.4	81,207,240	18.7
Arkansas	1,244,440	1,244,440	7,182,035	0.0	49,157,635	24.1	21,382,020	8.4	14,346,460	11.1	188,757,060	6.0
California	422,028,510	493,896,495	7,764,460	52.7	76,371,365	24.1	33,331,670	8.4	151,415,695	9.8	384,028,975	8.1
Colorado	10,183,680	18,777,495	2,594,888	32.0	4,844,190	-9.8	9,943,135	13.1	22,476,700	28.8	48,234,720	14.8
Connecticut	41,476,180	28,897,276	82,349,745	13.2	43,041,650	0.2	43,514,075	0.2	248,477,660	5.8	814,353,130	18.8
Delaware	18,760,200	1,981,750	294,180,345	2.3	84,151,340	0.0	177,086,220	1.1	624,460,795	19.0	11,023,645	11.1
District of Columbia	1,208,335	1,048,480	1,100,000	2.3	1,225,010	4.1	3,376,330	10.8	6,313,425	5.1	14,971,130	60.8
Florida	211,276,135	195,986,715	21,344,860	13.8	25,888,930	10.4	26,331,960	13.8	78,644,860	5.0	21,246,025	3.9
Georgia	74,223,860	89,644,890	5,611,235	-3.5	4,111,000	4.8	11,721,065	17.1	23,501,080	0.3	29,080,475	16.8
Hawaii	17,821,970	16,676,845	1,637,475	24.8	6,382,645	7.8	12,663,830	3.7	15,086,235	-13.0	38,978,460	22.4
Idaho	625,034,230	597,041,815	1,637,475	12.1	63,888,210	8.1	65,634,800	28.8	154,137,160	13.9	53,157,735	11.3
Illinois	635,377,860	775,041,815	134,497,360	12.1	93,888,210	8.1	65,634,800	28.8	154,137,160	13.9	227,183,260	22.1
Indiana	108,271,700	110,224,270	17,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Iowa	41,476,180	44,958,845	1,901,240	11.4	1,944,080	5.4	3,949,265	12.3	24,264,845	2.8	13,187,315	4.6
Kansas	28,360,888	27,103,060	1,760,040	11.0	1,220,510	8.8	5,636,040	88.8	3,012,000	63.3	11,677,335	-17.1
Kentucky	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Louisiana	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Maine	28,360,888	27,103,060	1,760,040	11.0	1,220,510	8.8	5,636,040	88.8	3,012,000	63.3	11,677,335	-17.1
Maryland	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Massachusetts	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Michigan	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Minnesota	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Mississippi	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Missouri	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Montana	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Nebraska	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Nevada	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
New Hampshire	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
New Jersey	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
New Mexico	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
New York	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
North Carolina	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
North Dakota	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Ohio	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Oklahoma	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Oregon	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Pennsylvania	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Rhode Island	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
South Carolina	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
South Dakota	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Tennessee	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Texas	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Utah	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Vermont	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Virginia	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Washington	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
West Virginia	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Wisconsin	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9
Wyoming	11,276,135	10,224,270	1,951,970	7.9	10,443,840	0.2	13,649,415	10.1	24,500,405	8.8	41,820,065	8.9

*Fig. 1 does not include land in the hands of part of SBC districts.

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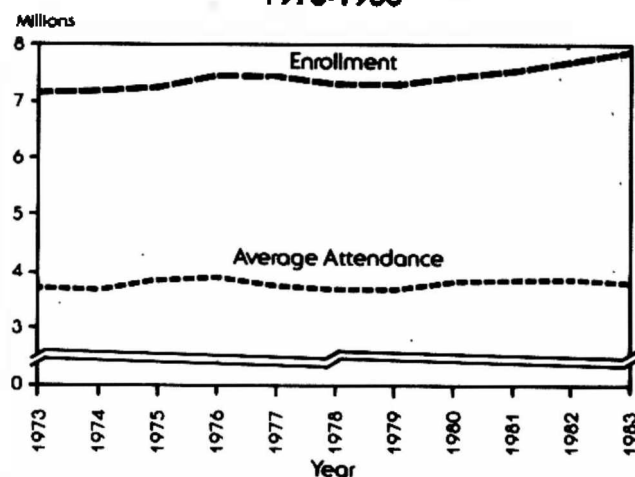
ENROLLMENT AND AVERAGE ATTENDANCE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL AND MUSIC MINISTRY—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Sunday School			Music Ministry		
	Enrollment	Average Weekly Attendance	Average Attendance As a % of Enrollment	Enrollment	Average Weekly Attendance	Average Attendance As a % of Enrollment
SBC	7,815,643	3,815,760	48.8	1,456,764	1,084,371	65.5
Alabama	543,017	279,796	49.5	130,291	86,672	66.5
Alaska	7,683	4,084	53.1	1,414	742	52.4
Arkansas	63,344	29,126	46.1	10,222	6,041	59.0
Arizona	233,813	123,138	52.7	50,734	33,820	66.7
California	199,989	85,936	43.0	36,471	22,500	61.7
Colorado	31,524	17,693	56.1	7,294	4,833	66.2
District of Columbia	9,534	4,977	52.1	1,988	1,084	54.4
Florida	489,289	223,841	45.8	104,659	70,204	67.1
Georgia	624,928	306,418	49.0	151,000	101,363	67.1
Hawaii	7,927	4,348	54.8	1,372	789	57.5
Illinois	137,134	66,721	48.7	23,401	13,829	59.1
Indiana	92,911	43,541	46.8	9,233	5,006	54.1
Iowa	68,438	31,647	46.3	7,940	4,842	61.0
Kansas	177,428	89,148	50.3	32,553	19,288	59.3
Kentucky	306,009	139,583	45.6	68,363	44,399	64.9
Louisiana	170,237	82,280	48.3	12,179	7,889	64.8
Michigan	28,127	13,922	49.5	4,101	2,434	59.4
Minnesota	150,423	71,886	47.8	38,356	24,415	63.7
Mississippi	533,962	262,919	49.2	62,512	37,501	60.0
Missouri	13,264	5,134	38.7	1,538	918	59.7
Montana	53,549	26,424	49.3	9,904	6,301	63.6
New Mexico	14,770	7,838	53.1	3,276	1,901	58.0
New York	662,292	354,339	53.5	161,348	108,553	67.3
North Carolina	17,486	7,783	44.5	3,398	1,363	40.1
North Dakota	51,579	22,221	43.1	6,307	3,906	61.9
Ohio	87,643	39,787	45.4	14,083	8,429	59.9
Oklahoma	380,274	170,891	44.9	64,334	42,098	65.4
Penn.-So. Jersey	14,983	7,172	47.9	2,635	1,316	50.0
South Carolina	408,540	207,266	50.8	97,231	62,791	64.7
Tennessee	547,830	295,918	54.0	123,819	83,084	67.1
Texas	1,252,044	579,861	46.3	230,309	149,246	64.8
Utah	9,438	4,330	45.9	1,429	722	50.6
Virginia	319,341	154,813	48.3	69,416	45,261	65.2
West Virginia	13,701	7,328	53.5	2,877	1,940	67.4
Wyoming	3,284	1,583	48.2	400	280	70.0

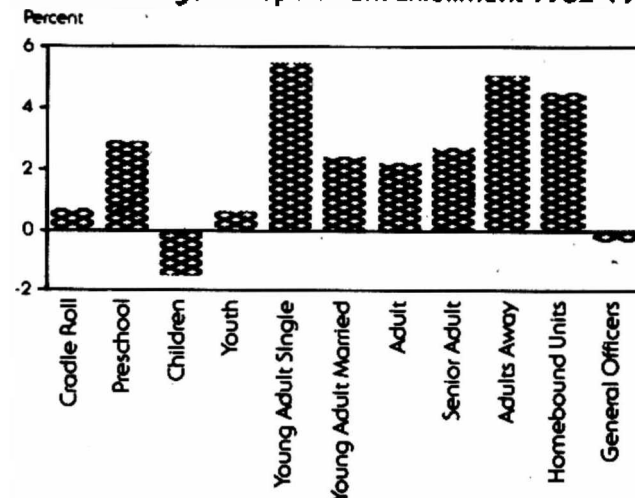
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SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School Enrollment and Average Attendance 1973-1983



Percent Change in Department Enrollment 1982-1983



Departments	1981		1982		1981-1982	
	Ongoing Expenditure	Percent of Total	Ongoing Expenditure	Percent of Total	Monetary Change	Percent Change
Cradle Roll (1 year and under)	70,856	0.9	70,317	0.9	539	0.8
Preschool (5 years and under)	822,060	10.3	789,740	10.4	32,320	2.9
Children (6-11)	1,097,662	15.3	1,215,754	15.8	-118,112	-1.5
Youth (12-17)	1,636,110	18.5	1,128,347	14.7	507,763	3.1
Young Adult Single (18-29)	567,605	7.3	558,781	7.0	8,822	2.5
Young Adult Married (18-29)	719,610	9.2	702,404	9.1	17,206	2.4
Adult (30-59)	1,906,409	24.4	1,864,471	24.1	41,932	2.2
Senior Adults (60 and over)	1,195,872	14.6	1,076,408	14.0	119,464	2.7
Adults (All)	447,381	6.8	472,616	6.0	-25,235	-5.6
Homebased Units	(40,018)	1.3	49,711	1.3	-9,693	-2.4
General Offices	(41,680)	1.3	(42,046)	1.9	-366	-0.9
Total Sunday School Ongoing Expenditures	7,815,443	(80.0)	7,678,546	(80.0)	(136,897)	-1.8

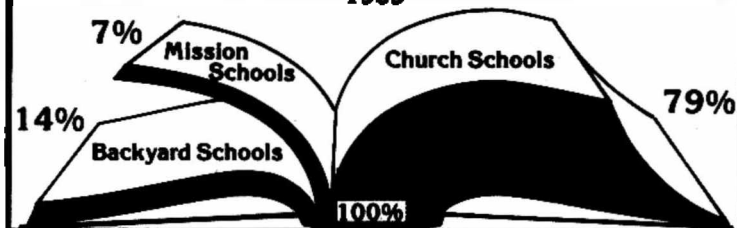
SBC and State Conventions	Total	Credits/Block	Pre-arranged	Children	Youth	Y. Adult Single	Y. Adult Married	Senior Adult	Adults/Avail	Members/Avail	Governing Officers
SBC	7,815.43	70,836	822,080	1,197,642	1,136,110	567,805	719,618	1,906,499	1,105,872	44,581	107,018
Alabama	565,017	5,021	57,119	78,905	78,788	42,228	51,366	142,116	16,190	1,445	8,135
Alaska	7,885	18	1,192	1,854	1,854	451	786	1,760	17	905	8
Alexia	45,348	454	8,700	11,538	10,372	3,339	3,671	14,618	265	294	607
Arizona	235,013	2,193	23,812	38,712	36,353	17,916	24,013	61,136	18,878	1,021	7,826
California	199,999	1,842	23,461	40,251	31,329	18,811	17,114	49,032	20,343	854	2,287
Colorado	35,524	355	5,342	6,239	5,995	3,052	1,124	9,078	2,461	104	529
Conn.	8,524	82	1,716	2,191	1,591	421	596	1,421	287	16	10
Dist. of Columbia	1,420	49	129	78,469	74,570	40,084	42,051	111,544	70,958	1,760	6,010
Florida	624,928	5,829	62,339	88,343	87,839	46,057	57,019	183,881	91,780	3,582	13,274
Georgia	7,927	108	1,139	1,807	1,485	717	587	1,384	429	41	9
Hawaii	137,124	1,233	16,390	25,374	21,499	8,549	12,566	29,625	19,780	951	1,907
Idaho	12,911	420	5,863	7,039	5,742	3,429	578	10,356	2,875	267	587
Kansas-Nebraska	46,438	371	8,216	8,023	7,005	3,409	4,759	11,130	4,132	237	404
Kentucky	377,428	4,386	38,222	57,065	55,565	25,594	35,055	90,969	56,508	1,516	5,259
Louisiana	308,599	2,896	33,863	49,391	37,657	21,947	30,151	70,356	44,571	1,427	5,121
Maine	70,237	611	8,378	13,311	11,697	5,067	5,226	18,837	6,665	406	591
Maryland	18,127	316	6,680	2,843	1,968	1,831	1,968	3,730	1,380	154	164
Massachusetts	330,423	3,439	39,508	50,523	49,490	23,811	34,183	81,288	51,776	1,814	6,084
Mississippi	333,562	2,986	36,666	57,165	50,159	31,127	28,304	73,409	49,786	1,559	4,748
Minnesota	13,264	153	1,794	3,401	2,278	1,384	1,183	2,584	787	11	48
Missouri	25,349	566	6,972	9,219	8,795	3,945	5,241	12,297	7,152	364	319
New Mexico	18,178	139	1,645	2,809	2,403	1,178	1,338	2,558	901	261	100
New Carolina	662,292	6,748	81,536	110,027	86,798	42,780	61,172	177,927	108,143	4,402	11,229
North Carolina	17,486	328	3,299	4,141	3,252	1,733	902	3,108	921	4	4
Northwestern Plains	31,578	299	4,600	18,629	14,472	5,572	4,998	10,321	4,446	218	626
Ohio	87,645	772	10,289	18,224	14,174	5,739	7,993	20,581	6,280	365	1,136
Oklahoma	380,376	3,406	42,045	59,803	59,102	29,835	37,371	85,348	51,325	1,574	4,582
Penn. Se. Jersey	14,982	113	1,825	3,087	2,398	1,046	1,285	3,507	977	275	30
Rhode Island	3,855	40	1,055	54	26	10	10	21	10	2	10
Texas	547,830	4,636	54,124	76,313	74,306	41,817	52,379	144,118	79,417	1,771	8,609
Utah	2,522,094	10,423	133,364	189,236	185,180	86,325	113,780	300,216	178,851	8,096	18,269
Texas-Idaho	9,458	133									

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SBC and State Conventions	Total	Size of Membership										% of Churches Reporting				
		1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,499		1,500-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more	
SBC	220	33	27	31	71	90	125	177	231	322	460	680	1,020	1,428	2,446	99
Alabama	91	23	46	64	85	118	179	237	330	504	760	1,111	1,580	2,436	99	
Alaska	47	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	99	
Arizona	270	42	56	60	88	158	269	347	467	746	791	1,260	1,750	2,815	100	
California	207	41	40	70	87	120	164	209	328	500	641	1,034	1,413	2,323	98	
Colorado	204	40	73	69	109	140	180	230	350	535	827	1,237	1,650	2,450	98	
Dist. of Columbia	117	35	21	43	53	78	110	140	216	316	475	722	1,084	1,584	98	
Florida	312	71	61	81	118	153	211	281	411	611	911	1,311	1,811	2,611	99	
Georgia	205	42	74	64	94	124	164	214	314	464	714	1,064	1,514	2,314	100	
Hawaii	33	7	7	10	14	18	22	26	30	34	38	42	46	50	99	
Illinois	34	4	4	7	10	13	16	19	22	25	28	31	34	37	99	
Indiana	188	37	69	97	125	153	181	209	237	265	293	321	349	377	99	
Iowa	188	37	69	97	125	153	181	209	237	265	293	321	349	377	99	
Kansas	178	33	40	63	82	111	140	169	198	227	256	285	314	343	99	
Kentucky	215	24	43	64	84	110	136	162	188	214	240	266	292	318	99	
Louisiana	221	37	74	99	128	160	192	224	256	288	320	352	384	416	99	
Maine	147	43	63	83	103	123	143	163	183	203	223	243	263	283	99	
Maryland	147	43	63	83	103	123	143	163	183	203	223	243	263	283	99	
Massachusetts	147	43	63	83	103	123	143	163	183	203	223	243	263	283	99	
Michigan	147	43	63	83	103	123	143	163	183	203	223	243	263	283	99	
Minnesota	147	43	63	83	103	123	143	163	183	203	223	243	263	283	99	
Missouri	215	30	41	60	80	100	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	99	
Montana	118	35	35	35	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	98	
New Mexico	96	39	78	101	127	153	179	205	231	257	283	309	335	361	98	
New York	102	41	53	65	77	89	101	113	125	137	149	161	173	185	98	
North Carolina	102	41	53	65	77	89	101	113	125	137	149	161	173	185	98	
North Dakota	174	49	75	102	129	156										

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For churches reporting ongoing Sunday School enrollments.
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DISTRIBUTION OF VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS, BY TYPE 1983



NUMBER OF CHURCH-TYPE AND OTHER-TYPE MISSIONS STARTED AND CURRENTLY OPERATED BY SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCHES, 1983

SBC and State Conventions	Number of Church-type Missions		Number of Other-type Missions	
	Started in 1983	Currently Operated	Started in 1983	Currently Operated
SBC	1,334	4,630	912	2,928
Alabama	49	206	40	150
Alaska	6	30	4	15
Arizona	24	56	9	26
Arkansas	23	83	16	57
California	103	278	54	122
Colorado	13	53	17	44
District of Columbia ¹				
Florida	54	226	50	184
Georgia	63	280	26	132
Hawaii	1	18	2	6
Illinois	30	91	29	114
Indiana	22	45	4	32
Kansas-Nebraska	23	63	12	37
Kentucky	60	193	25	111
Louisiana	44	170	22	83
Maryland	34	99	29	70
Michigan	14	52	12	28
Mississippi	44	144	37	109
Missouri	53	198	62	246
Nevada	11	28	14	34
New Mexico	16	68	15	30
New York	21	30	24	45
North Carolina	116	436	88	266
Northern Plains	24	49	13	14
Northwest	32	81	23	48
Ohio	35	101	22	81
Oklahoma	47	123	30	103
Penn.-So. Jersey	10	69	9	23
South Carolina	29	115	26	72
Tennessee	46	187	48	157
Texas	222	812	101	366
Utah-Idaho	9	37	11	25
Virginia	45	141	23	81
West Virginia	8	33	2	8
Puerto Rico ²	3	15	13	5

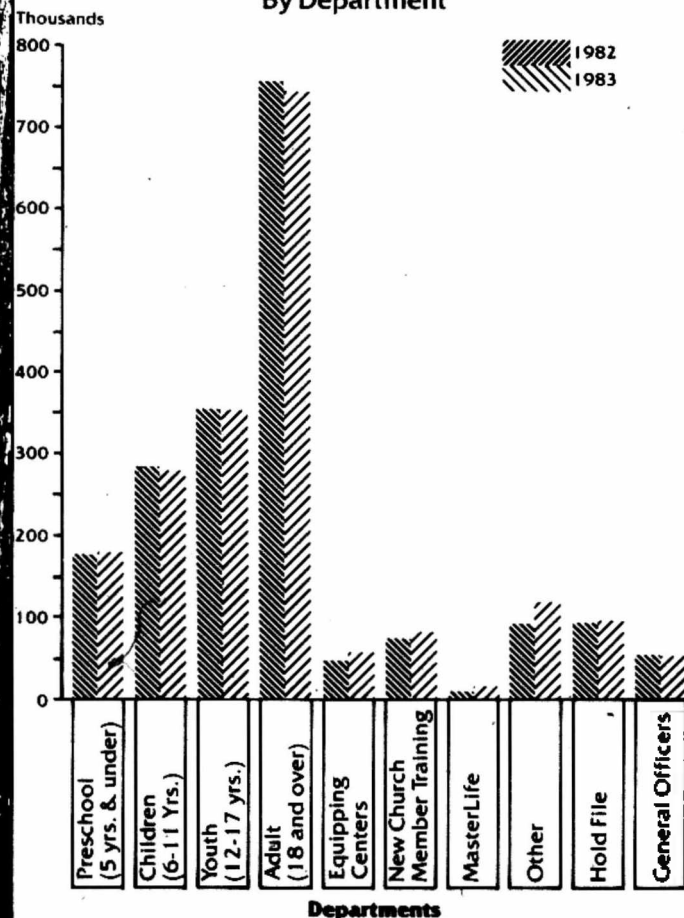
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CHURCH TRAINING ENROLLMENT 1982 and 1983

Total: 1982 = 1,949,348 1983 = 1,987,390

By Department



AVERAGE CHURCH TRAINING ENROLLMENT, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Size of Membership														Churches Reporting
		1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more		
SBC	86	23	31	38	47	58	73	83	107	134	169	214	295	539	64	
Alabama	46	25	32	43	53	71	99	122	148	199	236	306	330	491	75	
Alaska	81	30	30	36*	38*	74	35	152*	94*	547*	138*	114*	129*	71		
Arizona	104	26	30	39	41	66	77	101	94	105	245	225*	396	2,426*	73	
Arkansas	90	21	32	43	50	68	88	103	131	143	213	263	289	382	74	
California	48	28	30	40	56	55	62	76	83	125	124	159	289	140*	63	
Colorado	73	12	33	42	45	55	67	84	82	102	210	154*	249*	473*	74	
Dist. of Columbia	43				35*		54	36*	45	40	45*		30*		47	
Florida	110	13	12	37	48	64	78	94	111	147	183	211	321	836	74	
Georgia	84	19	28	36	44	56	74	88	103	121	143	253	335	511	62	
Hawaii	61	10*	36*	27	37	34	65*	114*	67*	94*	192*				77	
Illinois	60	23	27	29	39	51	55	91	102	113	128	104	202*	128*	46	
Indiana	77	17	35	39	52	56	80	50	122	102	175*	89*		1,253*	59	
Iowa	79	22	30	63	13	64	55	80	119	151	180	262*	215*	469*	68	
Kentucky	71	27	25	35	46	46	65	61	94	96	130	140	254	685	47	
Louisiana	104	24	35	44	52	71	95	100	131	156	201	243	344	524	74	
Maryland	65	14	38	47	48	58	49	77	61	178	101	56*	237*		63	
Massachusetts	65	25	28	30	50	75	10	84	110	128	135*				61	
Mississippi	89	25	31	38	51	69	85	114	141	185	210	264	364	429	78	
Minnesota	71	15	24	28	42	46	60	78	97	127	167	209	315	416	59	
Nebraska	76	12*	23	35	49	74	100	48*	204*	147*	178	94*			72	
New Mexico	76	31	43	51	39	43	99	81	97	107	154	140	124	448*	71	
New York	45	29	34	58	59	43	62	36*	127*		225	371	349	1,267	34.3	
North Carolina	72	25	31	32	36	50	65	70	87	112	180	245	347	315*	70	
North Dakota	42	22	25	31	50	49	66	64	129	87	101*				62	
Ohio	60	14	30	41	48	54	89	91	95	242	133	12*	137*		73	
Oklahoma	40	15	28	30	44	47	53	60	118	131	182	171*	250*		60	
Oregon	91	19	31	36	48	60	70	82	105	125	163	207	238	408	75	
Penn.-So. Jersey	53	24*	27	39	50	18	87	80	111*	113*					74	
South Carolina	90	11	35	38	46	62	94	91	119	140	182	202	320	465	74	
Tennessee	87	24	32	41	47	56	78	88	110	144	183	234	363	577	83	
Texas	102	28	31	42	44	49	64	72	90	114	142	177	234	527	63	
Utah-Idaho	64	23	48	21	78*	59	51*	75	133	183*	174*				42	
Virginia	75	32	22	27	31	41	48	60	78	110	136	285	317	278*	48	
West Virginia	50	9*	22	34	20*	27	74	96*	112	71*		66*			51	
Puerto Rico*	42	26	100*			28*	46*								19	

*Denotes three or fewer churches in cell.

*Few churches reporting church training enrollment.

*Not a state convention but is shown as part of SBC statistics.

CHURCH TRAINING ENROLLMENT, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Conventions	Total Churches Reporting Enrollment			Open Country and Village		Town (500-2,499 Pop.)		Small City (2,500-9,999 Pop.)		Medium City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)		Large City (50,000 or more Pop.)	
	1983	1982	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change
SBC	1,087,390	1,049,348	2.0	550,170	1.5	203,777	0.3	258,644	2.7	668,185	2.3	506,614	2.3
Alabama	218,688	217,688	0.7	81,478	2.6	21,859	-1.5	30,576	2.6	42,073	6.8	42,699	-6.7
Alaska	2,477	1,770	39.9	506	17.7	80	56.9	225	37.9	349	102.9	1,267	34.3
Arizona	10,522	11,680	-0.8	532	34.7	671	-35.6	2,324	-1.6	2,753	-18.9	12,242	6.6
Arkansas	81,366	82,283	1.2	24,600	-3.3	11,517	-3.8	15,239	15.6	16,073	-3.9	14,037	7.2
California	47,564	40,989	3.8	681	6.5	1,274	-22.2	3,063	-7.6	13,643	-1.2	23,303	13.3
Colorado	9,683	9,000	6.7	403	4.4	787	35.5	1,333	-14.5	7,352	25.2	4,728	2.8
Dist. of Columbia	904	1,670	-40.5									904	-40.5
Florida	129,137	124,092	4.1	21,864	-3.4	9,274	-3.5	16,013	5.0	30,674	-0.6	51,340	12.2
Georgia	155,263	153,971	0.8	54,282	0.6	14,282	4.2	20,361	-5.3	47,911	18.4	18,429	-24.4
Hawaii	1,836	1,598	14.9	64	6.5	41	46.4	193	-1.0	485	22.3	853	17.8
Illinois	24,661	25,108	-1.8	3,170	2.0	3,373	-11.8	6,041	12.5	8,562	-3.6	3,513	-10.5
Indiana	12,933	12,272	5.4	818	-7.9	1,174	4.6	1,908	9.1	5,540	7.7	1,488	3.7
Iowa	12,279	12,464	-1.5	365	-10.8	1,494	-3.4	2,033	8.6	3,513	-0.7	4,874	-4.0
Kentucky	73,478	71,325	3.0	29,743	-1.1	8,440	12.7	8,322	-1.0	13,618	7.4	12,545	-0.9
Louisiana	100,560	98,607	2.0	37,590	1.0	11,539	-0.6	10,075	-4.0	18,870	-8.4	22,483	20.5
Maryland	12,213	14,487	-8.3	1,808	3.0	963	24.1	1,604	-23.1	5,899	-10.5	2,939	-14.6
Massachusetts	7,713	7,593	1.6	327	14.7	280	-7.6	802	10.7	3,765	7.1	2,739	-7.0
Mississippi	134,990	135,093	1.4	63,677	2.0	13,509	-1.9	15,653	3.1	34,228	1.5	7,931	-1.1
Minnesota	79,859	77,767	2.7	18,530	4.2	13,294	3.2	13,345	14.2	13,553	2.0	21,135	-2.1
Nebraska	3,114	2,621	18.6	65	124.1	165	18.7	593	35.9	532	12.0	1,799	6.0
New Mexico	13,859	13,301	4.2	1,022	-11.6	1,511	23.1	2,134	18.5	7,167	12.0	2,028	-25.3
New York	4,113	3,844	7.0	85	-30.9	177	28.3	706	7.1	1,432	0.0	1,713	14.8
North Carolina	124,489	118,695	4.9	50,304	5.3	10,998	3.7	14,767	6.3	25,109	16.7	23,315	-6.4
North Dakota	4,539	4,064	13.2	35	-40.7	551	46.2	1,293	26.4	1,642	-2.6	1,048	12.7
Ohio	13,209	14,097	-6.3	350	-3.8	1,232	7.6	1,886	-10.8	5,649	-8.0	4,292	-5.7
Oklahoma	17,000	17,000	-0.0	1,399	-1.1	1,528	-3.4	1,967	-17.3	5,700	15.9	6,454	-3.2
Oregon	96,293	97,372	-1.1	19,453	3.4	17,719	-2.0	16,212	10.1	23,293	-11.7	19,614	1.2
Penn.-So. Jersey	3,773	3,840	-1.7	351	25.2	436	87.9	325	-45.6	1,677	-5.3	778	-2.3
South Carolina	113,629	114,323	-0.6	45,637	-0.5	10,796	-7.3	14,411	-0.8	29,149	-1.1	13,616	2.9
Tennessee	155,988	153,199	1.5	52,224	2.6	13,831	1.3	16,519	-1.3	31,871	-3.4	41,063	5.6
Texas	257,888	248,301	3.9	26,472	2.8	24,954	2.5	33,768	0.2	97,703	0.3	114,987	7.5
Utah-Idaho	5,217	3,623	-4.8	77	250.0	290	-71.0	686	-10.6	1,528	7.1	676	-10.5
Virginia	52,651	49,061	7.3	11,694	8.9	3,574	-3.9	2,728	-2.3	11,191	14.5	23,459	6.5
West Virginia	2,219	1,776	24.9	234	-10.0	213	-7.8	1,053	41.2	590	14.1	120	757.1
Puerto Rico*	499	626	-20.3	148	17.3	135	132.0	33	37.5			183	-56.2

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CHURCH TRAINING ENROLLMENT, BY DEPARTMENT—1983-1982

Department	1983		1982		1983-1982	
	Enrollment	Percent of Total	Enrollment	Percent of Total	Change	Change
Preschool (4-5 years)	178,864	9.0	171,028	9.1	7,836	-1.0
Children (6-11 years)	278,563	14.1	284,573	14.6	-6,010	-1.4
Youth (12-17 years)	254,116	12.8	256,976	12.9	-2,860	-0.4
Adult (18 and over)	743,323	37.5	734,095	36.9	9,228	1.7
Handbell Ringers	61,361	3.2	68,325	3.5	-6,964	-3.4
Vocal Ensembles	81,391	4.1	74,761	3.8	6,630	8.1
Instrumental Ensembles	15,416	0.8	9,925	0.5	5,491	56.7
Other	119,863	6.0	92,120	4.7	27,743	30.1
Multi-Ple	16,370	0.8	92,631	4.8	7,739	4.0
General Officers	54,840	2.7	51,998	2.6	2,842	5.5
Total Church Training Enrollment	1,047,340	100.0	1,049,348	100.0	-2,008	-0.2

MUSIC MINISTRY ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY LOCATION—1983

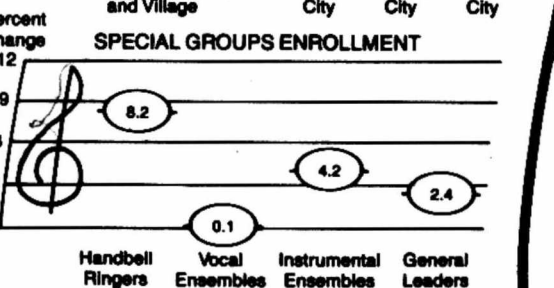
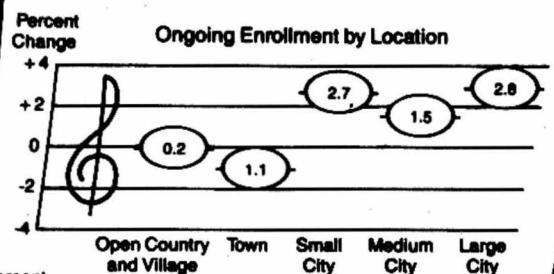
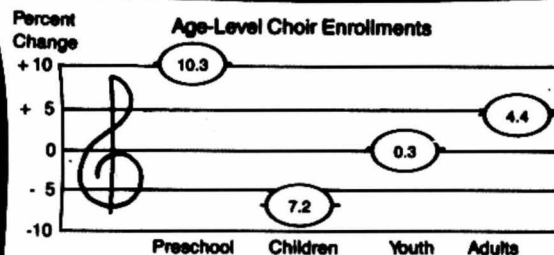
SBC and State Conventions	Churches Reporting Music Ministry Enrollment		Music Ministry Enrollment				
	Number	As Percent of Reporting Churches	Total	Open Country and Village	Town (2,000-9,999 Pop.)	City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)	City (50,000 or more Pop.)
SBC	29,246	81.1	1,656,764	403,210	158,714	229,120	448,348
Alabama	2,252	74.7	130,297	38,941	12,732	20,326	30,823
Alaska	32	78.0	1,416	85	58	171	213
Arizona	203	83.3	10,232	389	400	1,190	6,549
Arkansas	877	69.6	50,734	8,810	7,013	11,010	13,459
California	866	87.7	36,471	727	911	2,380	11,822
Colorado	150	84.3	7,298	90	454	1,101	4,027
District of Columbia	34	69.4	1,968				1,968
Florida	1,435	90.4	104,659	13,290	6,509	14,339	28,917
Georgia	2,383	80.4	151,600	44,951	12,773	23,700	50,944
Hawaii	35	89.7	1,372	71	82	169	462
Illinois	671	74.7	23,401	4,470	2,828	5,623	8,023
Indiana	220	77.7	9,235	603	678	1,028	4,439
Iowa	190	83.7	7,940	257	649	1,660	5,546
Kansas-Nebraska	1,813	83.9	82,653	30,358	9,272	11,675	17,698
Kentucky	1,042	78.9	68,565	18,288	6,899	7,848	15,072
Louisiana	292	91.0	12,178	1,864	982	1,413	5,118
Maryland	134	69.1	4,101	67	136	402	2,036
Massachusetts	1,689	87.6	98,356	36,606	11,238	13,379	29,161
Missouri	1,516	80.3	62,512	12,800	9,353	10,942	11,474
Nevada	42	73.7	1,538	6	84	158	354
New Mexico	194	75.2	9,994	631	693	1,514	5,335
New York	114	71.3	3,276	30	147	412	1,095
North Carolina	3,031	88.5	161,248	72,119	15,436	17,318	29,340
Northwest	122	70.5	2,398	47	113	604	811
Ohio	247	82.9	6,507	145	740	857	2,821
Oklahoma	386	81.6	14,083	1,143	1,166	1,705	4,654
Oregon	1,018	72.4	64,356	6,868	8,961	12,233	19,383
Penn.-So. Jersey	87	90.6	2,635	298	194	379	1,270
South Carolina	1,578	92.1	97,231	34,711	9,491	13,807	24,210
Tennessee	2,043	74.5	123,819	36,885	10,567	14,406	28,140
Texas	3,115	77.4	230,509	17,070	21,241	32,254	53,451
Utah-Idaho	56	68.3	1,429	13	50	320	478
Virginia	1,288	88.8	69,416	20,191	6,144	4,085	13,663
West Virginia	74	86.0	2,897	307	378	649	853
Puerto Rico	17	54.8	400	39	42	63	213

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MUSIC MINISTRY ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY DEPARTMENT—1983-1982

Department	1983		1982		1983-1982	
	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Change	Percent Change
Preschool (4-5 years)	112,318	6.8	101,834	6.3	10,484	10.2
Children (6-11 years)	207,610	12.4	211,551	12.8	-3,941	-1.8
Youth (12-17 years)	206,824	12.4	211,551	12.8	-4,727	-2.2
Adult (18 and over)	651,081	39.1	651,081	39.1	0	0.0
Handbell Ringers	43,307	2.7	41,764	2.6	1,543	3.7
Vocal Ensembles	108,634	6.5	107,923	6.5	711	0.7
Instrumental Ensembles	1,111	0.1	1,111	0.1	0	0.0
General Leaders	116,523	7.2	116,523	7.2	0	0.0
Total Music Ministry Ongoing Enrollment	1,636,764	100.0	1,636,764	100.0	0	0.0

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT BY AGE LEVEL, LOCATION, AND SPECIAL GROUPS 1982-1983



AVERAGE ONGOING MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Size of Membership														% of Churches Reporting
		1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-249	250-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more	
SBC	57	9	15	20	25	32	45	52	70	105	149	210	309	517	81	
Alabama	56	11	14	30	35	46	61	81	126	171	283	341	574	75		
Alaska	44	12	13*	28*	30	32	40*	50*	100*	160*	25*	31*	134*	78		
Arizona	50	7	15	19	25	32	31	37	53	56	146	172*	265	1,116*	44	
Arkansas	58	7	11	17	21	30	37	50	68	116	167	231	344	532	70	
California	42	13	16	19	23	29	46	42	56	101	112	139	231	249*	88	
Colorado	49	5	14	18	14	34	47	64	61	79	171	101*	277*	449*	84	
District of Columbia	58	8	16	19	25	34	44	56	72	112	152	213	316	546	90	
Florida	73	8	16	19	25	34	44	56	72	112	152	213	316	546	90	
Georgia	64	9	17	21	28	36	46	61	74	118	168	232	346	576	80	
Hawaii	39	8*	15*	11	26	36	47*	79*	38*	72*	87*				90	
Illinois	35	9	11	19	21	28	33	31	56	109	135	248	277*		75	
Indiana	42	4	14	20	32	23	45	44	51	71	80*	179*		1,144*	79	
Iowa	42	14	10	23	14	36	36	11	71	146	95	201*	256*		84	
Kentucky	46	11	15	16	22	28	36	47	68	95	148	219	311	427	84	
Louisiana	66	11	14	20	23	34	45	50	71	119	171	243	304	494	79	
Maryland	42	11	14	19	27	28	41	49	63	95	139	98*	179*		90	
Michigan	31	7	13	16	17	30	31	49	60	64	97*				69	
Minnesota	58	6	13	20	27	36	54	70	96	154	192	272	459	608	88	
Missouri	41	5	10	14	18	28	35	39	62	88	131	209	154	466	80	
Nevada	37	9	8	22	30	47	31	13*	57*	71*	87	131*			74	
New Mexico	52	10	13	14	18	18	34	35	52	93	123	176	223	330*	75	
New York	29	9	19	23	38	47	55	51	81*			41*			71	
North Carolina	53	13	21	26	32	37	49	60	80	123	164	208	323	296*	88	
Northern Plains	20	8	13	17	10	25	29	49	74	43	93*				71	
Northwest	26	7	12	13	18	25	32	34	57	64	67	226*	164*		83	
Ohio	36	13	15	21	22	28	40	39	67	88	129	119*	371*		82	
Oklahoma	61	6	10	13	21	22	29	44	55	82	123	204	255	412	72	
Penn.-So. Jersey	30	11	17	21	32	43	45	46	102*	103*					91	
South Carolina	62	8	19	24	29	37	51	58	80	120	184	215	405	418	92	
Tennessee	61	11	18	24	27	34	45	54	74	102	165	216	374	522	75	
Texas	74	4	13	18	21	27	35	38	58	83	138	185	259	539	77	
Utah-Idaho	26	10	14	11	30	30	11*	29	57	74*	26*				66	
Virginia	54	10	17	20	25	32	41	52	69	98	138	225	298	472*	89	
West Virginia	39	6*	18	25	24	24	36	44	64	193*	98*	214*			86	
Puerto Rico?	24	12	19	15*	33*	66*	27*								55	

*Three or fewer churches in cell.
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WMU ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

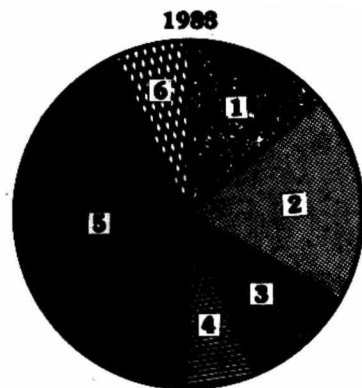
SBC and State Conventions	Total Ongoing WMU Enrollment			Open Country and Villages			Town (500-1,499 Pop.)		Small City (1,500-9,999 Pop.)		Medium City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)		Large City (50,000 or more Pop.)		Change 8/82-8/83
	1983	1982	% Change	1983	1982	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	
SBC	1,175,354	1,149,268	2.3	312,319	2.3	134,644	0.1	170,807	1.0	276,670	5.8	278,341	2.6	1,373	
Alabama	91,283	91,832	0.6	28,793	7.8	9,999	1.6	14,331	-1.6	20,459	8.6	19,416	-4.5	95	
Alaska	960	887	8.2	160	-1.2	71	0.0	183	79.4	153	93.7	402	-15.0		
Arizona	7,141	6,698	6.6	299	8.5	354	-10.1	1,427	3.6	1,058	-14.1	3,798	19.0		
Arkansas	27,969	27,597	1.3	4,370	-8.8	4,449	-6.7	6,282	5.7	7,444	4.0	5,209	8.5	13	
California	22,372	20,309	7.5	439	86.0	720	0.0	1,800	9.3	6,462	-5.0	12,900	13.8		
Colorado	3,592	3,480	3.2	161	-1.8	423	17.2	791	27.1	875	-3.2	1,325	-7.1	15	
District of Columbia	1,629	1,812	-10.2									1,628	-10.2		
Florida	62,773	60,664	3.4	9,643	0.8	4,694	-6.5	3,363	0.1	15,916	0.7	23,807	10.4	50	
Georgia	114,523	112,385	1.9	34,543	1.2	12,117	-1.9	19,487	1.9	34,191	13.4	14,058	-15.1	125	
Hawaii	828				-100.0	21	-51.2	114	171.4	330	0.3	363	-2.7		
Illinois	17,824	17,354	2.7	3,317	10.5	2,424	-8.2	4,897	4.9	5,217	4.1	1,912	-4.4	57	
Indiana	5,328	5,489	-0.7	539	2.1	677	8.8	861	-2.0	1,835	-2.5	1,632	2.3		
Iowa	6,027	5,965	1.0	324	55.8	713	-8.9	1,198	4.3	1,649	-12.7	2,143	18.4		
Kentucky	58,934	56,934	3.5	21,528	4.7	7,862	-0.1	8,792	-2.8	11,765	11.7	8,792	0.0	189	
Louisiana	37,084	35,881	3.3	10,592	3.2	4,288	3.3	4,819	-0.5	7,649	-5.8	9,584	14.0	152	
Maryland	9,573	9,244	3.6	1,231	-3.8	892	22.2	1,173	-13.8	3,708	10.5	2,540	2.1		
Michigan	3,665	3,592	2.0	107	0.0	116	-6.5	666	56.9	1,567	-4.9	1,409	4.4		
Minnesota	58,362	56,719	2.9	22,585	2.8	7,430	2.2	7,886	3.1	16,281	2.6	3,873	7.1	109	
Missouri	48,238	48,123	0.0	11,256	-1.6	8,437	-2.0	9,399	4.6	7,243	1.3	10,903	-6.9		
Nevada	998	1,180	-16.1	29	7.4	68	-5.6	171	13.2	316	-20.6	514	-22.9		
New Mexico	5,739	5,747	-0.1	372	-18.4	303	27.7	1,196	-4.6	2,715	0.3	960	0.6	11	
New York	2,745	2,801	-2.1	64	-25.6	133	1.0	1,408	9.0	920	-18.1	1,400	8.5	30	
North Carolina	141,959	139,755	1.6	59,181	3.0	15,486	-1.1	16,371	-0.3	29,079	12.1	21,361	-10.2	75	
Northern Plains	2,482	2,577	-3.7	41	-22.6	393	-3.3	349	14.8	663	-37.9	636	25.1		
Northwest	5,032	4,809	2.5	166	10.7	579	22.7	716	-8.4	2,134	3.4	1,437	-5.0		
Ohio	11,504	10,933	5.2	1,048	16.2	1,117	5.7	1,578	0.3	3,681	6.0	4,079	4.4		
Oklahoma	36,026	35,320	2.0	5,702	-1.4	6,545	2.2	6,361	9.1	9,184	-1.3	8,234	3.9		
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,969	2,021	-2.6	118	5.3	214	29.7	308	13.0	849	-12.3	380	-5.5		
South Carolina	97,908	95,070	3.0	36,473	2.2	10,482	-1.5	14,810	1.3	22,644	4.4	13,625	8.3	74	
Tennessee	79,243	77,376	2.4	23,513	1.6	8,064	8.3	9,268	-6.5	17,848	4.8	20,436	4.0	116	
Texas	137,037	131,966	3.8	12,741	4.2	16,550	1.6	20,075	1.5	30,467	-1.6	36,954	10.1	230	
Utah-Idaho	1,481	1,392	6.4	62	80.0	125	-9.4	300	1.4	474	-10.3	511	28.2	8	
Virginia	68,070	68,609	-0.8	23,167	2.1	8,755	-1.9	9,077	-3.0	11,213	-0.3	21,908	-3.0		
West Virginia	2,298	2,322	-1.0	282	-26.8	454	19.8	673	-6.4	700	-1.3	189	43.4		
Puerto Rico?	550	820	-32.9	79	25.0	64	-30.4	125	5.0	77	-27.4	214	-52.1		

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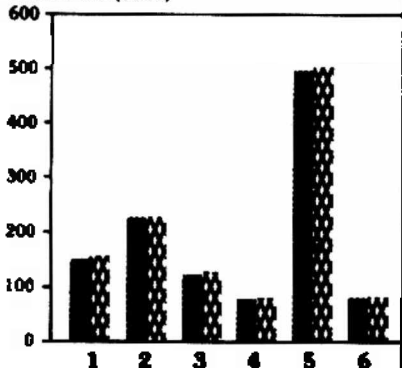
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1982
1983



WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY ORGANIZATIONS—1983-1982

Organizations	1982		1983		1983-1982	
	Enrollment	Percent of Total	Enrollment	Percent of Total	Number Change	Percent Change
Mission Friends (5 years and under)	154,643	13.5	149,363	13.0	5,280	6.1
Girls in Action (6-11 years)	227,781	19.4	227,711	19.8	70	0.0
Acteens (12-17 years)	123,542	10.7	121,929	10.6	1,613	3.0
Baptist Young Women (18-29 years)	79,315	6.7	75,280	6.6	4,035	4.1
Young Women (30 years and over)	1,373	0.1	1,403	0.1	-30	-2.1
Baptist Women (30 years and over)	500,893	42.8	491,985	42.7	8,908	2.0
WMU Officers	82,787	7.0	82,395	7.2	492	0.6
Total WMU Ongoing Enrollment	1,175,334	100.0	1,149,366	100.0	26,068	2.3

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BROTHERHOOD' ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

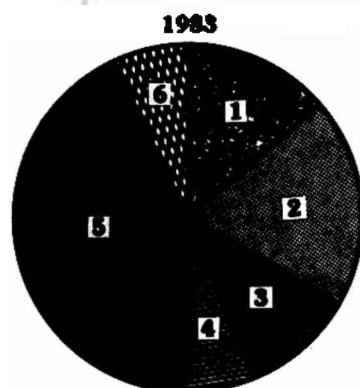
SBC and Area Conventions	Total Ongoing Enrollment		Open Country and Village		Town (100-2,499 Pop.)		Small City (2,500-9,999 Pop.)		Medium City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)		Large City (50,000 or more Pop.)	
	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change	1983	% Change
SBC	565,349	6.7	151,392	7.1	61,986	4.4	82,290	7.3	136,995	8.8	130,686	5.0
Alabama	56,987	8.0	18,176	10.2	5,983	10.7	9,034	7.5	11,857	18.5	11,557	-4.4
Alaska	4,488	3.1	3,476	3.8	1,312	1.6	1,312	1.6	1,312	1.6	1,312	1.6
Arizona	4,602	3.1	4,602	3.1	1,312	1.6	1,312	1.6	1,312	1.6	1,312	1.6
Arkansas	11,673	11.0	1,975	4.6	1,670	0.8	2,515	10.5	3,287	-2.2	2,226	18.7
California	11,013	9.6	1,975	4.6	1,670	0.8	2,515	10.5	3,287	-2.2	2,226	18.7
Colorado	2,392	2.1	1,975	4.6	1,670	0.8	2,515	10.5	3,287	-2.2	2,226	18.7
Connecticut	2,392	2.1	1,975	4.6	1,670	0.8	2,515	10.5	3,287	-2.2	2,226	18.7
Delaware	2,392	2.1	1,975	4.6	1,670	0.8	2,515	10.5	3,287	-2.2	2,226	18.7
District of Columbia	34,732	32.1	5,596	7.3	6,503	0.8	10,609	12.2	19,890	15.3	5,361	10.9
Florida	63,513	5.1	5,596	7.3	6,503	0.8	10,609	12.2	19,890	15.3	5,361	10.9
Georgia	227	5.1	5,596	7.3	6,503	0.8	10,609	12.2	19,890	15.3	5,361	10.9
Hawaii	227	5.1	5,596	7.3	6,503	0.8	10,609	12.2	19,890	15.3	5,361	10.9
Illinois	7,135	10.7	952	7.0	842	-3.3	2,010	10.3	2,305	8.9	1,025	38.0
Indiana	2,748	2.9	324	7.7	341	7.7	3,390	1.7	4,054	8.8	1,767	11.3
Iowa	2,748	2.9	324	7.7	341	7.7	3,390	1.7	4,054	8.8	1,767	11.3
Kansas-Missouri	2,748	2.9	324	7.7	341	7.7	3,390	1.7	4,054	8.8	1,767	11.3
Kentucky	25,210	21.4	8,609	9.4	3,005	6.4	3,322	8.9	4,700	11.9	3,374	0.3
Louisiana	17,118	16.0	4,698	3.1	1,917	18.3	1,951	-7.9	3,931	-9.0	4,621	33.9
Maryland	4,331	3.7	450	1.6	398	42.1	545	15.5	1,887	20.1	1,051	4.8
Massachusetts	1,841	1.8	26	-31.0	38	-21.1	213	68.9	821	1.4	1,312	1.6
Michigan	30,647	26.6	13,232	11.2	3,900	6.6	4,054	20.8	8,254	12.2	4,220	-30.4
Minnesota	18,783	17.1	4,131	7.5	3,900	6.6	3,669	21.3	123	95.2	2,220	1.4
Mississippi	473	-6.7	7	75.0	26	-40.9	97	16.3	1,617	20.0	450	1.4
Montana	3,363	3.0	329	3.2	304	-16.0	733	16.3	1,617	20.0	450	1.4
New Mexico	1,471	1.4	10	9.2	38	38.1	112	12.0	1,617	20.0	450	1.4
New York	66,208	61.3	27,423	9.2	6,999	0.7	7,158	18.1	14,348	27.8	10,460	32.5
North Carolina	1,078	969	27,423	9.2	6,999	0.7	7,158	18.1	14,348	27.8	10,460	32.5
North Dakota	2,228	2.0	28	-26.1	279	16.7	290	-16.9	967	34.0	265	7.0
Ohio	6,069	5.5	455	8.3	571	31.9	795	0.1	2,303	10.8	2,045	-0.6
Oklahoma	18,045	18.3	4,455	4.5	3,298	22.8	3,341	-5.1	4,480	19.8	3,596	-1.4
Penn.-So. Jersey	866	8.3	155	8.4	111	63.2	37	-66.4	489	20.7	3,596	-1.4
South Carolina	45,207	44.5	18,521	2.1	4,521	-4.4	6,377	2.2	10,429	1.7	5,359	2.8
Tennessee	34,130	32.8	9,359	3.8	3,617	7.4	3,899	1.0	8,413	4.6	8,842	5.3
Texas	69,771	64.9	6,430	4.3	8,287	2.3	10,985	11.5	15,771	1.9	28,386	11.5
Utah-Idaho	20,146	730	48	380.0	64	-37.3	1,306	-12.5	2,919	13.3	6,218	-4.8
Virginia	20,146	730	48	380.0	64	-37.3	1,306	-12.5	2,919	13.3	6,218	-4.8
West Virginia	827	8.1	6,426	14.4	2,277	21.1	302	8.6	290	7.8	53	12.8
Puerto Rico*	365	16.6	44	37.5	33	-10.8	72	10.8	57	23.9	159	15.3

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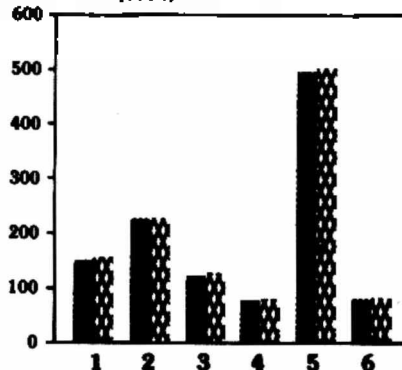
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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY ORGANIZATIONS—1983-1982

Organizations	1983		1982		1983-1982	
	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Numeral Change	Percent Change
Mission Friends (5 years and under)	158,643	13.5	149,563	13.0	9,080	6.1
Girls in Action (6-11 years)	227,791	19.4	227,711	19.8	70	0.0
Acteens (12-17 years)	125,542	10.7	121,909	10.8	3,633	3.0
Baptist Young Women (18-29 years)	70,335	6.3	75,280	6.6	3,055	4.1
College Baptist Young Women*	1,373	0.1	1,402	0.1	-30	-2.1
Baptist Women (30 years and over)	500,893	42.6	491,083	42.7	9,810	2.0
WMU Officers	82,787	7.0	82,293	7.3	494	0.6
Total WMU Ongoing Enrollment	1,175,354	100.0	1,149,366	100.0	26,088	2.3

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BROTHERHOOD: ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

State	Total Ongoing Enrollment		Open Campus and Village		Teen (18-24 years)		Adult (25-64 years)		Middle-aged (65-74 years)		Large City (75+ years)	
	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982
AK	349	379	181	181	4	4	82	82	10	10	10	10
AL	36	32	18	18	10	10	9	9	10	10	10	10
AR	46	46	24	24	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
AS	11,873	11,873	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
CA	2,392	2,392	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
CO	34,732	34,732	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
CT	1,135	1,135	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
DE	1,248	1,248	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
FL	21,318	21,318	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
GA	4,231	4,231	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
HI	1,481	1,481	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
IL	18,783	18,783	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
IN	3,381	3,381	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
IO	1,471	1,471	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
KS	1,179	1,179	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
LA	2,138	2,138	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
MA	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
MD	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
ME	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
MI	46,308	46,308	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
MO	1,179	1,179	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
MS	2,138	2,138	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
MT	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NE	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NH	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NJ	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NM	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NY	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NC	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
ND	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
OH	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
OK	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
OR	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
PA	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
RI	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
SC	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
SD	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
TN	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
TX	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
UT	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
VA	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
VT	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
WA	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
WI	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
WY	1,888	1,888	1,873	1,873	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

The amount of membership enrollment was changed in 1983 to reflect consecutive percentages of persons in two or more of the four major race categories. The 1982 enrollment was based on the 1981 enrollment.

BROTHERHOOD ENROLLMENTS 1983*

Crusaders
(6-11 years)



Pioneers
(12-18 years)



Baptist Men
(Basic)



Baptist Men
(Prayer)



Baptist Men
(Mission Action)



Baptist Men
(Witness or Lay Renewal)



*Members (1 icon = 10,000) -

BROTHERHOOD¹ ONGOING ENROLLMENT BY ORGANIZATIONS—1983-1982

Organizations	1983		1982		1983-1982	
	Enrollment	Percent of Total	Enrollment	Percent of Total	Numerical Change	Percent Change
Crusaders (6-11 years)	159,779	28.3	156,437	29.5	3,342	2.1
Pioneers (12-18 years)	86,048	15.2	81,344	15.2	4,704	5.8
RA Director and Committee	30,997	5.5	30,615	5.8	382	1.2
Baptist Men—Basic	147,834	29.1	165,311	31.2	-17,477	-10.6
Baptist Men—Prayer	51,508	9.1	41,068	8.1	10,440	25.4
Baptist Men—Mission Action	25,338	4.5	16,745	3.2	8,593	51.3
Baptist Men—Witness or Lay Renewal	10,061	1.8	12,466	2.4	-2,405	-19.3
Brotherhood Director/General Officers	27,794	4.9	21,652	4.1	6,142	28.4
Total Brotherhood Ongoing Enrollment	565,340	100.0	529,642	100.0	35,698	6.7

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FOREIGN MISSIONARIES—1973, 1983

Classification	1973*	1983**	Percent Change
Career Missionaries	2,226	2,912	30.8%
Associates	172	189	9.9%
Journeyman	137	211	54.0%
Special Project	3	20	566.7%
Total Under Appointment	2,538	3,332	31.3%

*December 31, 1973

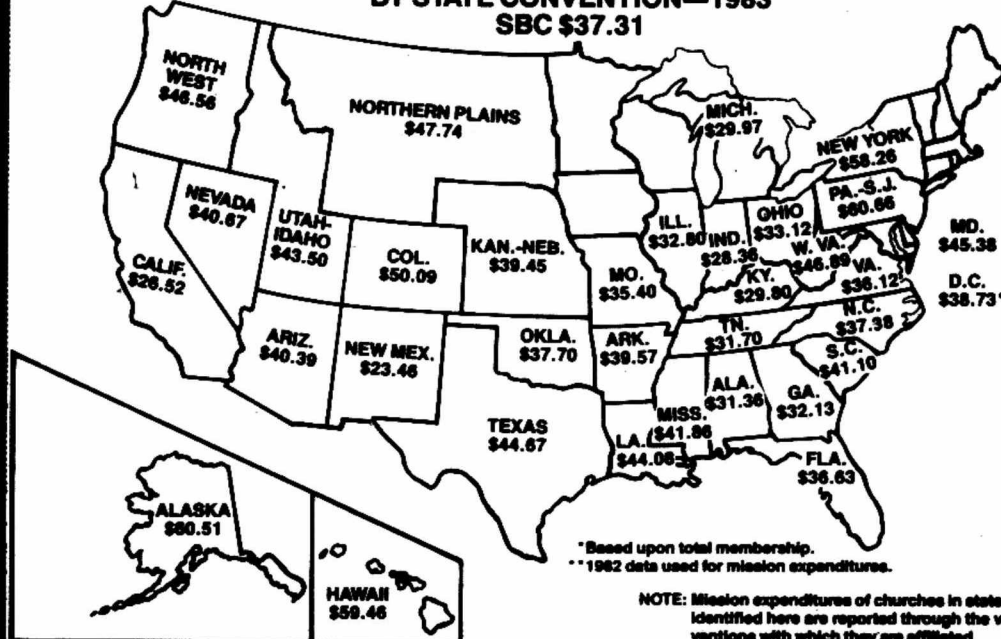
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HOME MISSIONARIES—1973, 1983

Classification	1973*	1983*	Percent Change
Missionaries	894	911	1.9%
Missionary Associates	771	741	-3.9%
US—2 Missionaries	63	83	31.7%
Church Pastoral Assistance	368	922	150.5%
Language Pastoral Assistance	-	225	- %
Field Personnel Assistance	-	797	- %
State Administrative Personnel	81	95	17.3%
National Consultant	-	18	- %
Total Under Appointment	2,177	3,792	74.2%

*December 31

**PER CAPITA * MISSION EXPENDITURES,
BY STATE CONVENTION—1983
SBC \$37.31**



* Based upon total membership.
** 1982 data used for mission expenditures.

NOTE: Mission expenditures of churches in states not specifically identified here are reported through the various state conventions with which they are affiliated.

MISSION EXPENDITURES, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

SBC and State Conventions	Grand Total Mission Expenditures				Open Country and Village				Town (20-2,499 Pop.)				Small City (2,500-49,999 Pop.)				Medium City (50,000-99,999 Pop.)				Large City (100,000 or more Pop.)			
	1982	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1982	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1982	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1982	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1982	% Change
SBC	\$279,383,389	\$488,955,886	7.7	\$37.31	\$80,258,114	8.0	\$ 25.29	\$48,955,623	3.3	\$ 35.87	\$73,687,518	8.0	\$ 40.90	\$141,787,323	8.7	\$42.77	\$174,994,711	11.8	\$42.22					
Alabama	31,545,728	29,189,771	-8.1	31.36	4,894,384	11.9	26.31	2,777,568	4.3	31.52	4,781,776	7.3	35.11	7,338,576	10.1	36.79	9,733,254	5.7	48.39					
Alaska	1,885,583	942,931	-50.1	60.31	185,323	32.1	77.39	62,395	-19.5	45.49	347,282	37.0	163.24	129,797	0.4	61.34	648,846	6.6	38.73					
Arizona	4,432,147	3,738,054	-15.6	48.39	121,564	36.6	31.07	248,585	26.7	41.13	526,446	-1.7	31.86	686,742	-14.5	36.75	2,879,487	34.7	44.84					
Arkansas	18,187,346	16,897,575	-7.1	39.37	2,529,787	1.6	21.38	2,882,632	-3.3	38.89	3,689,754	12.1	46.41	4,746,479	13.6	42.80	5,218,644	7.3	68.61					
California	9,797,935	8,888,429	-9.3	26.52	148,601	47.4	18.98	326,883	-1.5	25.93	842,957	6.4	28.86	3,655,383	4.8	38.84	4,785,211	14.9	23.98					
Colorado	3,125,955	3,382,985	8.2	38.89	165,135	65.4	97.66	227,361	9.5	47.82	298,648	5.9	33.19	953,899	14.4	65.27	1,488,832	-16.8	45.78					
Dist. of Columbia	1,879,434	635,481	-66.3	36.73	2,958,653	-8.3	26.79	1,780,207	-1.1	31.39	4,201,107	12.4	41.73	6,599,725	3.7	38.32	13,553,384	14.4	37.88					
Florida	31,555,776	38,785,718	23.1	34.63	7,422,937	8.3	19.63	3,015,328	4.6	32.73	6,280,897	17.0	39.06	14,329,581	22.9	38.27	6,656,887	-3.8	39.88					
Georgia	37,784,878	33,625,339	-11.1	32.13	13,184	-42.8	65.59	34,229	1.3	70.64	46,309	8.9	31.18	298,648	33.7	72.68	345,798	-14.6	58.83					
Hawaii	788,389	712,883	-9.6	59.46																				
Illinois	7,676,361	7,118,880	-7.3	32.80	1,311,813	3.8	26.75	954,934	4.1	38.34	2,133,827	18.3	37.81	2,642,411	10.3	37.88	653,396	4.4	24.63					
Indiana	2,349,643	2,281,743	-2.9	28.38	118,699	-5.4	18.03	178,574	13.4	23.64	256,613	-9.6	28.82	888,464	3.8	31.82	950,515	3.3	32.80					
Iowa	3,054,624	2,886,769	-5.5	39.45	87,388	7.3	23.77	238,731	-0.9	32.73	686,498	18.0	48.43	788,785	8.6	42.91	1,398,538	25.3	36.84					
Kentucky	22,544,832	28,925,434	28.3	39.80	7,046,915	8.6	22.55	2,628,422	1.0	32.91	3,833,139	6.3	37.36	5,347,845	12.2	39.43	4,824,711	7.4	29.62					
Louisiana	34,644,717	32,689,482	-5.7	44.88	4,982,781	2.2	30.42	2,386,983	13.1	48.17	2,722,913	5.2	46.34	5,370,878	-5.3	48.09	9,263,362	21.6	35.42					
Michigan	4,996,164	4,884,895	-2.2	43.38	609,517	-13.7	48.90	284,755	-3.2	32.95	385,632	6.7	48.46	2,398,988	11.0	53.85	1,221,332	-8.1	68.98					
Minnesota	1,646,728	1,611,594	-2.1	28.97	35,588	-49.5	15.09	181,618	21.0	73.83	117,763	34.9	28.29	671,529	5.8	31.75	519,438	-1.9	27.51					
Mississippi	3,054,624	2,886,769	-5.5	39.45	87,388	7.3	23.77	238,731	-0.9	32.73	686,498	18.0	48.43	788,785	8.6	42.91	1,398,538	25.3	36.84					
Missouri	26,714,489	34,387,883	28.7	41.86	7,236,312	8.9	29.89	3,064,819	6.3	48.75	3,888,628	12.3	52.77	9,873,723	8.8	58.61	2,888,988	6.4	49.97					
Montana	31,588,826	28,258,123	-10.5	35.40	3,871,687	7.6	24.28	3,428,955	4.1	34.68	3,987,389	15.1	48.43	3,882,888	7.5	39.75	7,719,715	7.2	48.88					
Nebraska	788,389	712,883	-9.6	59.46																				
New Mexico	4,153,311	3,426,381	-17.5	35.48	314,853	-8.4	33.81	315,328	10.2	32.01	788,785	6.6	42.35	1,946,128	5.4	34.71	624,199	28.6	34.07					
New York	1,171,391	1,126,143	-3.8	28.28	22,739	8.4	26.26	81,916	-1.8	32.65	228,241	-6.2	38.16	645,537	13.0	58.02	128,378	-6.1	28.34					
North Carolina	42,718,231	48,882,888	14.4	37.38	13,412,518	9.2	27.07	4,388,684	7.8	38.57	5,048,274	5.3	43.11	9,976,579	21.3	45.42	10,842,798	-6.7	38.14					
North Dakota	1,127,158	1,225,528	8.7	47.74	45,584	48.8	95.56	65,566	22.0	83.96	272,925	-6.1	30.12	488,699	-14.3	41.67	288,263	47.1	23.89					
Ohio	3,528,264	3,194,754	-9.4	46.56	92,873	12.9	49.03	380,821	22.2	37.61	777,222	-3.0	34.99	1,582,868	20.1	47.18	1,178,222	1.2	34.25					
Oklahoma	4,489,587	4,678,752	4.2	35.12	235,742	5.2	22.98	321,221	18.8	36.89	529,842	16.3	34.91	1,621,361	19.5	36.49	1,794,261	2.8	32.88					
Oregon	27,118,972	25,988,726	-4.3	37.79	3,438,787	8.7	31.33	4,048,465	-0.4	38.38	4,837,311	18.3	37.91	7,923,821	-0.1	42.88	7,878,585	7.1	38.86					
Penn.-Del. Jersey	1,871,388	1,828,417	-2.8	48.66	42,122	7.3	31.23	44,812	-88.1	28.31	114,247	-0.2	45.85	686,484	15.7	74.81	213,373	13.9	78.17					
South Carolina	24,685,512	25,354,878	2.7	41.18	7,881,480	10.2	33.18	2,838,588	1.5	32.73	4,218,878	4.8	44.36	7,919,529	11.5	46.43	5,616,138	18.1	43.18					
Texas	33,873,425	38,828,185	14.6	31.70	6,422,276	9.2	18.42	2,482,435	7.7	31.18	3,699,527	-4.6	35.83	6,399,738	11.2	42.67	12,889,487	7.7	38.33					
Tennessee	4,489,587	4,678,752	4.2	35.12	235,742	5.2	22.98	321,221	18.8	36.89	529,842	16.3	34.91	1,621,361	19.5	36.49	1,794,261	2.8	32.88					
Texas	33,873,425	38,828,185	14.6	31.70	6,422,276	9.2	18.42	2,482,435	7.7	31.18	3,699,527	-4.6	35.83	6,399,738	11.2	42.67	12,889,487	7.7	38.33					
Utah	104,248,211	95,697,852	-8.2	44.87	7,385,781	4.8	30.81	8,628,839	-1.5	38.36	12,974,364	4.9	45.38	24,274,413	1.8	48.53	51,888,884	17.8	47.16					
Virginia	723,892	885,889	22.4	43.50	11,755	178.4	36.62	23,396	-38.2	23.98	174,180	15.3	41.73	217,956	-14.3	35.39	297,822	32.8	39.44					
Washington	21,388,488	19,288,257	-10.3	38.12	6,643,899	15.1	23.93	1,752,788	-8.7	34.49	1,333,183	7.8	37.89	4,228,148	13.7	39.29	9,367,238	9.8	43.13					
West Virginia	1,888,685	799,718	-57.7	48.89	139,689	26.7	64.40	121,133	3.3	46.15	325,661	27.1	51.77	386,733	27.2	38.21	168,877	112.3	69.48					
Wisconsin	92,414	91,953	-0.5	30.81	1,888	-70.8	18.44	6,098	34.4	23.91	8,794	288.3	14.70	23,387	22.2	104.34	32,993	-11.7	27.32					

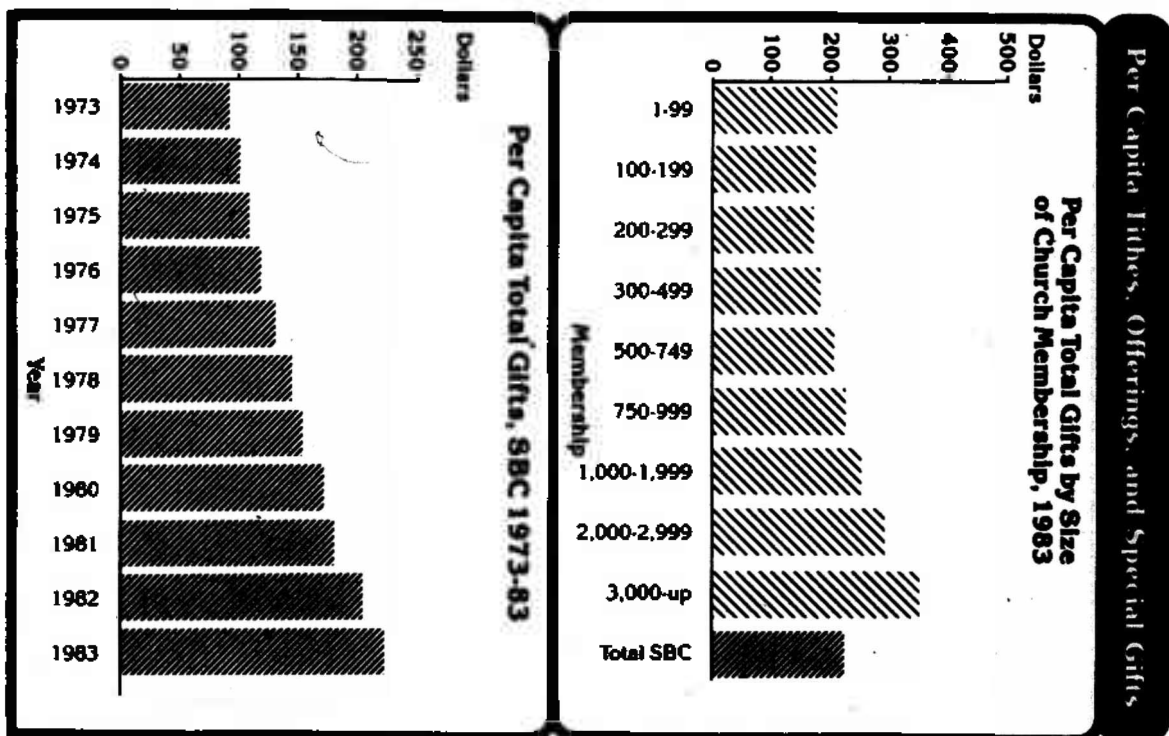
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TOTAL TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND SPECIAL GIFTS, BY LOCATION—1983-1982

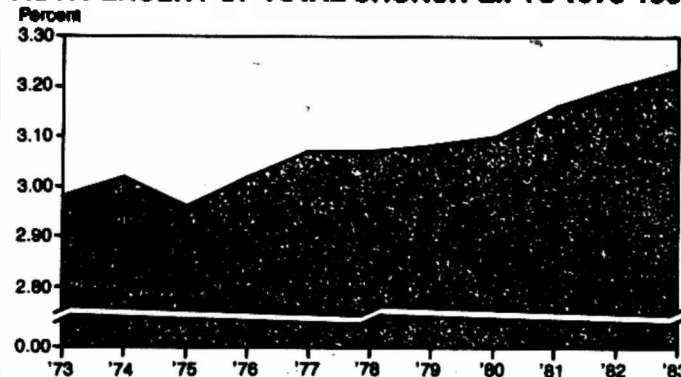
SBC City or Country	Total All Tithes, Offerings and Gifts			Open Country and Village			Small City (250-5,999 Pop.)			Medium City (6,000-25,999 Pop.)			Large City (26,000 or more Pop.)		
	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita	1983	% Change	Per Capita
SBC	\$3,165,237,965	8.4	\$223.13	\$576,305,725	7.0	\$181.50	\$266,391,390	4.9	\$195.16	\$405,174,380	8.8	\$224.87	\$827,320,485	8.1	\$249.58
Alabama	209,223,620	7.9	308.01	30,403,510	9.4	148.46	17,145,355	7.1	194.58	30,465,355	7.9	225.33	45,320,830	10.9	224.12
Alaska	5,166,810	17.6	288.01	539,685	33.9	396.54	434,975	12.8	455.95	887,390	38.2	417.18	917,155	54.5	386.18
Arizona	27,299,795	17.3	348.80	1,032,170	32.4	282.91	862,345	-8.2	164.62	2,950,540	22.0	178.38	3,575,280	-12.7	197.10
Arkansas	188,290,770	7.5	216.11	17,397,785	6.1	143.41	11,330,435	-0.3	174.10	18,098,195	11.8	227.12	28,535,490	7.7	257.89
California	72,212,695	10.0	196.30	1,287,190	57.1	164.30	2,360,415	5.7	187.23	5,953,920	8.5	302.42	25,111,365	6.4	211.85
Colorado	17,769,680	8.8	284.72	645,950	26.8	381.99	1,114,925	-1.6	234.47	2,141,975	15.9	238.08	4,372,885	8.3	299.21
Conn.	5,738,015	10.0	205.84												
Del.	388,853,480	9.9	343.97	19,770,360	4.5	179.06	10,901,345	1.3	192.21	24,037,185	11.0	238.55	59,325,780	4.7	265.56
Florida	250,140,320	9.4	213.14	54,701,345	9.1	144.65	18,305,330	3.8	198.67	36,711,675	14.6	228.33	92,864,835	21.0	248.27
Georgia	3,313,365	7.2	275.54	81,235	-32.0	404.15	147,885	14.9	431.44	370,585	18.9	230.06	1,137,230	7.5	284.17
Hawaii	44,646,920	5.5	190.75	7,580,920	10.1	154.58	5,353,140	1.9	173.71	11,415,905	7.0	202.28	15,362,350	6.3	218.46
Illinois	15,367,335	4.5	184.25	873,095	-7.8	132.79	1,273,190	6.2	176.68	2,235,300	2.6	181.08	5,219,395	-0.5	204.11
Indiana	19,172,810	8.5	250.91	418,950	30.4	147.79	1,567,010	6.0	204.52	3,385,380	15.1	278.80	4,348,510	-3.4	238.99
Iowa	130,372,635	7.3	172.33	40,809,180	5.3	131.24	13,795,035	4.1	172.70	18,046,030	5.1	186.54	28,748,910	12.4	216.02
Kansas	142,891,305	2.8	253.98	31,860,060	-0.6	194.51	12,835,410	8.4	223.55	14,747,395	-1.1	230.30	30,243,135	-11.8	270.35
Kentucky	28,398,325	12.6	258.27	3,991,970	8.3	233.40	1,926,390	-0.2	226.43	3,020,980	10.9	242.71	12,910,255	17.2	295.61
Louisiana	9,081,970	4.8	166.99	283,250	0.9	119.68	448,930	24.6	326.28	803,675	22.0	180.12	3,711,500	1.9	175.27
Maine	190,431,560	6.3	225.70	48,191,670	6.5	184.04	16,318,295	8.8	248.94	19,194,305	9.5	260.41	49,094,015	3.6	273.81
Maryland	117,909,000	7.5	190.72	20,831,215	5.5	130.68	15,934,900	1.8	160.76	19,157,255	11.6	195.19	21,663,805	9.4	221.27
Massachusetts	5,845,810	13.1	211.45	116,395	1.6	419.41	343,855	2.6	165.10	490,700	27.5	218.67	634,910	-6.5	206.54
Michigan	25,510,380	6.9	217.92	1,805,425	2.0	193.86	1,622,015	12.8	165.08	3,729,090	12.8	308.38	11,768,650	-0.8	210.58
Minnesota	6,136,585	4.7	260.47	139,845	-4.1	346.15	410,665	3.1	324.12	1,137,610	9.7	430.72	2,993,730	4.4	350.40
Mississippi	242,164,410	8.1	214.54	86,997,075	8.7	175.99	23,234,345	5.1	210.61	27,274,655	7.6	232.89	52,484,165	18.4	239.90
Missouri	1,238,485	2.0	271.76	183,485	9.9	364.50	1,084,310	16.7	292.16	1,516,030	-2.2	278.43	3,085,215	-5.8	271.04
Montana	17,309,925	4.2	228.33	439,295	12.6	244.96	1,490,780	21.7	307.94	2,991,175	8.2	312.52	7,398,210	3.6	320.61
Nebraska	26,392,330	10.1	194.25	1,749,930	6.5	172.07	2,063,205	16.9	167.02	2,905,965	11.9	191.76	9,120,735	16.6	216.51
Nevada	161,463,365	8.7	224.49	18,899,780	4.9	172.30	19,324,730	1.4	174.62	26,255,375	15.1	214.62	49,090,010	8.0	265.80
New Hampshire	5,139,625	9.1	291.05	480,465	4.0	231.51	340,425	0.8	215.05	675,325	-3.7	266.30	2,701,275	19.7	317.42
New Jersey	164,965,225	8.0	241.56	48,899,950	6.6	205.88	14,647,965	1.9	233.97	23,829,225	6.1	250.47	44,976,145	12.2	263.09
New Mexico	388,441,395	8.6	194.78	43,091,260	6.9	123.57	13,796,635	9.3	173.25	21,692,325	2.4	210.08	49,901,410	9.3	253.48
New York	605,571,705	9.5	259.48	44,202,385	5.8	186.44	45,799,010	6.4	203.61	70,095,150	7.8	234.34	131,703,405	1.9	268.85
North Carolina	5,275,485	6.5	186.53	71,270	70.5	222.02	165,250	-19.8	233.84	814,140	2.7	195.10	1,253,245	4.2	191.98
North Dakota	122,664,180	8.4	307.95	28,609,325	10.4	199.72	8,936,460	0.3	177.89	2,258,995	2.7	201.95	25,943,770	18.3	241.58
Ohio	5,361,899	28.8	235.25	481,670	-15.7	223.10	393,530	-2.3	199.84	1,308,675	17.5	306.75	1,906,515	21.3	239.06
Oklahoma	662,280	10.2	215.10	26,235	9.4	291.30	54,780	16.7	214.75	82,970	51.2	145.31	112,520	10.6	504.57
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COOPERATIVE PROGRAM GIFTS TO SBC CAUSES AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL CHURCH GIFTS 1973-1983*



*Based only on those churches which reported gifts through the Cooperative Program.

PROPERTY AND ASSET VALUES REPORTED BY STATE CONVENTION—1983

SBC and State Conventions	Value of State Reported Office Buildings	Value of All Fixed Assets Owned by State (Conventions)	Estimated Total, or Percentage Total
SBC	\$45,370,769	\$1,999,826,393	\$666,144,237
Alabama	2,750,000	77,400,000	24,330,000
Alaska	194,481	1,242,237	10,911
Arizona	1,200,000	4,154,622	483,430
Arkansas	1,881,798	5,469,683	
California	339,936	7,061,743	8,204,816
Colorado	2,130,000	7,000,000	2,508,080
District of Columbia	830,000	3,230,000	4,100,000
Florida	1,991,418	30,397,189	14,488,643
Georgia	6,843,134	143,681,027	67,389,403
Hawaii	1,300,000	10,000	117,866
Illinois	2,058,421	5,925,227	73,343
Indiana	600,000	1,894,125	97,086
Kansas-Nebraska	646,600	1,567,378	
Kentucky	2,143,679	129,168,810	51,339,806
Louisiana	3,992,786	7,994,387	15,053,386
Maryland	1,170,000	3,392,000	2,890,000
Michigan	340,800	2,067,385	142,767
Mississippi	2,337,461	61,648,612	16,089,779
Missouri	2,489,887	53,344,811	10,084,891
Nevada	161,000	243,080	1,813
New Mexico	975,000	3,828,986	1,564,244
New York		114,293	
North Carolina	2,308,080	293,000,000	137,013,327
Northern Plains	138,080	220,000	135,800
Northwest	447,001	687,941	1,182,875
Ohio	597,080	2,862,655	208,310
Oklahoma	1,711,138	53,826,364	46,288,117
Pennsylvania-South Jersey		180,000	39,831
South Carolina	1,313,443	149,746,391	49,861,336
Tennessee	1,646,339	222,700,675	12,448,404
Texas		222,808,148	258,546,777
Utah-Maho	360,465	367,122	7,178
Virginia	862,917	140,194,672	109,368,873
West Virginia	311,500	354,030	1,308

*Including state Baptist office building and all state institutions or ministries owned by the convention.
*Does not include assets of schools, foundation, and child care services.

RECEIPT AND DISTRIBUTION OF MISSION AND BENEVOLENCE FUNDS, BY STATE CONVENTION—1983

State	Receipts	Distributions	Balance
Alabama	102,173,398	4,328,111	97,845,287
Alaska	6,131,449		6,131,449
Arizona	136,421,031	4,379,387	132,041,644
Arkansas	54,633,126	73,326	54,559,800
California	320,391,635	19,817,892	300,573,743
Colorado	19,817,892	12,874	19,805,018
District of Columbia	12,874	3,291,132	12,841,132
Florida	55,800	3,889,009	55,411,000
Georgia	315,186	3,889,009	311,297
Hawaii	1,000		1,000
Illinois	493,706	4,930,300	488,776
Indiana	305,332	1,517,043	1,211,711
Kansas-Nebraska	1,517,043	1,517,043	
Kentucky	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Louisiana	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Maryland	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Michigan	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Mississippi	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Missouri	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Nevada	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
New Mexico	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
New York	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
North Carolina	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Northern Plains	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Northwest	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Ohio	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Oklahoma	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Pennsylvania-South Jersey	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
South Carolina	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Tennessee	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Texas	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Utah-Maho	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
Virginia	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275
West Virginia	138,768	1,517,043	1,378,275

*Receipts include state Baptist office building and all state institutions or ministries owned by the convention.
*Does not include assets of schools, foundation, and child care services.

DISTRIBUTION OF COOPERATIVE PROGRAM RECEIPTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS OF THE SBC

Year ended September 30, 1983

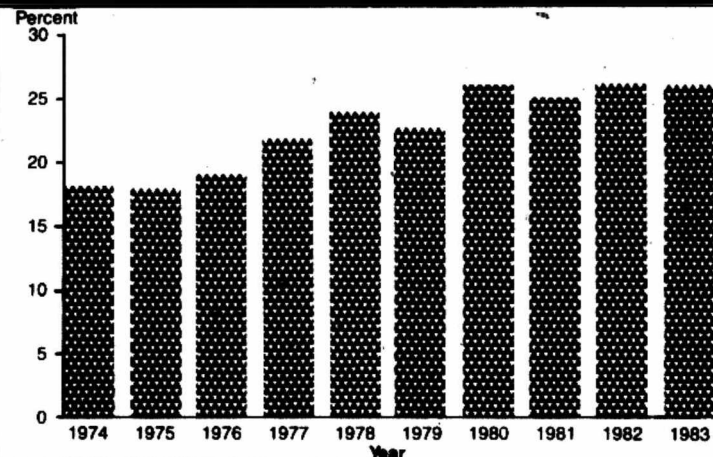
Distribution for operating and capital needs:	Operating Expenses	Capital Needs	1983 Total	1983 Percent	1982 Total	1982 Percent
Foreign Mission Board	\$48,745,954	\$	\$48,745,954	47.64%	\$44,294,435	47.45%
Home Mission Board	19,395,664		19,395,664	18.96	17,634,029	18.89
Annuity Board	478,000		478,000	.47	429,560	.46
Southern Seminary	4,649,927		4,649,927	4.55	4,417,295	4.73
Southwestern Seminary	5,885,376	221,000	6,106,376	5.97	5,897,871	6.32
New Orleans Seminary	3,554,789	1,000,000	4,554,789	4.45	4,621,502	4.95
Golden Gate Seminary	1,982,255	201,400	2,183,655	2.13	1,631,549	1.75
Southeastern Seminary	3,309,874	1,365,000	4,674,874	4.57	2,921,683	3.13
Midwestern Seminary	1,836,211	306,000	2,142,211	2.09	2,246,352	2.41
Radio and Television Commission	4,410,331	271,600	4,681,931	4.58	5,106,463	5.47
American Seminary Commission	203,450		203,450	.20	178,433	.19
Brotherhood Commission	758,100		758,100	.74	704,899	.76
Public Affairs Committee	367,192		367,192	.36	339,195	.36
Southern Baptist Foundation	213,450		213,450	.21	198,616	.21
Education Commission	378,400		378,400	.37	343,915	.37
Historical Commission	344,501		344,501	.34	282,060	.31
Christian Life Commission	587,461		587,461	.57	496,242	.53
Convention Operating Budget	1,488,004		1,488,004	1.45	1,253,152	1.34
Stewardship Commission	359,369		359,369	.35	347,105	.37
Totals	\$98,948,308	\$3,365,000	\$102,313,308	100.00%	\$93,344,356	100.00%

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION Distributable Funds Year ended September 30, 1983

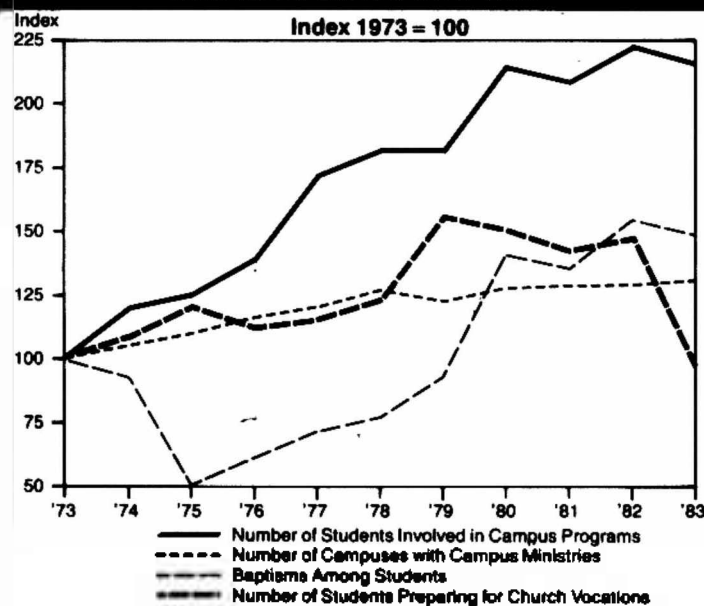
Cooperative Program	Designated	Total
Specials	\$ 566,277	\$ 636,141
Alabama	6,820,070	12,838,720
Alaska	121,155	230,217
Arizona	448,972	915,848
Arkansas	3,659,606	6,201,093
California	1,196,621	2,341,487
Colorado	287,354	2,341,896
Connecticut	1,020,218	664,528
District of Columbia	8,082,315	13,038,463
Florida	4,577,144	15,136,873
Georgia	84,996	181,476
Idaho	983,972	2,303,458
Illinois	400,077	706,760
Indiana	1,519,486	691,192
Iowa	405,848	7,789,574
Kansas	285,344	7,989,981
Kentucky	4,689,103	1,454,807
Louisiana	4,751,441	3,966,577
Maine	879,449	9,902,034
Maryland	194,770	7,023,535
Massachusetts	5,080,517	1,240,099
Michigan	4,151,247	2,408,253
Minnesota	574,874	16,165,943
Missouri	90,321	375,099
Montana	7,079,515	1,414,856
Nebraska	432,303	10,307,771
Nevada	102,081	202,623
New Hampshire	375,703	11,216,413
New Jersey	882,382	33,872,580
New Mexico	93,324	8,448,537
New York	5,633,699	186,862
North Carolina	6,124,707	7,177
North Dakota	18,300,447	
Ohio	63,126	
Oklahoma	4,297,643	
Oregon	81,643	
Pennsylvania	5,196	
Rhode Island		
South Carolina		
South Dakota		
Tennessee		
Texas		
Utah		
Vermont		
Virginia		
Washington		
West Virginia		
Wisconsin		
Wyoming		
Totals	\$102,313,308	\$187,637,739

Distribution	Percent of Total	Total
SBC Budget Fund	79%	\$ 1,490,321
Foreign Mission Board	58.64	110,029,263
Home Mission Board	23.07	43,279,115
Annuity Board	.26	479,633
Southern Seminary	2.48	4,656,296
Southwestern Seminary	3.26	6,120,961
New Orleans Seminary	2.43	4,559,184
Golden Gate Seminary	1.17	2,186,617
Southeastern Seminary	2.49	4,679,655
Midwestern Seminary	2.10	4,080,210
Radio and Television Commission	4.1	203,793
American Seminary Commission	.20	759,394
Brotherhood Commission	.74	367,469
Public Affairs Committee	.36	378,400
Southern Baptist Foundation	.21	213,450
Education Commission	.37	379,006
Historical Commission	.34	344,501
Christian Life Commission	.57	588,271
Convention Operating Budget	1.45	1,488,004
Stewardship Commission	.35	359,369
American Bible Society	.04	76,517
Missions	.01	22,000
Totals	100.00%	\$187,637,739

NUMBER OF STUDENTS INVOLVED IN CAMPUS MINISTRIES AS A PERCENT OF BAPTIST AND BAPTIST PREFERENCE STUDENTS



BSU HIGHLIGHTS 1973-1983



BAPTIST STUDENT MINISTRIES—1983-1982

Area of Study	1983-1982	1982-1981	1981-1980	1980-1979	1979-1978	1978-1977	1977-1976	1976-1975	1975-1974	1974-1973
SBC	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318	11,318
Alabama	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Alaska	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Arizona	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Arkansas	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
California	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Colorado	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Connecticut	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Delaware	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
District of Columbia	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Florida	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Georgia	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Hawaii	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Idaho	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Illinois	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Indiana	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Iowa	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Kansas	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Kentucky	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Louisiana	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Maine	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Maryland	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Massachusetts	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Michigan	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Minnesota	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Mississippi	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Missouri	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Montana	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Nebraska	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Nevada	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
New England Area	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
New Hampshire	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
New Jersey	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
New Mexico	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
New York	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
North Carolina	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
North Dakota	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Ohio	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Oklahoma	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Oregon	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Penn. & Jersey	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Rhode Island	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
South Carolina	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
South Dakota	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Texas	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Tennessee	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Utah	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Vermont	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Virginia	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Washington	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
West Virginia	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Wisconsin	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022
Wyoming	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022	1,022

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¹Accreditation by regional association.
²Accreditation by state department of education (or state university).
³Supported jointly with National Baptist Conventions, U.S.A., Inc.
⁴Member, Council on Postsecondary Accreditation.

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NAME	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990
Averett College	\$ 362,000		\$ 935,406	\$ 11,780	\$ 1,639,364	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 210,430	\$ 3,768,377	\$ 1,970,993	\$ 3,096,268	
Baylor College at Charleston	593,341	\$ 275,000	2,156,779	67,458	4,738,480	10,000,000	725,156	12,474,747	11,345,747		
Baylor University	4,055,279		9,732,465	9,521,964	30,031,431	100,000,000	130,889,000	163,074,171	223,943,177	74,000,133	
Baylor University	1,226,413		174,162	174,162	4,713,142	0	1,046,678	14,438,288	17,482,962		
Brigham Young College	360,855		24,469			0	179,040	3,522,000	1,488,000		
Brigham Young University	383,780	55,649	183,255	126,567	672,350	1,464,844	1,682,268	2,902,134	4,587,561	1,790,250	
Brigham Young University	731,793		776,227	60,393	950,596	1,250,000	712,391	30,000,000	30,000,000	4,133,743	
Brigham Young University	2,008,334		2,008,334	347,500	1,942,651	25,000,000	14,000,000	41,331,539	55,531,539	4,133,743	
Cambridge University	399,919	60,080	399,919	31,991	128,220	5,000,000	4,190,000	20,000,000	20,000,000	4,133,743	
Cambridge University	1,187,830	421,676	1,076,268	391,883	5,902,619	5,000,000	6,420,536	27,524,665	9,428,000		
Cambridge University	1,181,675	62,319	955,028	1,229,219	4,707,215	5,000,000	6,420,536	11,531,154	30,276,713	7,638,000	
Cambridge University	852,787		1,266,430	1,144,011	5,955,028	5,000,000	6,420,536	14,200,000	14,200,000	4,133,743	
East Texas Baptist College	670,000		807,392	414,213	1,896,753	30,100,000	37,000,287	15,746,000	16,453,287	4,311,000	
East Texas Baptist College	899,492	375,000	5,330,000	3,779,008	10,683,000	23,200,000	3,800,000	49,000,000	74,000,000	34,000,000	
East Texas Baptist College	116,600		156,600	429,600	1,200,000	3,800,000	15,555,997	19,236,018	10,148,018		
East Texas Baptist College	707,490	114,917	1,838,780	795,864	3,379,628	4,500,000	8,864,506	34,204,763	7,996,204		
East Texas Baptist College	336,893		1,076,230	55,320	2,368,611	900,000	4,311,763	6,071,804	3,077,804		
East Texas Baptist College	339,843		266,071	7,832	3,310,119		153,811	2,084,536	3,078,367	3,077,804	
East Texas Baptist College	1,226,629		2,720,984	1,771,866	4,451,460	11,000,000	14,815,614	26,525,543	11,281,284		
East Texas Baptist College	1,226,629		1,998,995	634,765	4,698,447	26,300,000	24,314,531	13,999,456	27,510,367	10,467,300	
East Texas Baptist College	1,081,737		543,869	1,815,683	2,366,253	36,647	8,207,942	9,943,236	16,190,181	3,850,000	
East Texas Baptist College	723,179		178,000	178,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,250,000	1,048,000	4,177,289	3,000,000	
East Texas Baptist College	1,965,862	90,000	1,777,766	467,827	1,749,148	2,360,000	4,382,825	17,666,451	17,666,451	5,000,000	
East Texas Baptist College	866,992	40,000	641,655	126,272	4,667,380	13,300,000	1,213,976	14,471,486	21,983,462	9,228,254	
East Texas Baptist College	866,992	40,000	641,655	126,272	4,667,380	13,300,000	1,213,976	14,471,486	21,983,462	9,228,254	
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JUNIOR COLLEGES—FINANCIAL REPORT—1982-1983

NAME	Assets	Liabilities	Net Assets	Operating Expenses	Capital Expenses	Operating Income	Capital Income	Operating Deficit	Capital Deficit	Total Deficit
Anderson College	\$ 306,472	\$200,000	\$ 434,966	\$183,245	\$2,429,238	\$ 2,500,000	\$1,502,770	\$ 9,663,339	\$11,146,109	\$ 4,388,878
Bethany-Palmer College	176,424*	58,440	148,013	146,858	1,993,492	200,000	2,941,711	1,404,410	4,346,121	1,677,405
Chowan College	317,279	392,340	755,167	174,148	3,491,722	3,600,000	2,633,989	16,139,193	18,773,182	7,830,000
North Greenville College	305,950	160,000	392,553	107,621	1,263,474	1,000,000	1,480,138	3,775,207	7,175,335	3,188,704
Southwestern Baptist College	330,056	123,217	151,056	38,562	644,975	750,000	185,767	8,135,592	8,321,359	1,680,451
Truett-McConnell College	148,519**	80,117	141,468	75,707	1,295,350	1,595,986	3,417,348	5,013,534	3,000,000	3,000,000
Total—Junior Colleges	\$1,584,780	\$1,014,114	\$2,013,444	\$718,141	\$11,118,451	\$10,050,000	\$10,260,351	\$44,513,289	\$54,773,640	\$20,645,438

* no additional \$27,440 received for endowment
 ** no additional \$489,512 received for endowment

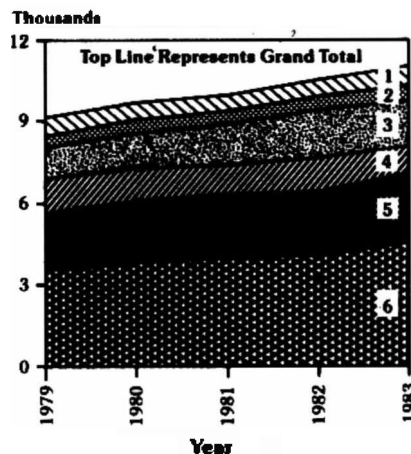
SEMINARIES—FINANCIAL REPORT—1982-1983

NAME	Assets	Liabilities	Net Assets	Operating Expenses	Capital Expenses	Operating Income	Capital Income	Operating Deficit	Capital Deficit	Total Deficit
Golden Gate Bapt. Theological Sem	\$ 1,921,418	\$ 578,310	\$ 46,297	\$ 166,143	\$ 308,935	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 2,534,430	\$11,484,470	\$ 14,018,900	\$ 3,116,350
Midwestern Bapt. Theological Sem	1,811,570	1,500,000	187,860	125,345	266,230	1,384,622	7,447,406	8,712,028	2,792,284	2,792,284
New Orleans Bapt. Theological Sem	3,485,481	287,827	281,829	201,829	593,330	3,080,000	3,280,201	16,581,594	19,869,795	5,494,951
Southwestern Bapt. Theological Sem	3,114,208	289,648	208,375	605,198	1,500,000	4,161,338	13,149,817	17,311,135	5,201,277	5,201,277
Southern Bapt. Theological Sem	4,598,498	1,731,269	1,172,497	1,508,649	35,000,000	14,674,298	24,792,681	39,466,970	9,534,970	9,534,970
Southwestern Bapt. Theological Sem	5,780,659	321,633	2,166,993	2,180,414	25,000,000	24,868,550	35,129,087	68,017,637	14,026,381	14,026,381
Total—Seminaries	\$20,711,828	\$2,793,600	\$2,984,734	\$4,118,582	\$3,463,748	\$69,500,000	\$30,811,439	\$108,583,655	\$159,596,494	\$40,166,022

BIBLE SCHOOLS, ACADEMIES, AND SCHOOLS—FINANCIAL REPORT—1982-1983

NAME	Assets	Liabilities	Net Assets	Operating Expenses	Capital Expenses	Operating Income	Capital Income	Operating Deficit	Capital Deficit	Total Deficit
Bible Schools										
American Baptist College (American)	\$ 292,146	\$21,390	\$ 61,719	\$ 16,800	\$264,456	\$ 50,000	\$ 148,680	\$ 496,569	\$ 496,569	\$ 558,628
Baptist Bible Institute	628,819	341,095	95,113	125,613	366,183	230,000	1,323,991	552,758	681,350	1,234,658
Clear Creek Baptist School	341,095	341,095	341,095	341,095	341,095	341,095	341,095	341,095	341,095	1,083,413
Total—Bible Schools	\$1,262,060	\$21,390	\$497,089	\$147,813	\$667,734	\$300,000	\$1,444,991	\$3,452,424	\$4,448,615	\$2,846,681
Academies and Schools										
Park Union Military Academy	\$ 152,192	\$ 79,621	\$ 78,795	\$ 36,611	\$3,227,554	\$2,500,000	\$1,312,514	\$ 6,134,695	\$ 7,447,209	\$ 5,826,021
Magnolia Military Academy	170,414	154,458	22,089	14,099	1,146,140	209,631	289,786	4,651,513	4,961,219	2,800,100
Marshall Baptist Academy	252,873	853,748	2,448	2,448	1,784,557	2,000,000	134,086	5,040,413	5,784,499	2,137,584
North Baptist Academy	39,760	42,284	1,098	1,098	324,344	1,000,000	25,168	1,897,633	1,922,793	819,087
Old Mill Academy	147,682	15,980	736,000	73,600	334,080	750,000	1,072,315	4,733,871	5,842,871	1,642,094
Omaha Baptist Institute	200,600	13,138	336,351	42,433	1,724,539	1,000,000	1,072,315	18,781,203	19,773,518	3,504,777
San Marcos Baptist Academy	433,607	47,380	211,900	32,106	251,354	1,000,000	483,673	2,816,157	2,498,782	688,923
Valley Baptist Academy	190,748	82,816	76,923	39,761	108,690	10,000	3,309,300	3,309,300	3,309,300	688,923
Providence Baptist Bible Institute	187,940	82,816	76,923	39,761	108,690	10,000	3,309,300	3,309,300	3,309,300	688,923
Total—Academies and Schools	\$1,784,666	\$238,577	\$2,705,929	\$264,645	\$6,356,658	\$3,539,631	\$4,712,440	\$49,028,044	\$53,740,454	\$18,483,732

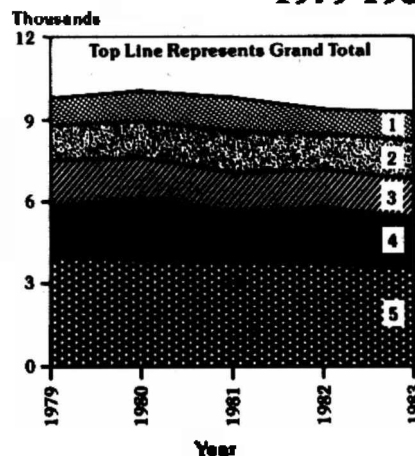
Total Enrollment For Southern Baptist Seminaries, Fall 1979-1983



Theological Seminaries

1. Golden Gate Baptist
2. Midwestern Baptist
3. New Orleans Baptist
4. Southeastern Baptist
5. Southern Baptist
6. Southwestern Baptist

Church Vocation Volunteers in Southern Baptist Colleges and Universities 1979-1983



Students

1. Education Ministry
2. Missions Ministry
3. Music Ministry
4. Other Ministry
5. Pastoral Ministry

HOSPITALS—1983

State	Name and Location	Administrative Director, President	Year Opened	No. New-Born Beds	No. Adult Patients	No. New-Born Patients	No. Adult Patients	No. Adult Patient Days	Av. Daily Occ. per Patient	No. Out Patients	Net Revenue From Patients
Alabama	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Gadsden 35999	Charles W. Roe	1963	318	12,449	1,335	82,197	15,715	71%	35,715	\$ 32,992,015
Georgia	Baptist Medical Center, Montgomery 36108	William C. Bentley	1963	454	17,749	1,915	120,979	159,874	70%	159,874	42,997,778
Kentucky	Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta 30312	Tommy J. Smith	1954	297	16,002	2,835	94,084	24,959	84.7%	24,959	33,969,007
Mississippi	Thomas R. R. Brewer	1924	259	19,364	2,799	158,070	81,594	67,280	81.5%	67,280	48,149,500
North Carolina	Western Baptist Hospital, Raleigh 27601	H. E. E. E.	1924	326	23,023	1,915	182,442	31,066	90%	31,066	32,678,472
Missouri	Mississippi Baptist Medical Center, Jackson 39201	Paul J. Pryor	1911	612	32	1,515	12,268	35,204	71.1%	35,204	55,483,749
North Carolina	Baptist Medical Center, Kansas City 64131	Dan H. Anderson	1960	340	11,587	0	90,102	63,894	85.3%	63,894	93,641,163
South Carolina	North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., Winston-Salem 27103	John E. Lynch	1923	701	0	24,107	0	213,408	71%	16,963	10,641,418
Tennessee	Eastley Baptist Hospital, Eastley 38641	Sherman Hendricks	1958	102	4,926	473	26,582	16,297	86.1%	16,297	51,532,803
Texas	Baptist Medical Center at Columbia, Columbia 29220	Charles D. Bentley, Jr.	1948	590	28,000	4,367	146,869	146,869	80.3%	146,869	203,055,535
Texas	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Knoxville 37901	Joseph H. Powell	1912	1,949	59,169	5,101	529,410	542,083	80.3%	542,083	40,716,740
Texas	East Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville 37901	Earl G. Skogman	1948	416	19,321	0	131,202	68,893	87.6%	20,101	102,628,034
Texas	Baptist Medical Center, San Antonio 78206	David A. Garrett	1948	1,048	46,364	4,484	293,459	1,661	77.6%	68,893	3,514,309
Texas	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 76798	Taylor Realey	1951	1,275	62	4,957	343,613	136,599	90%	136,599	156,161,972
Texas	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 76798	Michael C. Wicks	1953	304	44,728	2,664	1,114,472	33,196	77.4%	33,196	45,259,903
Texas	High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo 79108	T. H. Holloway, Jr.	1968	304	12,531	1,005	78,363	46,988	71.4%	46,988	39,386,333
Texas	Hillcrest Baptist Medical Center, Waco 76708	Alton Pearson	1920	356	21,277	3,139	105,388	20,522	81.1%	20,522	28,725,973
Texas	The Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Inc., Beaumont 77704	Gay H. Dairymple	1925	300	13,617	1,019	97,670	75,855	80.8%	75,855	35,877,109
Texas	Therapy Baptist Medical Center, Harlingen 78550	Ben M. McKibben	1925	300	12,844	1,387	75,855	80,389	76.2%	13,682	26,300,568
Virginia	Virginia Baptist Hospital, Lynchburg 24503	George W. Dawson	1924	306	12,964	2,441	85,517	13,682	76.2%	13,682	26,300,568

Highlands Baptist Hospital and Baptist Hospital East, 1983 figures.

*Joint ownership: Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

*Includes three hospitals in San Antonio: Northwest, Southeast, and Baptist Medical Center. Statistics are a composite (and average).

*No report.

HOSPITALS—1983 (continued)

STATE	NAME AND LOCATION	Facilities and Services Within Hospitals				Personnel				Educational Programs		
		a. Premature Nursery: b. Open Heart Surgery Facilities: c. Transcatheter Aortic Valve Insertion: d. Hemodialysis (Inpatient): e. Hemodialysis (Outpatient): f. Blood Bank: g. Organ Bank: h. Respiratory Therapy Department: i. Pharmacy w/PT Registered Pharmacist: j. Pharmacy w/PT Registered Pharmacist	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Alabama	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Gadsden 35999	a, c, f, h, i	5	12	219	887	No					0
	Baptist Medical Center, Montgomery 36108	a, c, f, h, i	0	14	275	1,132	No					0
Georgia	Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta 30312											
Kentucky	Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington 40503	a, b, c, d, e, f, h, i	0	0	235	870	Yes					23
	The Louisville Baptist Hospitals, Louisville 40204	a, f, h, i	0	0	193	1,536	Yes					175
	Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah 42001	a, c, f, h, i	0	0	202	1,039	No					2
Mississippi	Mississippi Baptist Medical Center, Jackson 39201	a, b, c, d, e, f, h, i	0	0	405	2,081	No			55		5
	Baptist Medical Center, Kansas City 64131	b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	0	18	217	918	Yes					59
North Carolina	North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., Winston-Salem 27101	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	0	0	441	2,783	Yes					8
South Carolina	Emory Baptist Hospital, Easley 29641	a, f, h, i	0	0	62	332	No					0
	Baptist Medical Center at Columbia, Columbia 29220	a, c, f, h, i	0	0	444	1,816	Yes			150		0
Tennessee	Baptist Hospital, Inc., Nashville 37236	a, b, c, d, e, f, h, i	0	20	411	2,140	No					0
	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis 38146	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	34	95	952	5,516	No					2
	East Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville 37901	b, c, f, h, i	0	0	364	1,237	Yes					0
Texas	Baptist Medical Center, San Antonio 78284	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	0	7	3,488	Yes						2
	Baptist Memorial Geriatric Center, San Antonio 78201	h, i	1	0	50	310	No					0
	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 75246	a, b, c, d, e, f, h, i	30	165	1,196	4,316	Yes			264		20
	Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene 79601	a, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	0	0	199	1,477	Yes			75		4
	High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo 79106	b, c, d, e, f, h, i	0	0	227	746	No					0
	Willow Baptist Hospital, Waco 76708	a, b, c, d, h, i	0	0	162	920	No					0
	The Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Inc., Beaumont 77704	a, b, c, h, i	0	0	220	1,222	No					0
	Valley Baptist Medical Center, Marlingburg 78550	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	0	0	155	1,131	Yes					2
Virginia	Virginia Baptist Hospital, Inc., Lynchburg 24503	c, d, f, h, i	0	0	227	675	Yes					22

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³Includes three hospitals in San Antonio, Northeast, Southeast, and Baptist Medical Center. Statistics are a composite.

⁴Includes the hospital serving home, retirement, hospice, and outpatients for complete retirement and medical care for the aging.

⁵Physicians are faculty members of Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest University.

HOSPITALS—1983 (continued)

State	Name and Location	Capital and Operating Expenses						Religious Activities					
		Capital Expenditures	Operating Expenses	Depreciation	Amortization	Reserve for Depreciation	Reserve for Amortization	Chaplain	Religious Activities	Religious Activities	Religious Activities	Religious Activities	Religious Activities
AL	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Gadsden 35999	\$ 39,852,674	\$ 22,319,231	\$ 8,475,535	\$ 536,769,615	5	0	1	0	0	None	8,231	4,113
	Baptist Medical Center, Montgomery 36108	34,529,457	25,610,452	470,515	17,267,032	0	0	2	0	0	None	5,476	11,578
GA	Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta 30312												
KY	Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington 40503	41,772,510	6,200,428	37,572,091	28,953,491	0	18,865	1	0	0	Weekly	9,728	12,365
	The Louisville Baptist Hospitals, Louisville 40204	36,116,710	23,239,062	35,057,097	5,756,256	0	1,944	5	0	0	Weekly	2,075	3,393
	Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah 42001	36,136,464	19,407,939	4,240,134	41,134,976	0	27,756	2	0	0	Weekly	Total	13,670
MS	Mississippi Baptist Medical Center, Jackson 39201	91,111,484	38,547,187	17,768,297	22,037,086	60,000	112,339	4	0	0	Daily	12,264	7,883
	Baptist Medical Center, Kansas City 64131	32,089,564	19,021,498	290,000	32,089,564	0	0	2	0	0	Weekly	Total	11,381
NC	North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., Winston-Salem 27101	112,940,772	47,587,462	65,133,315	13,768,834	0	877,258	10	8	2	4 Weekly	Total	24,137
	Emory Baptist Hospital, Easley 29641	16,841,652	13,057,046	1,764,486	6,219,697	36,000	0	1	0	0	Weekly	Total	4,826
SC	Baptist Medical Center at Columbia, Columbia 29220	54,148,814	39,378,568	14,052,902	11,896,383	140,000	251,307	4	5	1	Daily	7,751	10,437
TN	Baptist Hospital, Inc., Nashville 37236					0	0	3	0	0	Weekly	9,010	12,389
	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis 38146	284,034,363	169,947,716	114,086,787	36,473,968	0	0	5	2	0	Weekly	27,809	19,290
	East Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville 37901	39,415,457	76,904,950			0	0	0	0	0	2 Weekly	11,817	6,472
TX	Baptist Medical Center, San Antonio 78284	71,281,206	32,355,194	125,433	25,000,457	0	376,177	7	1	1	Daily	8,445	35,414
	Baptist Memorial Geriatric Center, San Antonio 78201					0					Weekly		2,505
	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 75246	20,434,155	16,000,948	10,269,568	862,048	0	159,448	1	1	3	Weekly	130	185
	Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene 79601	187,662,401	60,353,976	45,152,192	66,333,063	0	435,442	1	6	0	Daily	Total	44,312
	High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo 79106	40,365,756	23,716,619	3,839,037	11,094,081	0	252,307	0	4	0	Weekly	Total	30,181
	Willow Baptist Hospital, Waco 76708	32,773,545	19,083,788	12,763,757	10,490,803	0	177,888	1	0	0	Weekly	4,534	2,721
	The Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Inc., Beaumont 77704					0					Daily		5,034
	Valley Baptist Medical Center, Marlingburg 78550	47,001,501	24,774,141	6,645,731	41,368,687	0	300,457	2	0	0	Other	10,812	10,831
VA	Virginia Baptist Hospital, Inc., Lynchburg 24503	21,044,373	11,501,064	186,389	11,276,358	0	307,020	3	0	0	None	7,062	6,528
		24,795,874	19,388,966	9,488,488	9,719,716	0	349,324	3	0	0	Weekly	Total	14,211
		47,775,179	25,339,640	9,944,970	0	0	23,142	2	0	0	Weekly	5,062	4,693

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⁴Includes the hospital serving home, retirement, hospice, and outpatients for complete retirement and medical care for the aging.

⁵This figure represents the combined total of Receipts from Donorship Capital and Donorship Operating.

RETIREMENT FACILITIES—1983

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CHILDREN'S HOMES—1983

State Contribution	Name and Location	Executive Director or Superintendent	Approved Number of Students	No. Under Care at End of Fiscal Year	Approved Number of Employees	Total Employment	Received from Federal Programs	Capital Expenditures	Total Expenditures	Unexpended Funds at End of Fiscal Year	Date Closed
Alabama	Alabama Baptist Children's Home, Inc., P.O. Box 629, Troy 36061	T. W. Collier	142	50	84	\$ 1,752,624	\$ 90,000	\$ 148,356	\$2,033,807	\$ 47196,402	1891
Alaska	Alaska Baptist Family Service Center, SRA 1791-A, Anchorage 99507	Gordon Lamm	12	1	10	950,000	2,500	18,000	415,000	297,073	1974
Arizona	Arizona Baptist Children's Services, P.O. Box 37126, Phoenix 85061	C. Thum Baker	47	10	55	22,000	25,000	25,000	1,230,000	751,000	1958
Arkansas	Arkansas Baptist Family and Child Care Services, 2 P.O. 1052, Little Rock 72201	Johnny G. Buggs	80	248	56	647,052	259,532	30,000	1,211,414	3,671,083	1994
District of Columbia	Greenacre Road, Bethesda, MD 20817	James K. Friseman	20		20	1,500,000	11,250	11,800	434,799	573,800	1994
Florida	Florida Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 8190, Lakeland 33802	Walter B. Delamater	104	15	71	1,531,963	678,254	96,300	1,975,755	6,594,216	1902
Georgia	Sumter Home for Children, Jacksonville 32207	Joe Cole	36	4	26	1,500,000	45,000	421,000	1,775,000	1,775,000	1926
	Georgia Baptist Children's Home, Inc., 5 2930 Pleasant Road, South, Atlanta 30341	L. Don Deval	512	185	124	1,612,015		509,429	4,016,499	9,913,361	1872
Illinois	Baptist Children's Home, Inc., 9 Canal 62221	Leann Taylor	45	40	38	550,000			775,000	1,500,000	1917
Kentucky	Kennedy Baptist Board of Child Care, 7 10801 Bellefonte Road, Indianapolis 46243	Eldred M. Taylor	128	29	100	3,746,801	184,299	84,870	2,199,959	5,164,183	1899
Louisiana	Louisiana Baptist Children's Home, 8 P.O. Box 4196, Monroe 71211	Wade B. East	100	14	42	1,300,000	454,079	40,000	1,837,000	7,368,000	1899
Mississippi	The Baptist Children's Village, Box 11308, Jackson 39213	Paul N. Nunnery	220	22	68	490,488	272,618	11,682	1,367,568	3,917,207	1897
Missouri	Missouri Baptist Children's Home, 11300 St. Charles Rock Road, Bridgeton 63064	Raymond R. Kenyon	44	123	35	2,508,492	206,800		1,356,465	3,389,104	1886
New Mexico	New Mexico Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 629, Portland 88130	Bert Johnson	48	2	22	1,948,572		100,415	503,329	3,258,250	1919
N. Carolina	Baptist Children's Home of North Carolina, Inc., 9 P.O. Box 338, Thomasville 27460	Michael C. Blackwell	382	170	280	4,367,683	1,189,394	404,931	6,581,993	11,236,460	1885
Ohio	Department of Child Care of the Baptist General Convention of Ohio, 10 1141 North Robinson, Cincinnati City 71013	Lowell D. Milburn	147	120	96	17,600,000	600,000	2,689,655	5,213,711	9,975,000	1903
S. Carolina	South Carolina Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 1178, Greenville 29646-1178	Hayward Price	89	75	96	6,564,979	408,180	311,549	2,200,871	4,863,210	1991
Tennessee	Tennessee Baptist Children's Home, Inc., 11 107 Frederick Road, Decatur 37027	Evans B. Brown	140	39	92	2,094,918	910,000	120,800	1,902,823	4,009,809	1891
Texas	Baptist Home Benevolence, 12 P.O. Box 271189, Dallas 75227	B. C. Campbell	479	290	287	24,845,529	647,373	2,248,560	6,128,773	14,780,494	1979
	Baptist Children's Home at San Antonio, 7401 Hwy. 90 West, San Antonio 78227	Leiland Market President	90	3	30	8,000,000	425,000		800,000	2,300,000	1884
	South Texas Children's Home, P.O. Box 1210, Marville 78102	A. J. Green, Jr.	108	118	43	3,555,097	653,153	832,100	1,141,885	4,043,174	1952
	Texas Baptist Children's Home, Box 7, Round Rock 78664	Charles L. Wright	75	81	60	3,200,000	657,615	300,000	1,688,777	4,381,932	1950
Virginia	The Virginia Baptist Children's Home, Box 849, Salem 24153	R. Franklin Hoogh, Jr.	80	45	54	2,900,000	360,000	25,000	1,547,000	4,800,000	1890

- 1 Search homes in Decatur and Midvale; group homes in Gadsden.
- 2 Group homes in Jacksonville and group care programs. Two emergency receiving homes.
- 3 Group homes in Lakeland, with branches in Milton and Tallahassee.
- 4 Sponsored by these associations.
- 5 Multi-service agency containing of group homes, service centers, foster care and other programs.
- 6 Multi-service agency containing of group homes, group homes, and a day care center.
- 7 Multi-unit agency with homes at Middleburg and Ocala.
- 8 Multi-unit facility in Jacksonville and foster care programs.
- 9 Multi-service agency with homes in Waycross—Clyde, Thomasville, Milledgeville, Brunswick, and Kennesaw.
- 10 Multi-service agency with homes in Ocala/Dunedin City, Edgewood, Ocala, and Maitland.
- 11 Multi-service agency with four homes: Panama, New Smyrna Beach, Palm Bay, and Titusville.
- 12 Multi-unit agency with homes in Dulles, Summit, Lakeland, San Antonio, and Beaumont (includes many types of care).

SOUTHERN BAPTIST SUMMARY—1845-1963

Year	Members	Churches	Ministers	Deacons	Worshipers	Contributions	Property	Assets	Liabilities	Net Assets	Chapels
1845	251,851	20,222									4,138
1850	342,294	43,723									4,392
1855	469,511	51,765									
1860	534,351	53,780									
1865	677,681	76,241	771,314								13,455
1870	846,819	103,188	883,188								13,312
1875	979,133	123,434	1,046,713								14,400
1880	1,013,188	126,077	1,226,081								14,346
1885	1,077,321	130,877	1,371,029								15,094
1890	1,225,000	151,366	1,599,912								16,081
1895	1,408,212	173,023	1,900,283								16,684
1900	1,704,664	217,397	2,406,127								17,710
1905	2,225,000	281,386	3,173,236								17,343
1910	2,821,389	352,478	4,000,843								18,400
1915	3,383,291	425,862	4,844,378								19,431
1920	4,131,621	520,182	5,796,711								20,431
1925	4,988,791	627,777	7,011,328								21,400
1930	5,738,191	727,557	8,111,212								22,370
1935	6,588,700	837,343	9,346,000								23,340
1940	7,438,417	957,825	10,646,888								24,310
1945	8,288,496	1,087,805	12,046,790								25,280
1950	9,138,511	1,217,787	13,446,713								26,250
1955	10,000,000	1,347,769	14,846,636								27,220
1960	10,850,000	1,477,751	16,246,559								28,190
1963	11,700,000	1,607,733	17,646,482								29,160

*No data available for 1844-71.

*S. M. A. 's dropped from list.

†Figures include statistics from the church as well as college and/or hospital B.Y.O.s.

‡Reported incorrectly in 1965 Southern Baptist Handbook.

*Nonmember churches are included. "Nonmember" refers to those affiliated with the Convention, but who have not submitted a report for three or more years.

*The data is not comparable to previous years. See page 36 in 1972 Handbook.

Affiliates of the Baptist World Alliance—1983

(Latest figures submitted to the BWA office in Washington, August, 1983)

In a few cases there has been no direct report for several years. The information provided is the most current available.

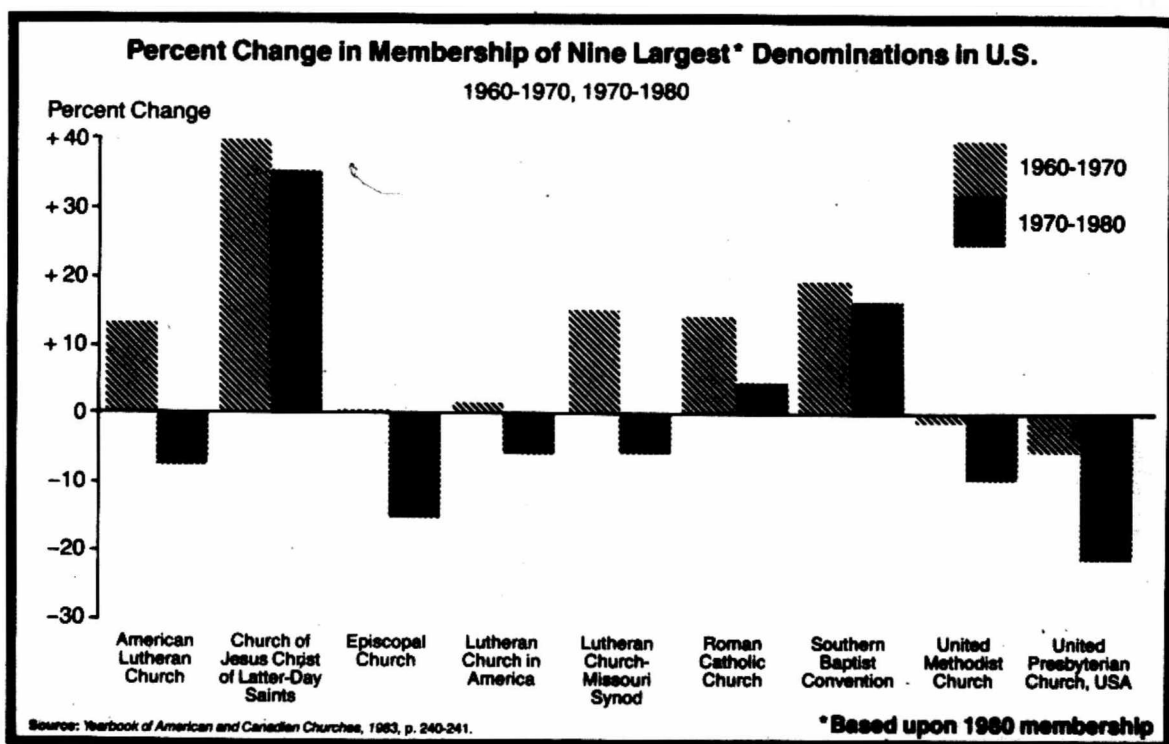
	Churches	Church Members
Africa		
Angola—Baptist Convention of Angola	56	19,500
Baptist Evangelical Church in Angola	37	26,437
Burundi—Union of Baptist Churches of Burundi	11	5,836
Cameroon—Cameroon Baptist Convention	522	35,437
Union of Baptist Churches of Cameroon	120	58,520
Ethiopia—Baptist Evangelical Association of Ethiopia	53	1,890
Ghana—Ghana Baptist Convention	68	8,170
Kenya—Baptist Convention of Kenya	700	35,000
Liberia—Liberia Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention, Inc.	139	42,250
Malawi—The African Baptist Assembly, Malawi Inc.	584	43,528
Baptist Convention in Malawi	230	19,200
Mozambique—Baptist Convention of Mozambique	7	500
Nigeria—Nigerian Baptist Convention	1,239	384,478
Rwanda—Union of Baptist Churches in Rwanda	21	21,903
Sierra Leone—Baptist Convention (Sierra Leone)	14	1,028
South Africa—Baptist Union of South Africa	574	58,386
Tanzania—Baptist Convention of Tanzania	458	32,442
Togo—Togo Baptist Association	24	1,976
Uganda—Baptist Union of Uganda	185	11,887
Zaire—Baptist Community of Bandundu	27	22,394
Baptist Community of Western Zaire	340	160,000
Baptist Community of the Zaire River	195	135,148
Zambia—Baptist Convention of Zambia	135	10,820
Zimbabwe—Baptist Convention of Zimbabwe	105	19,000
Baptist Union of Central Africa	22	1,179
Total for Africa	5,896	1,246,182
Asia		
Bangladesh—Bangladesh Baptist Sangha	190	9,720
Bangladesh Baptist Fellowship	47	2,172
Clare Baptist Union, Bangladesh	116	9,000
Burma—Burma Baptist Convention	2,750	373,245
Hong Kong—The Baptist Convention of Hong Kong	47	31,468
India—Baptist Church of Mysore	230	35,089
The Baptist Union of India		
Bengal Orissa Bihar Baptist Convention	68	6,194
Convention of Baptist Churches of the Northern Circars	198	47,000
Council of Baptist Churches in North East India	3,457	362,373
Council of Baptist Churches in Northern India	470	60,000
Kanataka Baptist Convention	36	2,214
North India Baptist Christian Association	348	20,000
Sarawakians of Telugu Baptist Churches	671	398,430
Indonesia—Keresapan Baptist Churches of Indonesia	41	4,590
Union of Indonesian Baptist Churches	95	65,000
Japan—Japan Baptist Convention	191	26,493
Japan Baptist Union	55	4,260
Korea, Republic of—Korea Baptist Convention	913	132,000
Malaysia—Malaysia Baptist Convention	44	4,544
Okinawa—Okinawa Baptist Convention	19	2,174
Philippines—Baptist Conference of the Philippines, Inc.	64	4,421
Convention of Philippine Baptist Churches, Inc.	578	60,469
General Baptist Church of the Philippines, Inc.	58	2,200
Luzon Convention of Baptist Churches, Inc.	80	
Mindanao Convention of Southern Baptist Churches	522	38,879

	Churches	Church Members
Singapore—Singapore Baptist Convention	16	3,500
Sri Lanka—Sri Lanka Baptist Union	30	2,284
Taiwan—Chinese Baptist Convention	80	11,129
Thailand—Thailand Baptist Convention	128	11,465
Total for Asia	31,638	1,649,637
Central America and Caribbean Islands		
Antigua—Antigua Baptist Association	3	500
Belize—Belize National Baptist Ministry and Educational Convention	194	45,000
Bermuda Baptist Fellowship	3	300
Costa Rica—Baptist Convention of Costa Rica	34	2,420
Cuba—Baptist Convention of Western Cuba	103	6,545
Baptist Convention of Eastern Cuba	115	5,703
El Salvador—Baptist Association of El Salvador	44	4,327
Guatemala—Convention of Baptist Churches of Guatemala	77	8,620
Haiti—Baptist Convention of Haiti	87	42,111
Honduras—National Convention of Baptist Churches	40	2,264
Jamaica—Jamaica Baptist Union	276	40,951
Nicaragua—Baptist Convention of Nicaragua	57	6,106
Panama—The Baptist Convention of Panama	66	7,170
Trinidad and Tobago—Baptist Union of Trinidad and Tobago	21	3,168
Total for Central America and Caribbean Islands	1,822	179,822
Europe		
Austria—Baptist Union of Austria	12	727
Belgium—Union of Evangelical Baptist Churches	11	730
Bulgaria—Union of Baptist Churches in Bulgaria	10	670
Czechoslovakia—Baptist Union of Czechoslovakia	28	3,947
Denmark—The Baptist Union of Denmark	44	6,256
Europe—European Baptist Convention (English language)	41	3,379
Finland—Finnish Baptist Union (Finnish speaking)	10	810
Swedish Speaking Baptist Union of Finland	22	1,734
France—Federation of Baptist Evangelical Churches	31	3,810
Germany, Democratic Republic—Union of Evangelical Free Churches in the GDR	216	20,636
Germany, Federal Republic—Union of Evangelical Free Churches in Germany	367	66,822
Hungary—Baptist Union of Hungary	280	13,680
Italy—Baptist Evangelical Christian Union of Italy	81	4,450
Netherlands—Union of Baptist Churches in the Netherlands	80	12,280
Norway—Old Norwegian Baptist Union	64	6,337
Poland—Polish Baptist Christian Union	57	2,760
Portugal—Portuguese Baptist Convention	16	3,300
Romania—Baptist Union of R.S. Romania	462	160,000
Spain—Baptist Evangelical Union of Spain	61	6,500
Sweden—Baptist Union of Sweden	390	20,772
Switzerland—Union of Baptist Churches in Switzerland	15	1,447
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics—All Union Council of Evangelical Christians-Baptists	5,000	545,000
United Kingdom—Baptist Union of Great Britain and Ireland	2,053	169,230
Baptist Union of Scotland	158	14,656
Baptist Union of Wales	613	36,120
Yugoslavia—Baptist Union of Yugoslavia	60	3,536
Total for Europe	10,344	1,199,792
Middle East		
Israel—Association of Baptist Churches in Israel	7	455

	Churches	Members
North America		
Canada—Baptist Federation of Canada	1,007	320,043
Mexico—National Baptist Convention of Mexico	447	42,099
United States of America		
American Baptist Churches in the USA	2,861	607,358
Baptist General Conference	793	135,752
Church Association of General Baptists	919	76,267
First Baptist Church of America	1,400	3,500,000
National Baptist Convention of America	30,000	6,300,000
National Baptist Convention USA, Inc.	366	59,170
North American Baptist Conference	900	400,000
Progressive National Baptist Conference, Inc.	66	5,005
Second Day Baptist General Conference (USA)	34,303	13,998,212
Southern Baptist Convention	8	543
Union of Lutheran Baptists in America	10,000	10,000
Total for North America	10,000	34,303
South America		
Argentina—The Baptist Union of Argentina, Inc.	608	54,309
Australia—The Baptist Union of New Zealand	5	79
New Zealand—The Baptist Union of New Zealand	467	11,018
Baptist Union of New Zealand	208	18,000
Total for South America	1,079	84,396
GLAUB TOTALS (17) bodies in 93 nations and dependencies:	122,288	16,551,778

It is believed that all the members of this body are also members of other BWA entities and are counted there.

Source: Baptist World Alliance.



FINANCIAL REPORTS FROM RELIGIOUS BODIES IN THE UNITED STATES—1982

Religious Body	Percentage of Total Con- tributions	Per Member Report ¹		
		Total Re- venues	Con- tributions Expenses	Total Con- tributions
American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A.*	14.9%	\$ 24.70	\$140.34	\$165.04
The American Lutheran Church	17.6	32.82	204.46	247.28
Baptist General Conference**	19.2	99.68	418.71	518.39
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)	11.1	29.67	294.91	324.58
Christian and Missionary Alliance	20.4	93.24	662.68	755.92
Church of God (Anderson, Ind.)**	18.3	72.31	323.56	395.87
Church of the Brethren	16.8	92.90	459.68	552.58
Church of the Lutheran Confession	26.8	76.07	201.68	277.75
Church of the Nazarene	18.3	42.41	259.18	301.59
Church of the Nazarene	13.4	68.87	446.34	515.21
Churches of God, General Conference	15.6	63.83	287.28	351.11
Conservative Congregational Christian Conference	21.8	98.99	354.90	453.89
Cumberland Presbyterian Church	12.7	21.64	202.67	224.31
The Episcopal Church	16.3	35.93	271.03	306.96
Evangelical Congregational Church**	20.8	47.63	264.54	312.17
The Evangelical Covenant Church	17.2	108.39	523.83	632.22
Evangelical Lutheran Synod	17.6	40.19	248.47	288.66
Evangelical Menonite Brethren Conference	19.4	496.37	340.33	836.70
Evangelical Menonite Church	16.9	190.90	518.24	709.14
Free Methodist Church of North America	18.7	113.95	640.62	754.57
French United Methodist	20.1	43.72	204.23	247.95
The Latvian Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	10.8	44.27	135.48	179.75
Lutheran Church in America	16.0	38.44	200.14	238.58
Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod	13.9	38.68	236.45	275.13
Menonite Church	34.9	177.55	330.87	508.42
Missionary Church, Inc.	18.8	158.63	685.92	844.55
Missionary Church in America, Northern Province	11.8	25.33	245.24	270.57
Missionary Church in America, Southern Province	22.9	45.44	188.18	233.62
North American Baptist Conference	21.0	107.58	404.89	512.47
Presbyterian Church in America	23.2	138.74	478.06	616.80
Presbyterian Church in the United States	19.9	81.71	128.00	209.71
Reformed Church in America	19.0	56.12	191.42	247.54
Reformed Church in the United States	21.8	56.46	253.63	310.09
Seventh-day Adventists	46.6	493.87	225.75	719.62
Southern Baptist Convention	15.6	34.76	187.84	222.60
United Church of Christ	14.9	30.86	189.44	220.30
The United Methodist Church*	22.6	42.80	186.08	228.88
The United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.	15.9	56.67	300.08	356.75
The Wesleyan Church	18.0	116.03	583.63	700.66
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod	18.8	45.38	258.33	303.71

*1981 figures

**1983 figures

¹Religious bodies with membership of 125,000 or more.

SOURCE: Yearbook of American and Canadian Churches, 1984.

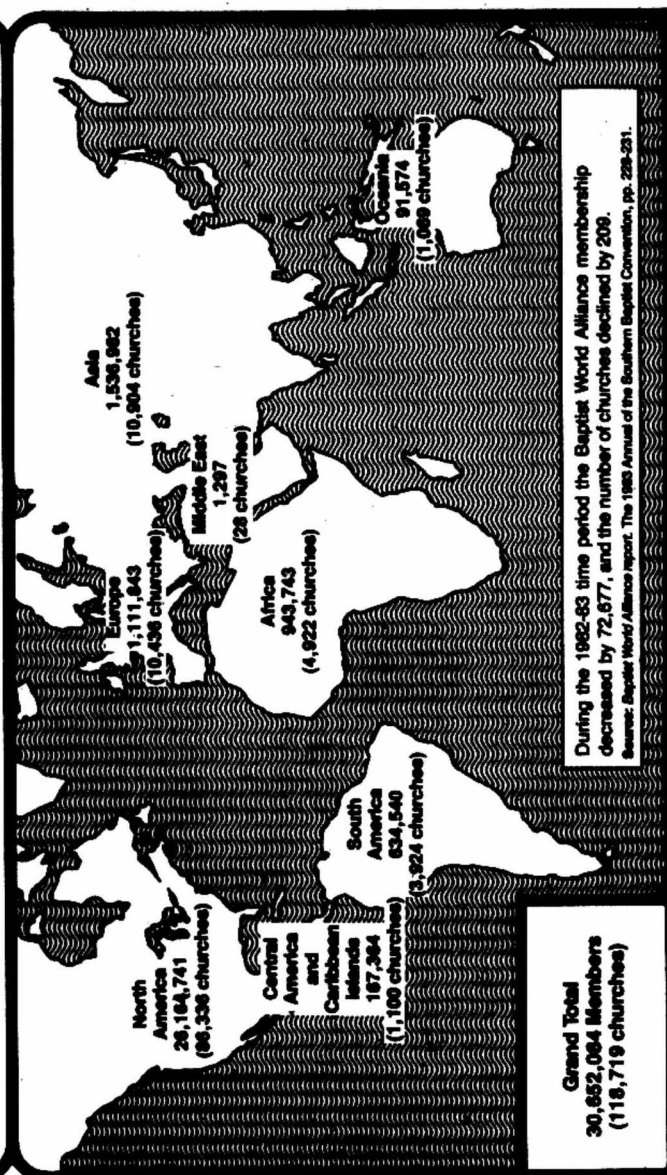
MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS OF LARGER RELIGIOUS BODIES IN THE UNITED STATES¹

Religious Body	Year Reported	No. of Churches	Total Church Membership	Total Members
African Methodist Episcopal Church	1981	6,200	2,210,080	120,800
African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church	1982	6,821	1,134,179	193,181
American Baptist Association	1982	1,641	225,008	—
American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A.	1981	3,939	1,621,795	—
American Lutheran Church, The	1982	4,997	2,346,710	367,164
Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America, The	1977	110	125,000	—
Antiochian Apostolic Church of America	1972	39	125,000	—
American Church of America, Diocese of the (Including Diocese of California)	1979	66	450,000	—
Assemblies of God	1982	10,173	1,879,482	1,421,924
Baptist General Conference	1981	721	1,29,928	96,343
Baptist Missionary Association of America	1982	1,384	226,951	101,613
Christian and Missionary Alliance	1982	1,485	304,711	165,491
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)	1982	4,291	1,156,438	349,715
Christian Churches and Churches of Christ	1981	3,605	1,063,254	—
Christian Methodist Episcopal Church	1981	2,481	284,707	—
Christian Reformed Church in North America	1982	648	223,976	33,016
Church of God (Anderson, Ind.)	1982	2,275	184,685	222,130
Church of God (Cleveland, Tenn.)	1982	3,284	463,992	368,861
Church of God in Christ, The	1982	9,082	3,709,661	2,315,299
Church of God in Christ, International, The	1982	300	200,000	—
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, The	1982	839	3,521,000	3,298,000
Church of the Brethren	1982	1,083	146,844	61,087
Church of the Nazarene	1982	4,902	496,491	811,438
Churches of Christ	1982	12,750	1,605,000	950,000
Community Churches, National Council of	1979	185	190,000	—
Conservative Baptist Association of America	1982	1,140	225,000	—
Episcopal Church, The	1982	7,095	2,794,139	536,372
Free Will Baptists	1982	2,385	243,636	193,333
General Association of Regular Baptist Churches	1981	1,571	300,839	—
Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of North and South America	1977	535	1,950,000	—
Hebrew's Witnesses	1982	7,752	619,138	—
Jews	1982	3,580	5,725,008	—
Lutheran Church in America	1982	5,815	2,925,655	670,578
Lutheran Church Mission Synod, The	1982	3,752	2,630,813	642,885
National Baptist Convention of America	1956	11,198	2,668,799	—
National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc.	1956	26,600	5,500,000	—
National Primitive Baptist Convention, Inc.	1973	406	250,000	—
Orthodox Church in America	1978	440	1,000,000	—
Polish National Catholic Church of America	1982	162	282,411	—
Presbyterian Church in America	1982	797	149,548	74,508
Presbyterian Church in the United States	1982	4,250	814,931	373,256
Progressive National Baptist Convention, Inc.	1982	635	521,692	—
Reformed Church in America	1982	—	346,293	104,320
Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints	1982	1,061	281,400	—
Roman Catholic Church, The	1982	24,071	52,088,774	7,852,311
Salvation Army, The	1982	1,080	419,475	103,304
Seventh-day Adventists	1982	3,626	606,180	448,481
Southern Baptist Convention	1982	36,346	13,991,709	7,069,893
Universalist Association	1982	619	131,844	35,411
United Church of Christ	1982	6,461	1,716,723	477,003
United Methodist Church, The	1981	38,298	9,457,012	—
United Pentecostal Church, International	1982	3,300	465,000	—
United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, The	1982	—	—	—
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod	1982	6,909	2,341,441	803,386
		1,151	412,529	47,208
TOTALS		303,883	135,258,781	31,306,091
PLUS TOTALS OF 161 SMALLER BODIES		38,228	4,344,278	673,829
GRAND TOTALS		342,111	139,603,059	32,080,920

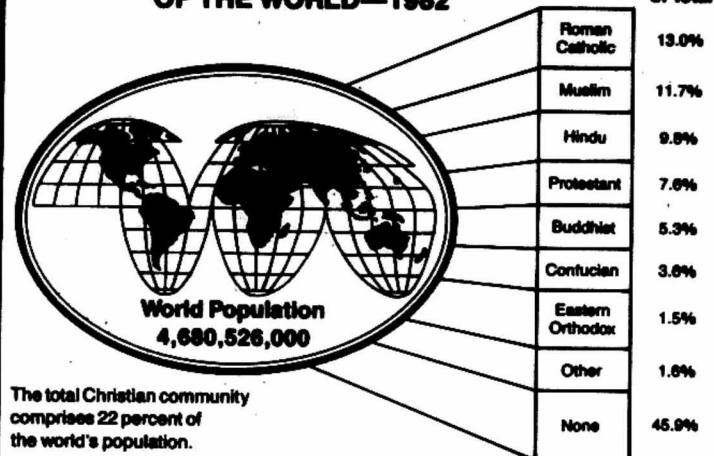
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SOURCE: Yearbook of American and Canadian Churches, 1984.

DISTRIBUTION OF BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE MEMBERSHIP—1983



ESTIMATED PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERSHIP IN MAJOR RELIGIONS OF THE WORLD—1982



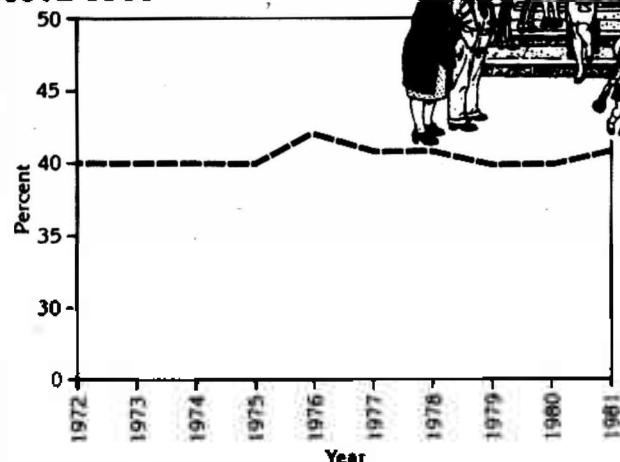
ESTIMATED MEMBERSHIP OF THE PRINCIPAL RELIGIONS OF THE WORLD

Religion	North America	South America	Europe	Asia	Africa	Oceania	World
Total Christian	348,742,300	101,846,180	326,888,700	188,972,700	149,611,900	10,330,700	1,026,170,380
Roman Catholic	154,411,300	108,251,300	179,039,200	85,979,100	54,921,400	5,191,300	688,791,600
Protestant	2,082,200	681,600	49,544,500	2,704,300	1,311,800	494,000	67,697,300
Orthodox	101,140,000	10,388,300	116,882,300	43,212,100	75,989,700	12,922,300	253,541,300
Other	7,286,800	889,500	4,476,800	4,476,800	4,088,600	213,100	16,820,600
Muslim	1,536,900	495,400	30,995,600	379,149,400	136,199,200	96,700	548,073,200
Hindu	7,700	2,800	14,000	234,300	1,000	23,000	257,800
Buddhist	66,000	72,800	38,888,000	38,888,000	38,888,000	38,888,000	146,135,000
Other	107,000	49,700	507,000	167,807,800	3,300	19,400	25,889,000
Confucian	214,100	380,100	188,600	348,833,900	14,600	26,100	1,085,615,000
Other	234,000	673,700	382,500	434,915,000	1,363,800	340,700	437,881,100
Total	348,977,300	195,362,500	363,491,300	1,415,111,600	301,796,400	19,657,400	2,325,324,000
Percentage of total	58.1,818,000	33.7,794,000	758,899,000	2,749,344,000	494,088,000	23,427,800	1,000,536,000

- 1Includes Central America and West Indies.
2Includes the U.S.S.R. and other countries with established Marxist ideology where continuing religious adherence is difficult to estimate.
3Includes areas in which persons have traditionally practiced in several religions, as well as mainland China with a Marxist establishment.
4Includes Australia and New Zealand as well as islands of the South Pacific.
5Includes Coptic Christians, of restricted status in Egypt and periodically situated under the military junta in Ethiopia.
6Percentages vary widely in style of religious affiliation. See World Church Membership.
7Including a great proportion of new churches, sects, and cults among African Christians.
8The chief form of Islam is still ethnic, although missionary work is now carried on in Europe and America. In countries where Islam is established, minority religions are frequently persecuted and accurate statistics are rare.
9A Japanese ethnic religion, Shinto declined rapidly after the Japanese emperor surrendered his claim to divinity (1947); a revival of cultic participation in the homeland had clearly literary significance. Shinto does not survive well outside the homeland.
10Hinduism has produced several renewal movements in the last century which have gained adherents in Europe and America. Although persecuted in Tibet and mountainous districts in Asia, it has shown greater staying power than other religions of the East. It also transplants better.
11Hinduism's strength in India has been enhanced by its connection with the national movement, a phenomenon also observable in the world of Islam. Modern Hinduism has developed several renewal movements that have won adherents in Europe and America.
12United Nations, Department of International Economic and Social Affairs; data refer to midyear 1982.
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Percent of Adults in the United States Attending Church/Synagogue During Average Week 1972-1981



Source: Yearbook of American and Canadian Churches, 1983

DIRECTORY OF CHRISTIAN GROUPS IN UNITED STATES

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Assembly of God: Headquarters, 1445 Bonaville Avenue, Springfield, Missouri 65802; Thomas F. Zimmerman, gen. superintendent.

Baptist Ministry Association: 721 Main Street, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201; Don Collins, president.

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ): Headquarters, 222 South County Avenue, P.O. Box 1906, Indianapolis, Indiana 46206; Kenneth L. Torgerson, general minister and president.

Church of Christ, Scientist: Headquarters, Christian Science Center, Boston, Mass. 02115; Directors: Harvey W. Wood, Mrs. Ruth Elizabeth Jenkins, Hal M. Friesen, Michael B. Thornton, M. Dickinson Rathbone; President, James K. Kyster; Treasurer, Michael A. West; Clerk, Mrs. Beulah M. Kengge.

Churches of Christ: No general organization.

Church of God (Fellowship, Indiana): Paul A. Tanager, executive secretary of the Executive Council; Roscoe Swanson, director of Church Service; David Larson, director of World Service; Box 3430, Anderson 46018.

Church of God (Christians, Tennessee): E. C. Thomas, general overseer; Keith on 25th Street, NW, Cleveland 37311.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Mormons): Headquarters, 47 East South Temple Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84143; Spencer W. Kimball, president.

Church of the Nazarene: Headquarters, 6401 The Pylon, Kato City, Missouri 64131; B. Edgar Johnson, general secretary.

Christian Methodist Episcopal: Headquarters, 1978 Union Ave., Memphis, Tennessee 38108; T. V. Warren, stated clerk.

Episcopal Church: Headquarters, 815 Second Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017; John M. Adair, presiding bishop.

Greek Orthodox Archdiocese: Headquarters, 8-10 East 79th St., New York, N.Y. 10021; His Eminence Archbishop Iakovos, Primate of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of North and South America; President of the Synod of Bishops.

Jewish Congregations: Union of American Hebrew Congregations, Central Body of Reform Judaism in the United States and Canada, 838 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10021; Rabbi Alexander M. Schindler, president.

United Synagogue of America: The Federation of Conservative Synagogues; Marshall Wolfe, President; Rabbi Benjamin Krustman, Executive Vice-President; 155 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10010.

Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America: 43 West 36th Street, New York, New York 10018; Isidore Bernstein, President; Rabbi Pinchas Stolper, Executive Vice-President.

Lutheran Church in America: Headquarters, 231 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017; James R. Crouley, Jr., bishop; Robert T. Swenson, secretary.

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod: Headquarters, 1331 South Kirkwood Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63122; Ralph A. Bollmann, president.

National Association of Free Will Baptists: (Mailing P.O. Box 1008) 1154 Marlensboro Road, Nashville, Tennessee 37280; Melvin Wertheim, executive secretary.

National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc.: 405 E. 31st Street, Chicago, Illinois 60616; J. H. Jackson, president.

Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.): Headquarters, Atlanta and New York; Co-Stated Clerks James E. Andrews, 341 Ponce de Leon Ave., NE, Atlanta, Georgia, 30365 and William P. Thompson, 473 Riverside Rd., New York, New York 10115.

The Roman Catholic Church: National Conference of Catholic Bishops/United States Catholic Conference, 1312 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005; Archbishop John R. Roach, president.

The Salvation Army: National Headquarters, 799 Bloomfield Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07104; Commissioner N. S. Marshall, national commander; Colonel James Osborne, national chief secretary.

Seventh Day Adventist: Headquarters, 6840 Eastern Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20012; Neal C. Wilson, president.

Southern Baptist Convention: 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; Harold C. Brown, executive secretary-treasurer of Executive Committee; Martin B. Bradley, recording secretary of the Convention.

United Church of Christ: 105 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10016; Avery D. Post, president; Carol Joyce Bress, secretary; Charles M. Lockyer, Director of Finance and Insurance.

United Free Will Baptists: Headquarters, 1057 University Street, Kansas City, Mo. 64101; W. L. Jost, general moderator; J. M. Jackson, chairman of executive board, Fayetteville, N.C. 28301.

The United Methodist Church: c/o Perkins School of Theology, Dallas, Texas 75275; J. B. Holt, secretary of General Conference.

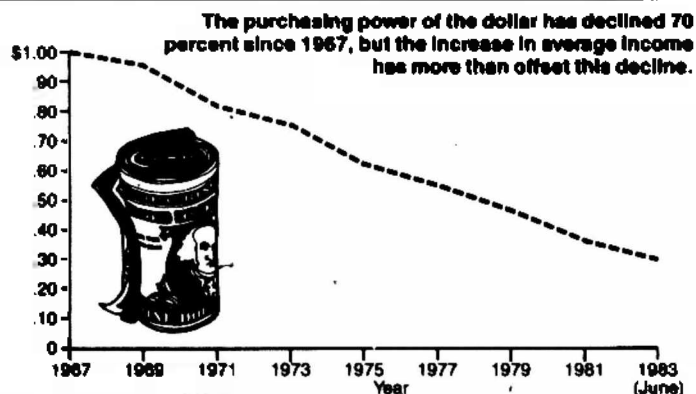
Section III Facts of Interest

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME, BY STATE, 1982 (In Descending Order)

United States		\$11,107			
1. Alaska	\$16,257	18. Oklahoma	\$11,370	35. Indiana	\$10,121
2. District of Columbia	14,550	19. Minnesota	11,175	36. South Dakota	9,886
3. Connecticut	13,748	20. Virginia	11,095	37. Georgia	9,583
4. New Jersey	13,089	21. Florida	10,978	38. Montana	9,580
5. California	12,587	22. Michigan	10,956	39. Vermont	9,507
6. Wyoming	12,372	23. Pennsylvania	10,955	40. New Mexico	9,190
7. New York	12,314	24. Nebraska	10,883	41. North Carolina	9,044
8. Colorado	12,302	25. North Dakota	10,878	42. Maine	9,042
9. Maryland	12,238	26. Iowa	10,791	43. Idaho	9,029
10. Illinois	12,100	27. Wisconsin	10,744	44. Kentucky	8,934
11. Massachusetts	12,088	28. New Hampshire	10,728	45. Tennessee	8,908
12. Nevada	11,981	29. Rhode Island	10,720	46. Utah	8,875
13. Kansas	11,765	30. Ohio	10,677	47. West Virginia	8,788
14. Delaware	11,731	31. Oregon	10,335	48. Alabama	8,649
15. Hawaii	11,852	32. Louisiana	10,231	49. South Carolina	8,502
16. Washington	11,580	33. Arizona	10,173	50. Arkansas	8,478
17. Texas	11,419	34. Missouri	10,170	51. Mississippi	7,778

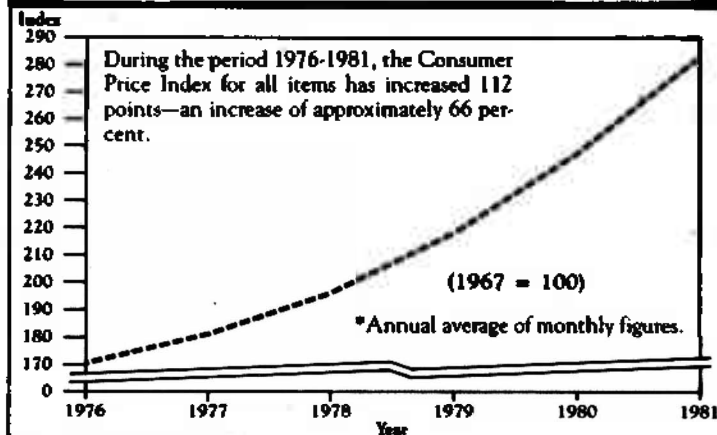
Source: The World Almanac, 1984, p. 118.

Annual Average Purchasing Power of the Dollar Selected Years, 1967-1983



Source: The World Almanac, 1984, p. 58.

AVERAGE* CONSUMER PRICE INDEX 1976-1981



Source: The World Almanac, 1984, p. 57.

Personal Consumption Expenditures for the United States—1982

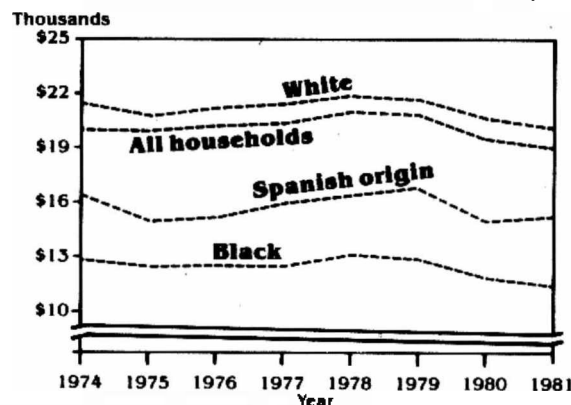


Other Services	22.1%
Other Non-durable Goods	7.7%
Other Durable Goods	2.1%
Furniture and Household Equipment	4.7%
Clothing and Shoes	6.0%
Household Operation	7.2%
Transportation	13.5%
Housing	16.8%
Food	19.9%

In 1982 personal consumption expenditures amounted to \$1,991,900,000,000. This represents a 7.2 percent increase over 1980.

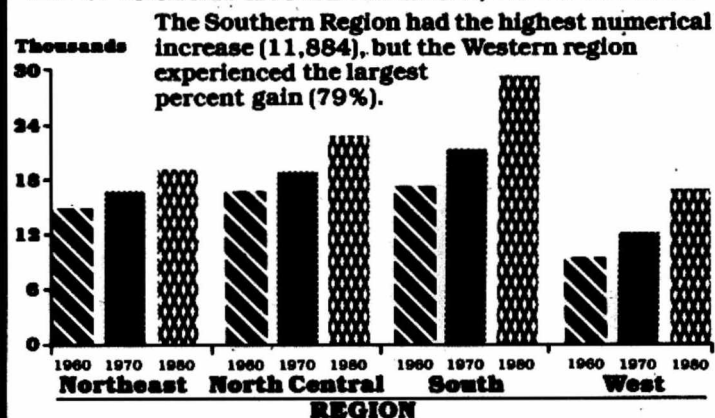
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MEDIAN INCOME OF HOUSEHOLDS IN CONSTANT (1981) DOLLARS, BY RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDS, 1974 TO 1981



Source: Statistical Abstract of the U.S., 1982-83, p. 429

NUMBER OF HOUSING UNITS BY GEOGRAPHICAL REGION, 1960 to 1980



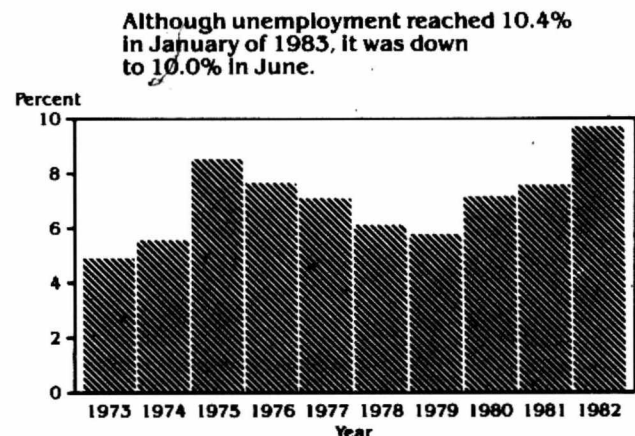
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**INFLATION 1978-1984 (est.)
(Percent Increase in Consumer Prices)**



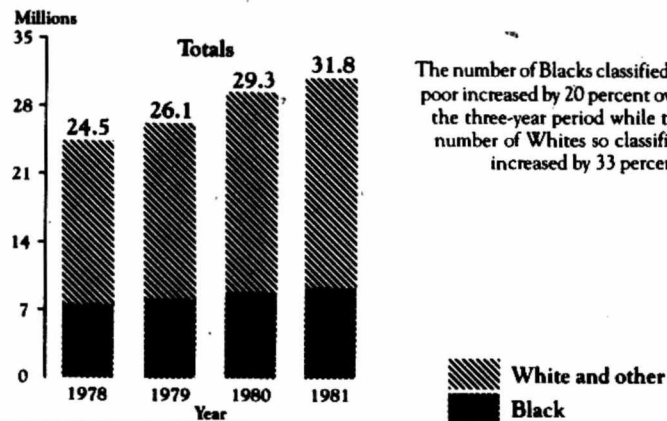
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PERCENT UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE UNITED STATES 1973-1982



Source: The World Almanac, 1984, p. 118

NUMBER OF PERSONS CLASSIFIED AS POOR 1978-1981, U.S., BY RACE

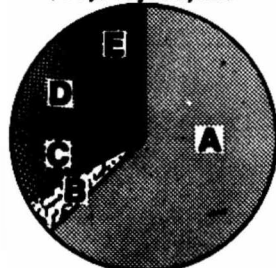


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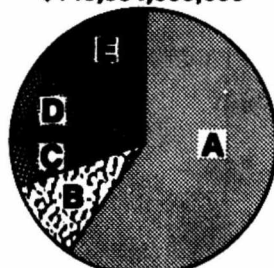
SOCIAL SECURITY

Distribution of Payments by Type Recipient 1960 and 1981

1960
\$11,245,000,000



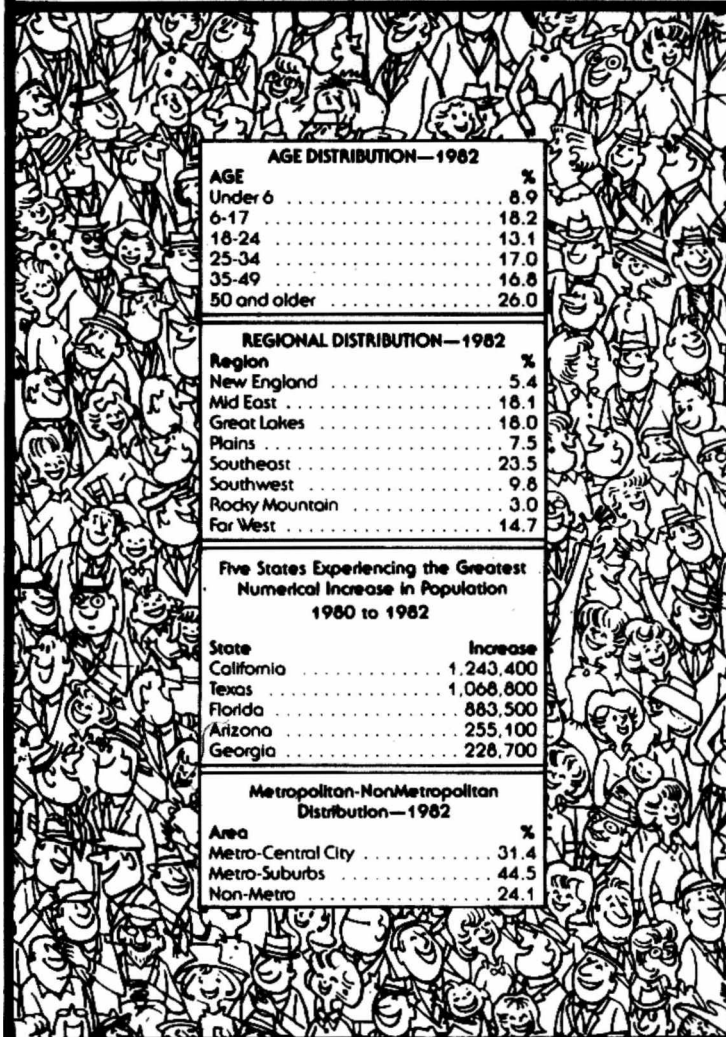
1981
\$140,994,000,000



- A = Retired workers
- B = Disabled workers
- C = Wives and husbands
- D = Widowed mothers and children
- E = Widows, widowers, parents, other

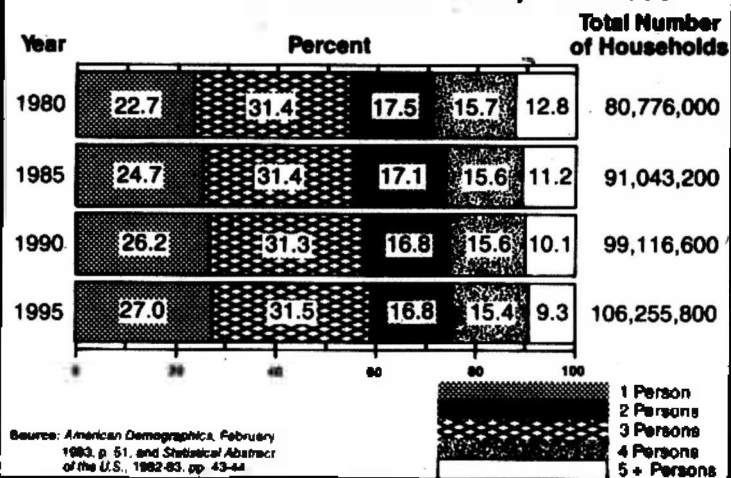
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UNITED STATES POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

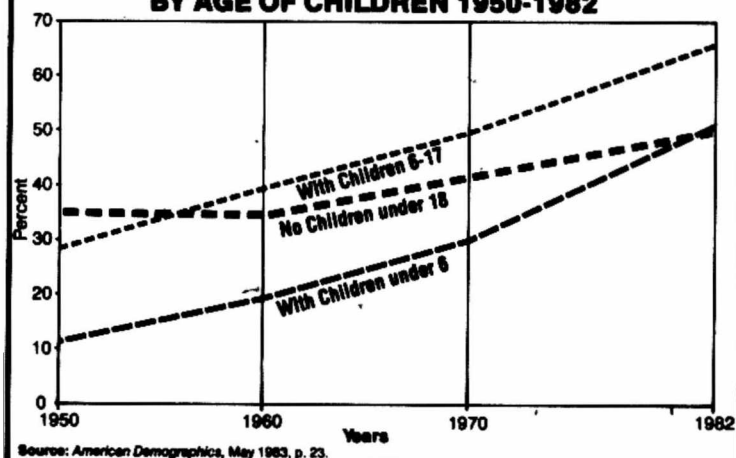


Source: 1983 Survey of Buying Power, pp. A-8, 10, 13, and 14.

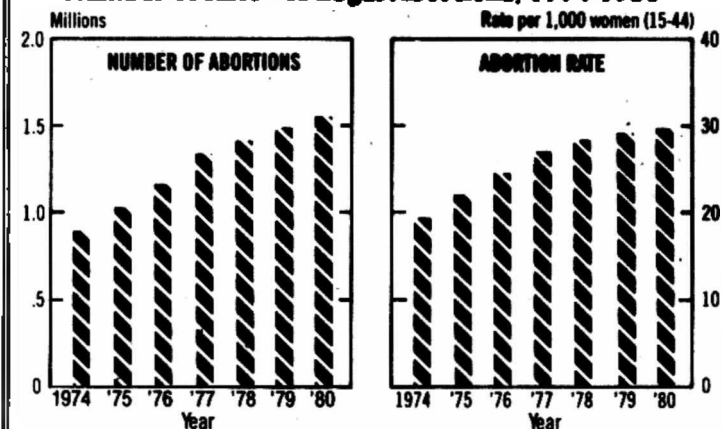
SHARE OF HOUSEHOLDS BY SIZE, 1980-1995



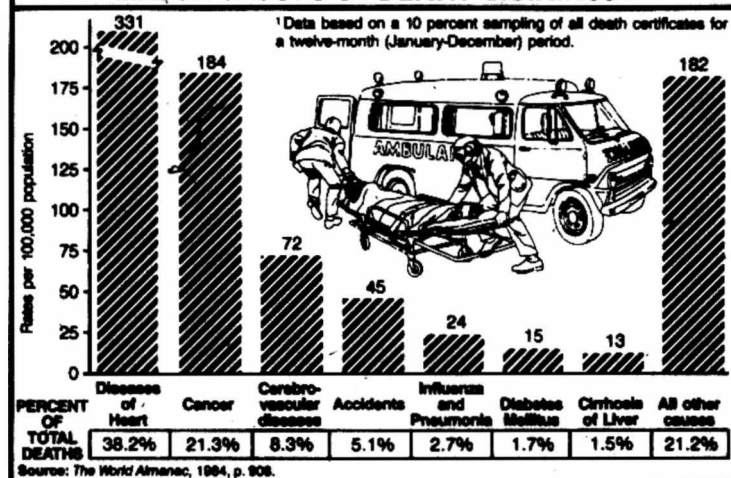
PORTION OF WOMEN IN THE LABOR FORCE BY AGE OF CHILDREN 1950-1982



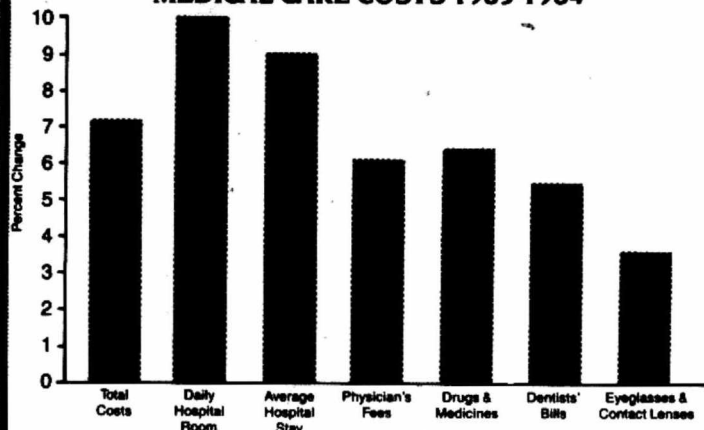
Number of Rate* of Legal Abortions, 1974-1980



MAJOR CAUSES OF DEATH¹ U.S.A. 1981



PROJECTED PERCENTAGE INCREASES IN SELECTED MEDICAL CARE COSTS 1983-1984



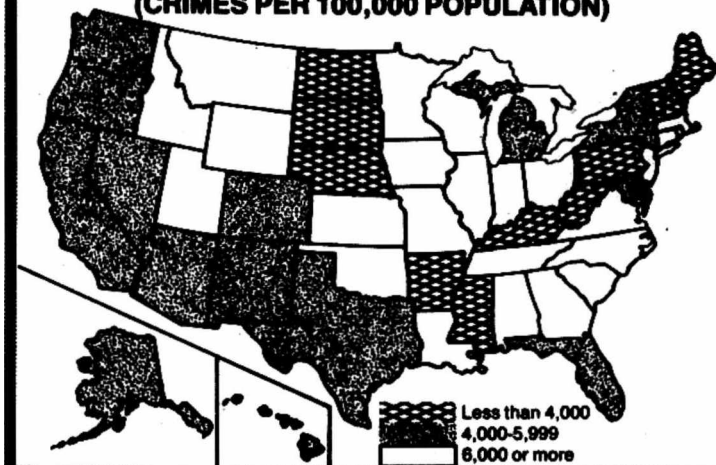
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REGIONS OF THE U.S. RANKED BY RESIDENTS' PERCEPTIONS OF WELL-BEING

Surveys conducted in 1976, 1978, and 1980 were examined to determine how people think about themselves and their lives. Six scales were used to produce the findings. They related to: outlook on life, stress, positive feelings, negative feelings, personal competence, and overall satisfaction. In the map below, the lowest numbers indicate the areas in which the residents would be judged to have the best psychological well-being.

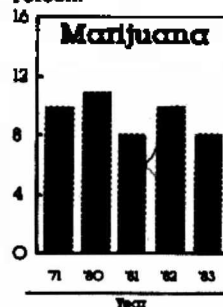


CRIME RATES BY STATE (CRIMES PER 100,000 POPULATION)



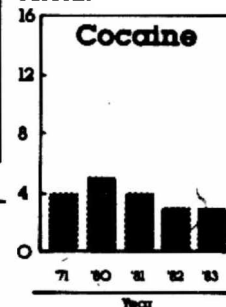
PERCENT OF U.S. POPULATION REPORTING USAGE OF SELECTED DRUGS

Percent

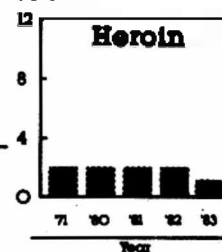


According to a 1982 report, "the economic cost of addiction—health care, days away from work, lost productivity—is over \$100 billion a year."* In addition to influencing the workplace, it also seems to be impacting education. "From 1967 to 1982—the years in which high school drug use soared—SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) verbal scores slumped 40 points and math totals fell 25." In spite of these reports, there seems to be some indication from Monitor data that overall usage of these particular drugs has declined between 1971 and 1983.

Percent



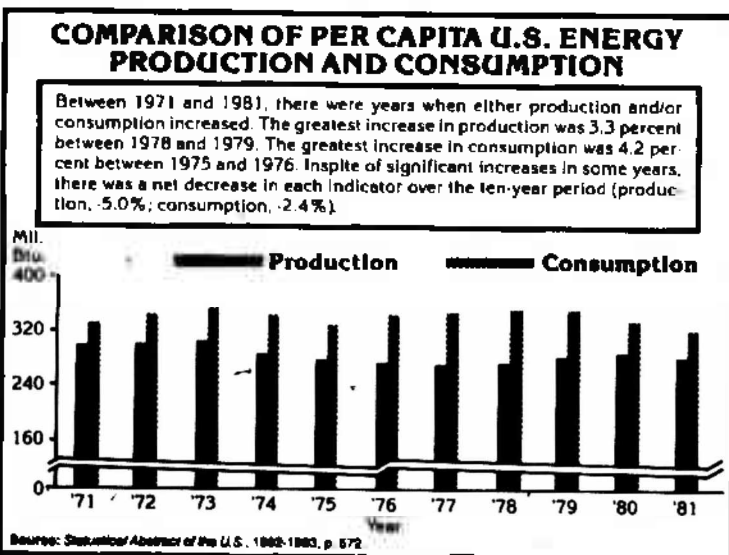
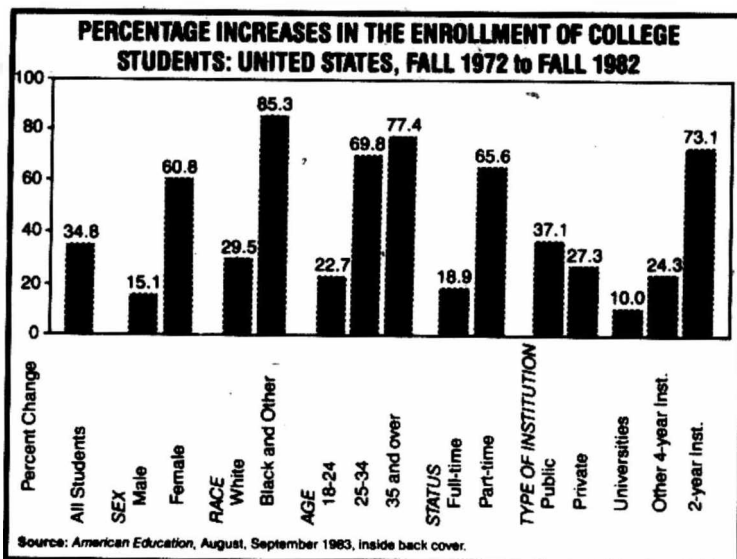
Percent



Source: 1 1983 MONITOR

2 Reader's Digest, August, 1983, p. 140.

3 U.S. News & World Report, May 16, 1983, p. 58.



Section IV

Southern Baptist Directories

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

James T. Draper, Jr., President, Dallas, Texas
 1984 session: June 12-14, Kansas City, Missouri
 1985 session: June 11-13, Dallas, Texas
 1986 session: June 10-12, Atlanta, Georgia
 1987 session: June 16-18, St. Louis, Missouri
 1988 session: June 14-16, San Antonio, Texas
 1989 session: June 13-15, Las Vegas, Nevada
 1990 session: June 12-14, New Orleans, Louisiana

SBC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219
 Harold C. Bennett, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, Tel. (615) 244-2355.

GENERAL BOARDS

Annuity Board: 511 North Akard, Dallas, Texas 75201; Darold H. Morgan, President; Tel. (214) 720-0511.
Foreign Mission Board: 3806 Monument Avenue, P.O. Box 6767, Richmond, Virginia 23230; R. Keith Parks, President; Tel. (804) 353-0151.
Home Mission Board: 1350 Spring Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30367; William G. Tanner, President; Tel. (404) 873-4041.
Sunday School Board: 127 Ninth Avenue, North, Nashville, Tennessee 37234; Lloyd Elder, President; Tel. (615) 251-2000.

INSTITUTIONS

Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary: Strawberry Point, Mill Valley, California 94941; Franklin D. Polard, President; Tel. (415) 388-8080.

Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary: 5001 North Oak Street Trafficway, Kansas City, Missouri 64118; Milton Ferguson, President; Tel. (816) 453-4600.

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary: 3939 Gentilly Boulevard, New Orleans, Louisiana 70126; Landrum P. Leavell, II, President; Tel. (504) 282-4455.

Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary: Wake Forest, North Carolina 27587; W. Randall Lolley, President; Tel. (919) 556-3101.

The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary: 2825 Lexington Road, Louisville, Kentucky 40280; Roy L. Honeycutt, President; Tel. (502) 897-4011.

Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary: Box 22000(3A), Fort Worth, Texas 76122; Russell Dilday, President; Tel. (817) 923-1921.

Seminary External Education Division: 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; Raymond M. Rigdon, Executive Director; E. Lee Hallaway, Communications Director; Paul E. Robertson, Director of Extension Center Education; Royce A. Rose, Director of Independent Study Education; Michael D.

Johnson, Director, Seminary Studies Department; Tel. (615) 242-2453.

Southern Baptist Foundation: 202 SBC Building, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; **Hollis E. Johnson, III**, Executive Secretary-Treasurer; Tel. (615) 254-8823.

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Southern Baptist Commission on the American Baptist Theological Seminary: Room 318, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; **Arthur L. Walker, Jr.**, Secretary-Treasurer; Tel. (615) 244-2362.

Brotherhood Commission: 1548 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee 38104; **James H. Smith**, President; Tel. (901) 272-2461.

The Christian Life Commission: 300 SBC Building, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; **Foy Valentine**, Executive Director; Tel. (615) 244-2495.

Education Commission: 318 SBC Building, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; **Arthur L. Walker, Jr.**, Executive Director-Treasurer; Tel. (615) 244-2362.

Historical Commission: 127 Ninth Avenue, North, Nashville, Tennessee 37234; **Lynn E. May, Jr.**, Executive Director; Tel. (615) 251-2660.

The Radio and Television Commission: 6350 West Freeway, Fort Worth, Texas 76150; **Jimmy R. Allen**, President; Tel. (817) 737-4011.

Stewardship Commission: 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37219; **A. R. Fagan**, Executive Director-Treasurer; Tel. (615) 244-2303.

STANDING COMMITTEE

Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs: 200 Maryland Avenue, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002; **James M. Dunn**, Executive Director-Treasurer; Tel. (202) 544-4226.

ASSOCIATED ORGANIZATIONS

Woman's Missionary Union: P.O. Box C-80, Birmingham, Alabama 35283-0010; **Carolyn Weatherford**, Executive Director; Tel. (205) 322-6511.

Baptist World Alliance: 1628 Sixteenth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009; **Gerhard Claus**, General Secretary; Tel. (202) 265-5027.

American Bible Society: 1865 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10023; **Alice E. Ball**, General Secretary; **John D. Erickson**, General Secretary; **Charles W. Baas**, Treasurer; Tel. (212) 581-7400.

DIRECTORY—STATE CONVENTIONS

State	Name of State Body	Address	State President	Executive Secretary	Assistant, Assistant Sec. or Associate Secretary
AL	Alabama Baptist State Convention	P.O. Box 11870 Montgomery 36101	1923	A. Earl Ross Ph. (205) 232-1001	
AK	Alaska Baptist Convention	1750 O'Malley Road Anchorage 99516	1946	John H. Allen Ph. (907) 344-0937	
AZ	Arizona Southern Baptist Convention	400 West Camelback Road Phoenix 85011	1928	Jack D. Johnson Ph. (602) 344-0421	Wendell F. Freese
AR	Arkansas Baptist State Convention	P.O. Box 552 Little Rock 72203	1848	Dan Moore Ph. (501) 776-4791	L. L. Collins
CA	The Southern Baptist General Convention of California	P.O. Box 3108 Fresno 93755	1946	Robert D. Hughes Ph. (209) 238-0933	Woodell Ross Ralph Longshore B. D. McCarty
CO	Colorado Baptist General Convention	7301 S. Allen Way Englewood 80113	1956	Dan C. Briggs Ph. (303) 771-2401	
D.C.	District of Columbia Baptist Convention	1628 16th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20039	1873	James A. Langley Ph. (202) 264-1526	
FL	Florida Baptist Convention	228 Hendricks Avenue Jacksonville 32207	1854	Dan C. Briggs Ph. (904) 366-2354	J. C. Walters
GA	The Baptist Convention of the State of Georgia	2930 Holmes Road, South Atlanta 30314	1822	Bates H. Griffith Ph. (404) 455-6834	Edwin E. Clifton
HI	Hawaii Baptist Convention	3041 Nimitz Drive Honolulu 96822	1943	Dan C. Briggs Ph. (808) 946-9581	
IL	Illinois Baptist State Association	Box 3486 Springfield 62708	1907	Ernest E. Minkley Ph. (217) 786-2831	James S. Croyson
IN	State Convention of Baptists in Indiana	600 W. High School Road Indianapolis 46224	1958	R. V. Haggard Ph. (317) 241-8317	B. J. Wagon
KS	The Kansas-Nebbraska Convention of Southern Baptists	5410 West Seventh Street Topeka, Kansas 66608	1946	R. R. Limbus Ph. (913) 273-6880	
KY	Kentucky Baptist Convention	P.O. Box 43433 Madisonville 40423	1837	William Marshall Ph. (502) 245-4101	Berry O. Allen A. B. Collins James H. Whaley Freeman C. Kerr
LA	Louisiana Baptist Convention	P.O. Box 311 Baton Rouge 70801	1848	Robert L. Lee Ph. (504) 444-1802	
MD	Baptist Convention of Maryland	1313 York Road Lutherville 21093	1836	Kenneth B. Lytle Ph. (301) 321-7800	Colton Smith Neil Wilson
MI	Baptist State Convention of Michigan	15633 W. Twelve Mile Southfield 48076	1953	Ph. (313) 557-4288	
MS	Mississippi Baptist Convention	P.O. Box 530 Jackson 39205	1836	Earl Kelly Ph. (601) 968-1804	
MO	Missouri Baptist Convention	400 E. High Jefferson City 65101	1834	R. L. Smith Ph. (314) 625-7901	
MT	Northern Plains Baptist Convention	P.O. Box 1576 Rapid City, SD 57709	1968	Roy W. Olson Ph. (605) 363-5572	Mrs. Charles Highman
NE	Nebraska Baptist Convention	899 North Center Street Omaha 68101	1978	Ernest B. Myers Ph. (402) 322-0895	
NM	The Baptist Convention of New Mexico	P.O. Box 485 Albuquerque 87103	1912	Charles O'Brien Ph. (505) 247-8106	
NY	The Baptist Convention of New York	500 South Salina Street Syracuse 13203	1964	Rob D. Gresham Ph. (315) 475-8173	R. Quinn Pugh
NC	Baptist State Convention of North Carolina	P.O. Box 28508 Raleigh 27611	1830	Roy J. Smith Ph. (919) 467-5100	
OH	State Convention of Baptists in Ohio	1680 East Broad Street Columbus 43202	1954	Del D. Bonham Ph. (614) 258-8491	Orville H. Grillo
OK	Baptist General Convention of the State of Oklahoma	1141 North Robinson Oklahoma City 73103	1906	Bar L. Johnson Ph. (405) 234-4341	Lytle Carlson
OR	Northwest Baptist Convention	1033 N.E. 6th Avenue Portland, Oregon 97232	1948	Cecil C. Sims Ph. (503) 283-4545	
PA-SI	Baptist Convention of the Pennsylvania-South Jersey General Board of South	4628 Hefsey Street Harrisburg, Pa. 17109-2895	1979	Elvis M. Bush Ph. (717) 652-3856	
SC	Carolina Baptist Convention	607 Buckland Street Columbia 29201-2390	1821	Ray P. Ross Ph. (803) 745-0830	Thom T. Merrill G. C. Watson
TN	Tennessee Baptist Convention	P.O. Box 347 Brentwood 37021	1874	Thomson J. Mackley Ph. (615) 373-2255	Ed Schenckelkopf
TX	Baptist General Convention of Texas	Salter 1530, 514 N. Akard Bldg Dallas 75204	1848	William M. Pinnock, Jr. Ph. (214) 741-1901	
UT-ID	Utah Idaho Southern Baptist Convention	P.O. Box 1839 Sandy, UT 84091	1964	Darwin B. Welch Ph. (801) 255-3565	Anna Lemke
VA	Baptist General Association of Virginia	5101 Monument Avenue P.O. Box 4546 Richmond 23226	1823	R. M. Shepherdson Ph. (804) 282-9751	John C. Ivins
WV	West Virginia Convention of Southern Baptists	801 Sixth Avenue St. Albans 25177	1970	Thomas E. Mahall Ph. (304) 327-2974	
WY	Wyoming Southern Baptist Convention	Box 3076 Casper 82401	1964	William M. Pinnock, Jr. Ph. (307) 472-4067	

STATE PAPERS—1983

State Convention	Name of Paper	Editor	Business Manager	Circulation	Subscription Per Year	Frequency Issued	Date Published
AL	The Alabama Baptist 1310 Independence Drive Birmingham 35209	Hudson Baggett		161,330	\$5.25	Weekly	1835
AK	Alaska Baptist Messenger Box 100, A. Box 1791 Anchorage 99507	John H. Allen		2,500	\$4.00	Monthly	1945
AZ	Desert Baptist 400 W. Camelback Road Phoenix 85013	Wendell F. Freese		13,000	\$5.00	36 issues annually	1940
AR	Arkansas Baptist P.O. Box 552 Little Rock 72203	J. Everett Saeed	J. Everett Saeed	60,000	\$6.36	Weekly	1902
CA	The California Southern Baptist P.O. Box 5188 Fresno 93755	Herb Hollinger	Herb Hollinger	24,000	\$7.95	Twice monthly	1941
CO	Rocky Mountain Baptist Denver 80222	Don L. Turner	Don L. Turner	9,500	\$5.00	Weekly	1956
DC	Capital Baptist 1625 16th Street, N.W. Washington 20009	James A. Langley	James A. Langley	9,000	\$5.00	Bi-weekly	1954
FL	Florida Baptist Witness 1230 Hendricks Avenue Jacksonville 32207	Edgar R. Cooper	Melvyn Mizelle (Assistant Editor)	92,000	\$5.25	Weekly	1884
GA	The Christian Index 2730 Powers Road, South Atlanta 30341	Jack U. Harwell	Jack U. Harwell	105,000	\$6.00	Weekly	1822
HI	The Hawaii Baptist 2042 Vancouver Drive Honolulu 96822	Sue Nishikawa	Joan Carey	3,000	\$4.00	Monthly	1947
IL	Indiana Baptist Box 3480 Springfield 62708	Robert J. Hastings	Elmer M. Taylor (Editorial Advisor)	54,000	\$6.00	Weekly	1907
IN	Indiana Baptist P.O. Box 24189 Indianapolis 46224	David Simpson	David Simpson	8,500	\$6.00	Weekly	1959
KS-NE	Kansas Baptist P.O. Box 330 Topeka, KS 66608	John F. Hopkins	John F. Hopkins	7,300	\$2.50	Twice monthly	1955
KY	Kentucky Baptist P.O. Box 43401 Louisville 40243	C. R. Daley	C. R. Daley	56,123	\$4.50	Weekly	1826
LA	The Baptist Messenger P.O. Box 311 Alexandria 71301	Lynn P. Clayton	Lynn P. Clayton	70,000	\$6.75	Weekly	1921
MD	The Maryland Baptist P.O. Box 1003 Lutherville 21093	W. Fletcher Allen	W. Fletcher Allen	18,000	\$4.35	Weekly	1849
MI	Michigan Baptist Advocate 15615 W. Twelve Mile Road Southfield 48070	Robert B. Wilson	Robert B. Wilson	9,100	\$2.50	Monthly	1957
MS	The Baptist Record P.O. Box 530 Jackson 39202	Donald T. McGee	Donald T. McGee	127,000	\$7.35	Weekly	1877
MO	Word and Way 400 E. High Street Jefferson City 65101	Bobby S. Terry	Bobby S. Terry	61,000	\$5.80	Weekly	1895
NY	Nevada Baptist Box 653 Reno 89513	Michael B. McCullough	Michael B. McCullough	2,675	\$1.00	Monthly	1979
NH	Baptist New England Box 485 Albany 87103	J. B. Fowler, Jr.	J. B. Fowler, Jr.	17,000	\$4.50	Weekly	1909
NY	The New York Baptist 900 S. State Street Syracuse 13202	H. Quinn Pugh	David Lucin	4,000	\$2.00	Monthly	1969
NC	Albany Recorder P.O. Box 26568 Raleigh 27611	R. G. Puckett	R. G. Puckett	115,000	\$7.00	Weekly	1833
Northern Plains	Northern Plains Baptist Box 1278 Bapid City, SD 57709	Roy W. Owen	Joan Highlan	3,800	\$3.50	Monthly	1970
Northwest	Northwest Baptist Witness 1003 N.E. 6th Ave. Portland, Oregon 97232	Carol Rabinson (Editor)		15,400	\$4.00	Semi-monthly	1931
OH	Ohio Baptist Messenger 1080 E. Broad Columbus 43203	Thos. E. Sommerkamp	Thos. E. Sommerkamp	12,000	\$3.50	36 issues annually	1952
OK	Okla. Baptist 1141 N. Robinson Oklahoma City 73103	Richard T. McCutney	Richard T. McCutney	114,032	\$4.00	Weekly	1912
PA-South Jersey	Penn-Jersey Baptist 4630 Peachtree Street Norfolk, Va. 23509	Ellis M. Bush	Ellis M. Bush	6,000	\$1.00	Monthly	1971
SC	Baptist Courier P.O. Box 2168 Clemson 29632	John E. Roberts	John E. Roberts	123,080	\$7.00	Weekly	1969
TN	Baptist and Reformer P.O. Box 347 Memphis 38102	Alvin C. Shackelford	Alvin C. Shackelford	79,000	\$5.85	Weekly	1835
TX	Desert Baptist P.O. Box 236330 Dallas 75286	Prentiss H. Wood	John A. Welch	362,671	\$7.50	Weekly	1888
UT-ID	Utah-Idaho Southern Baptist P.O. Box 1039 Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814	Darwin E. Welsh	Anne Lemke	2,931	\$1.50	Monthly	1965
VA	Southwest Baptist P.O. Box 5377 Richmond 23226	Julian H. Pomeroy	Julian H. Pomeroy	37,300	\$7.75	Weekly	1828
WV	The West Virginia Baptist 101 6th Avenue In. Adams 25177	Jackman Wall		6,600	No charge	Monthly	1970

BAPTIST STATE ASSEMBLIES

State Convention	Name	Location	1983 Dates	Telephone
AL	Shoreline Baptist Assembly	Tallapoosa	All year	(205) 362-4151
AK	Griffin Baptist Assembly	Wadsworth	All year	(907) 344-0627
AR	Arkansas Baptist Assembly	Silvan Springs	All year except December, January, and February	(501) 376-4794
AZ	Paradise Valley Baptist Conference Center	Phoenix	All year	(602) 445-8141
CA	James Park Baptist Assembly	Seaside	All year	(209) 965-3725
CO	Rocky Mountain Southern Baptist Assembly	Longmont	All year	(303) 461-5662
FL	Blue Springs Baptist Assembly	Marianna	All year	(904) 526-3676
	Lake Yale Baptist Assembly	Landrum	All year	(804) 557-5050
GA	West Florida Baptist Assembly	Panama City	All year	(904) 871-3812
	Georgia Baptist Assembly	Toccoa	All year	(404) 886-5133
	Norman Baptist Assembly	Norman Park	All year	(912) 766-2041
	Camp Glynn	Brunswick	All year	(912) 265-9379
	Camp Ponce	Clayton	May-September	(404) 782-3232
HI	Pu'u Kahua Baptist Assembly	Waianae	All year—Pu'u Kahua Conference Center	(808) 996-3467
IL	Lake Salem	Packardville	All year	(618) 336-5772
	Shoreline Camp and Retreat Center	Shoreline	All year	(615) 672-6884
IN	Highland Lakes Baptist Center	Martinsville	All year	(317) 996-3757
KS-NE	Whisper Conference Center	Salina, KS	All year	(913) 275-4880
KY	Confessors Baptist Assembly	Baptist	All year	(502) 747-8911
LA	Jefferson Creek Baptist Assembly	Hardin	All year	(504) 524-4355
MD	Tall Timbers Baptist Conference Center	Ford Hall	All year	(301) 445-4797
MI	Skyview Baptist Assembly	Midlandtown	All year	(313) 293-2382
MS	Bonnie Lake Baptist Assembly and Conference Center	Stennis	All year	(601) 275-5644
	Camp Garyways (WMAU)	Clanton	All year	(601) 924-5082
	Quilford Baptist Assembly	Headum Post, Pavi Christian	All year	(601) 452-7261
	Central Hills Baptist Retreat	Escalante	Summer	(801) 286-0736
MO	Wanderlust Baptist Assembly	Beach	All year	(314) 346-2395
NH	Island Youth Camp	Tisbury	June 6-August 29	(508) 844-2410
NC	South Baptist Camp	Chapel Hill	All year	(919) 947-1538
	Camp Carvers	Ashburn	June 13-August 15	(919) 626-2374
	Camp Josephs Villa	Ashburn	June 15-August 14	(919) 625-4828
	North Carolina Baptist Assembly	Southport	June 15-August 15	(919) 726-9051
	Trent Camp	Hayesville	June 15-July 23	(704) 399-8828
OH	Southern Lake Baptist Assembly	Seasideville	All year	(614) 465-5751
OK	Palm Creek Conference Center	Davis	July 11-August 12	(405) 369-2101
	Camp Hanks	McAlester	July 18-August 31	(918) 423-0831
	Indian Falls Baptist Assembly	Davis	June 30-July 31	(405) 369-2101
	Camp Henry Charles	Davis	June 8-July 23	(405) 369-3219
	Spanish Assembly	Davis	June 13-17	(405) 369-2101
	Deaf Assembly	Davis	July 25-31	(405) 369-3101
SC	Camp La Vie (WMAU)	White Oak	June 3-August 15	(803) 635-6606
	McCall Royal Ambassador Camp	Sumter	June 7-August 20	(803) 878-6025
	White Oak Conference Center	White Oak	All year	(803) 635-6606
TN	Camp Carson Baptist Assembly	Newport	All year	(615) 625-2784
	Camp Linden Baptist Assembly	Linden	All year	(615) 589-2622
TX	Alto Pine Baptist Encampment	Leakey	All year	(512) 232-5271
	Aspen Baptist Encampment	Cloudcroft, NM	individually operated	(505) 862-2895
	Big Country Baptist Assembly	Lander	by either an individual	(915) 228-4542
	Camp Copas Baptist Encampment	Denton	status or area. If you	(817) 382-9984
	Chaparral Baptist Assembly	Irving Park	would like specific	(817) 825-4182
	Circle Six Ranch Baptist Camp	Stanton	dates for any camp,	(915) 438-3467
	East Texas Baptist Encampment	Newton	please call this camp	(409) 776-2777
	Heart of Texas Baptist Encampment	Brownwood	most of these camps	(915) 784-0821
	Highland Lakes Baptist Encampment	Spicewood	are open all year.	(512) 384-1777
	High Plains Baptist Assembly	Canyon		(806) 499-5429
	Lake Lovett Baptist Encampment	McKinney		(214) 736-2273
	Lake Tuley Baptist Encampment	Livestock		(806) 563-4644
	Lakeview Baptist Assembly	Lower Star		(214) 856-3871
	Latham Spring Baptist Encampment	Agua Fria		(817) 694-5886
	Meadow Baptist Encampment	Chico		(915) 392-2569
	Mountain Baptist Assembly	Cedar Hill		(214) 291-7156
	Panama Baptist Assembly	Junction		(915) 436-2775
	Texas Baptist Encampment, Palacios	Palacios		(512) 972-2717
	Parson Baptist Encampment	Wellington		(806) 447-2827
	Peach Creek Baptist Assembly	New Comer		(713) 554-3865
	Phrynosaurus Baptist Encampment	Woodlake		(809) 642-1723
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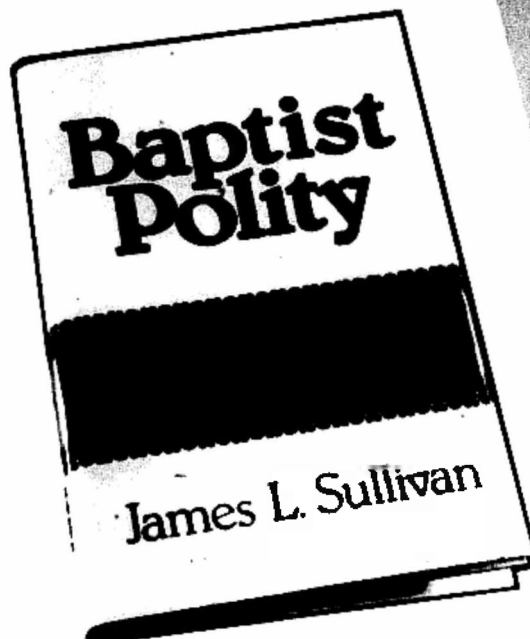
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