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Southern Baptist Highlights

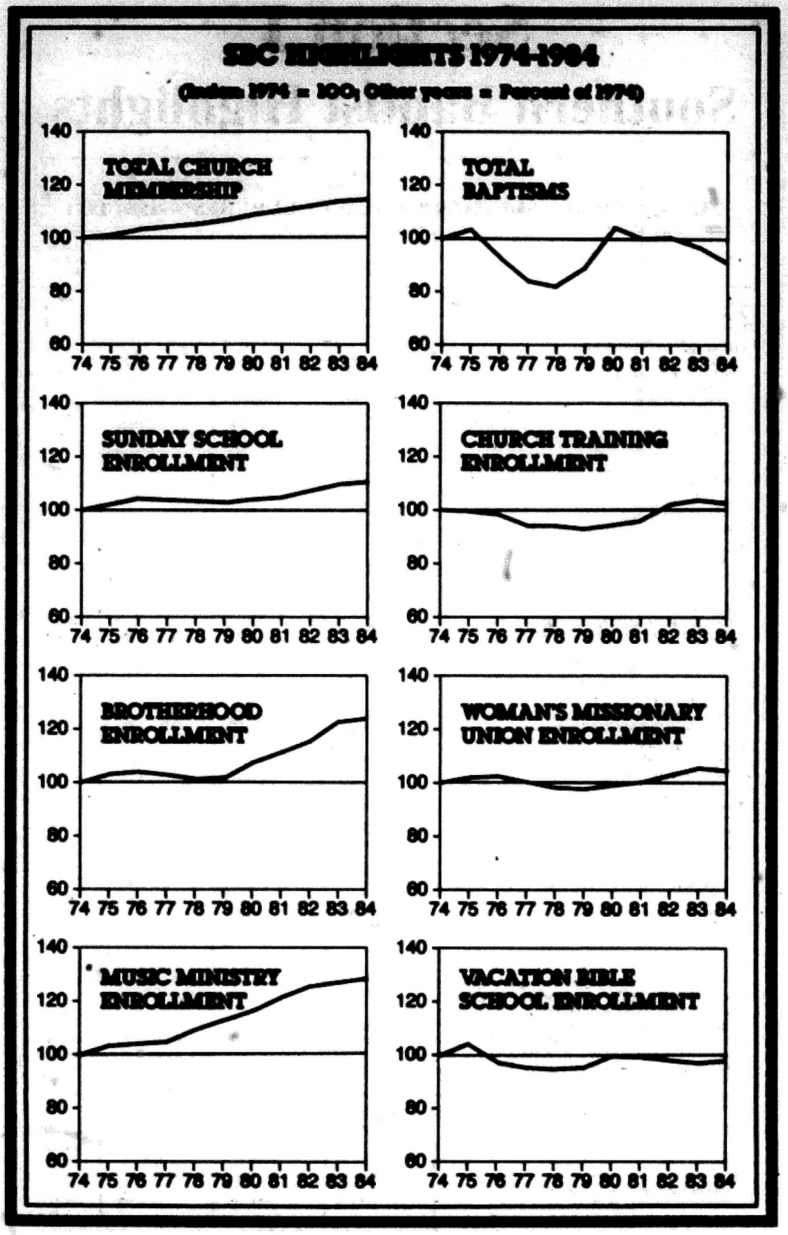
THE RECORD OF SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCHES*—1984-1983

	1984	1983	Gain or loss	Percent Gain or loss
State Conventions	37	34	3	8.8
Associations	1,215	1,214	1	0.1
Churches with Pastor	32,700	32,777	−77	−0.2
CHURCHES AND MEMBERSHIP				
Churches	36,740	36,531	209	0.6
Nonresident Members	4,098,950	4,023,706	75,244	1.9
Resident Members	10,250,707	10,161,748	88,959	0.9
Total Membership	14,349,657	14,185,454	164,203	1.2
Churches with Baptisms	29,850	30,060	−210	−0.7
Baptisms	372,028	394,606	−22,578	−5.7
Baptism Rate per 100 Enrolled in Sunday School	4.7	5.0	−0.3	−6.0
Additions by Letter	507,544	507,424	120	0.0
Open Country and Village Churches	17,903	18,102	−199	−1.1
Town	4,109	4,052	57	1.4
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	3,621	3,573	48	1.3
City (10,000-49,999 pop.)	5,475	5,286	189	3.6
City (50,000 or more pop.)	5,632	5,518	114	2.1
Full-time Preaching (AM and PM every Sunday)	33,010	32,799	211	0.6
SUNDAY SCHOOLS				
Churches with Sunday Schools	35,692	35,563	129	0.4
Sunday School Ongoing Enrollment	7,857,337	7,815,443	41,894	0.5
Vacation Bible School Enrollment	3,249,777	3,244,355	5,422	0.2
CHURCH TRAINING				
Churches with Church Training Enrollment	23,041	23,032	9	0.0
Total Church Training Ongoing Enrollment	1,972,907	1,987,390	−14,483	−0.7
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNIONS				
Churches with Organizations	25,517	25,391	126	0.5
Enrollment of all Organizations[1]	1,169,630	1,175,354	−5,724	−0.5
BROTHERHOODS				
Churches with Brotherhoods	18,841	18,636	205	1.1
Brotherhood Ongoing Enrollment	568,383	565,349	3,034	0.5
MUSIC MINISTRY				
Churches with Music Ministry Enrollment	29,536	29,246	290	1.0
Music Ministry Ongoing Enrollment	1,667,385	1,656,764	10,621	0.6
GIFTS				
Total Receipts[2]	$ 3,665,735,085	$3,370,450,615	$ 295,284,470	8.8
Total Gifts	$ 3,437,112,245	$3,165,237,965	$ 271,874,280	8.6
Per Capita Total Gifts	$ 239.53	$ 223.13	$ 16.40	7.3
Mission Expenditures	$ 568,059,173	$ 529,283,289	$ 38,775,884	7.3
Per Capita Mission Expenditures	$ 39.59	$ 37.31	$ 2.28	6.1
Cooperative Program Receipts Reported by States	$ 290,560,432	$ 272,571,144	$ 17,989,288	6.6
Cooperative Program Receipts Going to SBC Causes[3]	$ 108,822,233	$ 102,313,308	$ 6,508,925	6.4
Churches Giving to Missions	34,844	34,687	157	0.5
Number of Tithers Reported	1,642,409	1,651,221	−8,812	−0.5

[1]Includes campus BYW as well as church statistics.
[2]Includes small amounts of income from rent, rentals, etc.
[3]Figures in this column are supplied by the Executive Committee, SBC.
*The 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 each of those respective autonomous Baptist bodies.

BAPTIST STUDENT MINISTRIES 1984-1983

	1984	1983	Gain or loss	Percent Gain or loss
Number Campuses with Student Ministries	1,141	1,165	−24	−2.1
Number of Students Involved	155,070	158,630	−3,560	−2.2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(Index 1974 = 100; Other years = Percent of 1974)
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140
120
100
80
60
74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84

SUMMARY OF CHURCHES BY STATE CONVENTIONS*—1984

SBC and State Conventions	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
SBC	1,215	36,740	372,028	507,344	10,250,707	14,349,657	7,857,337	3,249,777	1,972,597	1,169,630	568,383	1,667,385	$3,665,735,085	$3,437,112,345	$968,699,173
Alabama	75	3,043	23,150	33,057	740,622	1,012,531	571,300	241,657	219,957	92,605	57,075	131,961	235,830,500	226,052,220	34,040,879
Alaska	4	41	636	927	8,556	16,187	7,460	2,577	2,515	1,304	688	1,523	5,468,500	5,315,000	1,025,396
Arizona	14	250	4,783	5,898	74,497	113,891	65,194	28,517	16,360	7,104	4,504	9,850	31,123,695	29,792,500	4,029,360
Arkansas	42	1,289	13,202	17,791	316,490	486,467	255,377	101,660	81,158	27,865	11,703	30,170	115,384,710	107,349,335	19,373,610
California	33	1,013	14,527	16,143	280,544	374,709	201,132	67,461	43,769	21,948	11,983	36,160	84,707,740	77,687,045	10,425,230
Colorado	11	179	2,337	4,329	42,987	64,126	34,724	10,145	8,624	3,677	2,088	6,994	20,596,500	19,465,105	3,123,946
Dist. of Columbia	1	57	435	637	34,827	29,534	10,156	1,833	912	1,327	365	1,640	5,340,4655	4,607,7020	1,073,5045
Florida	49	1,615	28,837	38,183	621,119	871,113	497,683	176,895	133,159	62,104	36,016	105,699	255,674,675	230,694,195	35,607,026
Georgia	92	2,993	27,629	39,821	889,300	1,186,178	638,999	269,688	154,323	114,702	62,257	154,422	297,635,525	278,923,400	41,589,371
Kansas	6	42	694	763	8,942	12,887	8,451	2,642	1,810	996	315	1,304	3,283,400	3,048,370	708,289
Illinois	34	905	6,166	6,337	161,347	232,043	134,195	59,351	23,790	17,078	7,198	23,745	48,641,945	45,989,270	8,068,143
Indiana	15	294	3,168	2,876	69,482	94,969	54,414	22,359	12,129	5,794	2,701	8,215	18,394,425	16,898,615	2,947,547
Kansas-Nebraska	12	228	2,553	3,402	51,748	78,462	47,335	18,133	12,177	5,962	2,744	8,267	20,411,610	19,704,070	3,363,027
Kentucky	79	2,229	16,726	19,856	551,084	758,826	376,988	187,704	75,426	58,334	23,425	83,761	144,894,330	136,709,525	23,688,777
Louisiana	48	1,335	14,715	22,463	398,086	567,615	311,895	136,644	98,218	37,048	17,162	68,159	161,198,715	150,843,885	26,436,255
Maryland	12	264	2,431	2,926	76,253	98,325	58,499	23,831	10,405	8,127	3,575	10,052	28,989,845	26,126,680	4,598,579
Michigan	14	205	1,802	1,998	37,771	49,212	27,496	14,084	7,357	3,783	1,672	4,888	9,718,615	9,165,730	1,713,091
Minnesota-Wisconsin[6]	6	79	784	824	9,831	11,971	8,886	4,822	2,398	1,307	588	1,727	3,433,645	3,042,390	574,577
Mississippi	75	1,953	15,329	22,051	463,381	644,593	351,897	148,880	133,071	58,989	31,796	98,155	172,189,880	162,588,665	28,874,368
Missouri	82	1,980	14,257	17,859	428,773	623,268	332,699	152,103	78,372	48,384	18,645	63,558	132,762,880	126,993,380	23,327,841
Nevada	5	59	1,303	1,095	11,925	18,023	12,396	5,478	3,140	989	481	1,583	4,383,140	4,029,880	753,783
New England[5]	6	71	884	1,171	9,941	13,884	10,164	1,337	1,923	1,247	695	1,537	4,530,240	3,646,615	741,164
New Mexico	15	262	4,125	4,709	70,715	118,794	56,480	25,653	14,235	5,918	3,154	10,071	28,109,880	26,977,500	4,589,689
New York	10	172	1,716	1,449	18,452	22,455	14,829	8,505	3,835	2,880	1,484	3,431	7,337,810	6,743,370	1,341,728
North Carolina	79	3,481	22,387	29,488	896,508	1,149,916	660,231	279,953	132,892	141,856	67,986	163,884	286,261,770	269,724,180	47,010,639
Northern Plains	12	118	910	1,002	9,403	15,792	11,105	5,712	3,106	1,561	654	1,647	4,753,660	4,468,880	794,289
Northwest	22	313	3,825	4,036	52,993	78,518	52,430	21,309	13,383	5,027	2,096	6,798	20,186,980	18,562,570	3,668,387
Ohio	20	498	5,090	5,176	110,347	139,952	86,672	44,359	16,844	11,537	5,863	14,225	29,641,480	28,533,815	4,985,625
Oklahoma	41	1,486	22,423	25,302	463,215	729,879	383,035	140,584	97,351	35,710	18,210	64,052	177,346,890	171,147,945	29,886,952
Penn.-So. Jersey	8	102	1,031	1,133	14,418	17,479	14,089	10,502	3,707	2,826	1,018	2,581	5,995,860	5,395,280	1,195,692
South Carolina	43	1,733	13,980	19,464	341,859	488,180	406,853	165,597	100,798	97,403	46,234	98,518	192,354,865	181,549,805	30,341,238
Tennessee	88	2,792	23,280	30,308	785,676	1,050,343	564,192	225,269	150,501	77,567	33,720	123,063	230,826,810	225,411,115	35,362,346
Texas	112	4,056	62,581	107,886	1,534,978	2,361,089	1,367,780	475,871	244,835	135,871	69,790	232,104	714,083,720	661,300,625	107,436,396
Utah-Idaho	9	85	781	1,038	10,406	16,297	8,989	4,747	2,882	1,388	640	1,353	3,982,135	3,705,955	635,029
Virginia	43	1,460	10,815	15,018	453,686	591,704	319,110	133,813	53,995	66,755	20,753	68,985	140,744,320	133,696,095	22,685,681
West Virginia	9	86	1,072	959	20,149	25,665	14,828	9,624	2,619	2,340	845	3,039	6,260,820	5,916,500	1,254,092
Wyoming	8	60	656	707	7,307	11,644	6,952	4,305	2,082	1,863	415	1,681	2,945,105	2,874,645	525,815
Puerto Rico[7]	1	32	288	146	2,814	3,164	3,301	438	849	654	354	374	872,345	718,885	140,946

[1]Includes 505 "nonreporting" churches. "Nonreporting" refers to those still affiliated with the convention but who have not submitted a report for three or more years.
[2]Does not add to total due to late reports not identified by state convention.
[3]Includes Campus BTW as well as church statistics.
[4]Includes small amounts of income from fees, rentals, etc.
[5]1983 data.
[6]New State convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[7]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.
*The 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 each of these respective autonomous Baptist bodies.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES, BY LOCATION—1984-1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total Churches*		Open Country		Village (under 500 Pop.)		Town (500-2,499)		City (2,500-9,999)	City (10,000-49,999)			City (50,000 or more Pop.)			Total City	
										Downtown Area	Neighborhood Area	Suburban Area	Downtown Area	Neighborhood Area	Suburban Area		
	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1984	1984	1984	1984	1984	1984	1984	1983
SBC	36,740	36,531	14,125	14,250	3,778	3,852	4,109	4,052	3,621	994	2,291	2,190	398	2,793	2,441	14,728	14,377
Alabama	3,043	3,037	1,653	1,646	264	264	263	276	275	68	161	107	18	117	117	863	851
Alaska	41	41	6	6	3	3	3	3	8	2	2	5	1	9	2	29	29
Arizona	250	244	24	22	12	17	37	33	48	11	12	9	4	53	40	177	172
Arkansas	1,269	1,266	473	478	222	229	190	181	130	33	76	46	6	44	49	384	378
California	1,013	1,006	32	34	27	27	80	83	125	61	147	111	44	248	138	874	862
Colorado	179	178	9	11	9	6	30	35	36	2	17	20	5	28	23	131	126
Dist. of Columbia	57	56	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	4	21	32	57	56
Florida	1,615	1,598	426	425	78	79	171	170	171	76	94	138	29	201	231	940	924
Georgia	2,990	2,984	1,415	1,436	298	303	284	274	287	75	160	272	9	109	84	996	971
Hawaii	42	39	2	1	. . .	. . .	3	3	11	3	3	7	1	6	6	37	35
Illinois	906	910	217	222	130	133	140	138	160	27	79	70	7	53	23	419	417
Indiana	294	287	33	30	15	12	44	45	51	10	39	28	1	40	33	202	200
Kansas-Nebraska	228	228	7	9	18	16	52	51	45	6	31	14	2	29	24	151	152
Kentucky	2,229	2,228	1,179	1,179	314	330	210	215	164	39	87	67	7	96	66	526	504
Louisiana	1,335	1,330	603	617	154	155	147	145	112	30	60	53	17	74	85	431	413
Maryland	264	327	43	46	12	17	34	34	28	5	28	52	7	21	34	175	230
Michigan	206	195	9	10	9	8	13	12	24	7	29	43	7	41	24	175	165
Minn.-Wis.[1]	79	. . .	2	. . .	3	. . .	5	. . .	7	3	8	9	2	23	17	69	. . .
Mississippi	1,953	1,947	1,130	1,147	198	217	184	172	136	41	110	99	5	27	23	441	411
Missouri	1,900	1,893	707	697	360	365	264	269	187	41	70	56	24	115	76	569	562
Nevada	59	57	6	3	6	4	6	10	11	. . .	10	3	1	6	10	41	40
New England[1]	71	. . .	1	. . .	2	. . .	5	. . .	12	4	13	12	3	15	4	63	. . .
New Mexico	262	262	26	29	45	46	35	38	33	22	46	24	4	15	12	156	149
New York	172	163	6	5	3	2	12	11	15	10	21	31	11	49	14	151	145
North Carolina	3,481	3,479	1,865	1,892	287	291	335	320	251	58	163	160	24	141	197	994	976
Northern Plains	118	174	5	6	8	9	29	46	36	4	11	15	2	7	1	76	113
Northwest	313	301	18	10	8	8	54	57	55	10	47	43	2	41	35	233	226
Ohio	496	482	32	32	37	32	63	62	64	14	52	71	13	65	85	364	356
Oklahoma	1,466	1,457	416	426	237	243	253	246	175	45	90	56	12	121	61	560	542
Penn.-So. Jersey	102	98	9	9	3	3	9	10	17	6	3	31	1	16	7	81	76
South Carolina	1,733	1,723	840	846	127	127	180	176	158	38	109	135	42	42	92	586	574
Tennessee	2,792	2,794	1,428	1,452	213	223	251	242	192	44	140	133	12	159	220	900	877
Texas	4,056	4,093	845	875	503	507	531	523	467	155	261	172	80	624	418	2,177	2,188
Utah-Idaho	85	82	3	3	2	2	15	12	23	5	15	4	3	7	8	65	65
Virginia	1,460	1,455	640	635	155	163	134	134	67	32	67	84	16	120	145	531	523
West Virginia	86	86	13	10	8	11	20	20	21	1	15	7	. . .	1	. . .	45	45
Wyoming[1]	60	. . .	1	. . .	8	. . .	17	. . .	12	4	10	1	1	2	4	34	. . .
Puerto Rico[2]	32	31	1	1	. . .	. . .	6	6	7	2	5	2	1	7	1	25	24

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NUMBER OF CHURCHES, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1984

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	36,235	2,130	4,568	4,670	4,205	6,180	3,972	2,607	3,448	1,671	1,525	595	414	250	60.0	505
Alabama	3,024	181	431	514	377	540	281	175	242	103	110	34	24	12	67.6	19
Alaska	41	2	8	2	5	7	6	4	3	2	. .	1	. .	1	58.5	. .
Arizona	249	24	39	30	27	26	19	17	31	14	12	3	6	1	58.6	1
Arkansas	1,265	94	188	169	150	204	123	85	107	50	52	24	12	7	63.6	4
California	995	108	139	110	105	112	107	89	108	50	37	17	8	5	57.7	18
Colorado	177	18	35	22	16	24	14	11	16	9	7	1	2	2	65.0	2
Dist. of Columbia	48	. .	2	3	3	5	9	4	12	5	3	. .	1	1	27.1	9
Florida	1,602	57	140	173	155	269	167	130	192	116	88	55	35	25	49.6	13
Georgia	2,971	123	308	395	365	554	335	214	304	157	125	37	38	16	58.7	22
Hawaii	42	4	7	4	6	8	2	2	4	3	2	. .	. .	. .	69.0	. .
Illinois	894	83	178	147	106	135	95	40	61	17	25	5	1	1	72.6	12
Indiana	290	32	38	39	39	46	33	21	29	4	5	2	. .	2	66.9	4
Kansas-Nebraska	226	25	34	28	25	31	20	21	16	14	4	4	3	1	63.3	2
Kentucky	2,145	67	247	307	288	431	266	148	199	69	70	28	19	6	62.5	84
Louisiana	1,324	62	153	149	153	250	162	88	133	49	70	20	19	16	57.9	11
Maryland	259	13	21	27	21	47	35	39	30	13	9	2	2	. .	49.8	5
Michigan	203	31	41	19	29	28	17	14	13	7	4	. .	. .	. .	72.9	3
Minnesota-Wisconsin1	79	24	16	9	8	11	6	1	4	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	86.1	. .
Mississippi	1,936	104	260	316	244	364	218	117	131	83	50	25	18	6	66.5	17
Missouri	1,895	140	361	280	204	286	156	111	164	74	73	33	9	4	67.1	5
Nevada	59	12	5	11	4	8	4	4	5	1	4	1	. .	. .	67.8	. .
New England1	71	12	22	6	5	12	5	4	3	1	1	. .	. .	. .	80.3	. .
New Mexico	258	24	43	22	21	41	22	20	24	14	11	8	5	3	58.5	4
New York	166	39	54	23	21	11	10	5	1	1	. .	1	. .	. .	89.2	6
North Carolina	3,432	111	358	416	471	688	463	315	337	137	94	23	18	1	59.6	49
Northern Plains	118	44	24	19	12	8	2	5	. .	4	. .	. .	. .	. .	90.7	. .
Northwest	311	45	57	38	36	57	32	12	13	10	9	1	1	. .	74.9	2
Ohio	490	51	80	63	41	90	56	41	39	13	11	3	2	. .	66.3	6
Oklahoma	1,395	69	169	153	166	187	126	100	165	83	85	38	25	29	53.3	71
Penn.-So. Jersey	101	12	22	19	15	18	8	4	3	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	85.1	1
South Carolina	1,723	68	145	174	192	326	234	172	204	102	68	18	15	5	52.5	10
Tennessee	2,739	98	284	347	367	583	342	194	223	101	109	49	29	13	61.3	53
Texas	3,993	256	476	410	344	494	395	253	438	285	303	139	110	90	49.6	63
Utah-Idaho	83	19	24	10	3	9	3	5	8	1	1	. .	. .	. .	78.3	2
Virginia	1,453	48	121	183	168	247	184	131	180	74	81	22	11	3	52.8	7
West Virginia	86	3	15	20	8	14	8	7	4	4	1	1	1	. . .	69.8	. . .
Wyoming1	60	16	9	11	4	7	6	3	2	1	1	. .	. .	. . .	78.3	. . .
Puerto Rico2	32	11	14	2	1	2	1	1	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. . .	93.8	. . .

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TOTAL MEMBERSHIP, BY LOCATION—1984-1983

SBC and State Conventions	Grand Total Present Members			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.)	
	1984	1983	% Change	1984	% Change	1984	% Change	1984	% Change	1984	% Change	1984	% Change
SBC	14,349,657	14,185,454	1.2	3,529,343	−1.1	1,377,531	0.9	1,832,389	1.7	3,415,958	3.0	4,194,436	1.4
Alabama	1,012,531	1,005,819	0.7	345,355	1.7	82,604	−6.3	142,302	4.5	207,171	2.4	235,099	−2.0
Alaska	16,187	17,940	−9.8	1,382	1.5	1,001	4.9	1,844	−13.3	2,382	12.6	9,578	−15.8
Arizona	113,891	109,813	3.7	3,453	−12.0	6,735	15.2	16,151	−2.2	19,625	8.2	67,927	3.9
Arkansas	466,467	459,626	1.5	118,214	−0.1	66,011	1.5	77,331	−2.7	116,048	4.9	88,863	3.2
California	374,749	367,870	1.9	6,576	−16.0	11,095	−12.0	29,755	1.2	128,138	8.1	199,185	−0.2
Colorado	64,126	62,402	2.8	1,803	6.6	4,430	−6.8	8,919	−0.9	15,690	7.4	33,284	2.9
Dist. of Columbia	29,534	27,879	5.9	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	29,534	5.9
Florida	871,113	856,065	1.8	110,893	0.4	56,528	−0.3	102,423	1.6	239,185	7.1	362,084	−0.7
Georgia	1,186,178	1,173,587	1.1	372,717	−1.4	95,696	3.9	169,495	5.4	377,669	0.9	170,601	1.5
Hawaii	12,867	12,113	6.2	301	49.8	326	−5.0	1,549	4.5	4,194	4.8	6,497	6.8
Illinois	232,043	234,057	−0.9	45,396	−7.4	32,036	4.0	55,656	−1.4	72,870	2.3	26,085	−1.7
Indiana	84,969	82,862	2.5	7,151	8.8	7,436	3.2	11,698	−6.0	27,953	9.3	30,731	−1.1
Kansas-Nebraska	78,462	76,414	2.7	3,128	10.4	7,842	2.3	13,019	6.1	19,397	6.6	35,076	−1.1
Kentucky	758,826	756,548	0.3	306,017	−1.6	77,480	−3.0	99,775	3.1	138,176	3.8	137,378	1.1
Louisiana	567,615	559,113	1.5	158,553	−3.2	58,500	1.9	59,566	1.2	109,535	−2.1	181,461	8.6
Maryland	98,325	109,957	−10.6	14,634	−4.9	8,747	1.2	8,971	−27.9	41,413	−5.2	24,560	−17.6
Michigan	49,212	48,279	1.9	1,658	−30.5	1,366	−0.7	5,368	20.3	20,860	−1.6	19,980	5.8
Minnesota-Wisconsin[1]	11,971	. . .	. . .	246	. . .	245	. . .	471	. . .	1,960	. . .	9,049	. . .
Mississippi	644,593	638,235	1.0	254,175	−2.9	68,032	3.8	74,389	0.9	188,849	5.3	59,148	2.3
Missouri	623,260	618,561	0.8	159,256	−0.1	97,387	−1.7	106,103	8.1	114,353	16.8	146,161	−10.9
Nevada	18,023	17,242	4.5	706	154.0	1,105	−25.2	2,808	25.1	3,908	27.1	9,496	−6.6
New England[1]	13,864	. . .	. . .	315	. . .	602	. . .	1,807	. . .	7,512	. . .	3,628	. . .
New Mexico	118,794	117,062	1.5	8,884	−4.6	9,408	−3.9	15,258	−14.7	59,962	7.3	25,282	4.5
New York	22,455	23,537	−4.6	602	49.0	1,288	1.7	1,564	−38.0	9,300	25.7	9,701	−18.8
North Carolina	1,149,916	1,142,757	0.6	490,168	−1.1	115,049	3.0	117,079	−0.0	206,257	−5.7	221,363	10.8
Northern Plains	15,792	26,635	−40.7	623	30.6	1,463	−42.9	3,484	−36.0	8,103	−28.1	2,119	−69.2
Northwest	78,518	75,775	3.6	2,755	46.9	7,646	−6.0	10,783	0.0	35,530	5.9	21,804	1.6
Ohio	139,952	135,867	3.0	10,000	−1.7	13,087	5.9	14,801	−2.3	44,552	5.8	57,512	2.6
Oklahoma	729,879	719,327	1.5	106,887	−2.6	111,261	0.5	126,047	3.0	189,344	2.5	196,340	2.3
Penn.-So. Jersey	17,479	17,659	−1.0	1,827	−8.1	1,572	−0.7	2,677	5.6	7,704	−9.5	3,699	21.6
South Carolina	688,180	682,919	0.8	237,073	−0.2	65,552	4.7	91,964	−3.3	179,039	5.0	114,552	−2.2
Tennessee	1,050,243	1,043,380	0.7	343,295	−1.6	82,322	3.4	102,508	−0.7	285,133	4.2	316,985	0.7
Texas	2,361,089	2,333,751	1.2	233,019	−1.7	227,564	1.2	304,263	1.7	479,210	−2.2	1,117,033	3.2
Utah-Idaho	16,297	16,667	−2.2	353	10.0	790	21.4	4,536	8.7	6,072	−7.0	4,546	−9.0
Virginia	591,784	589,865	0.3	179,077	−0.0	50,477	0.5	38,563	7.3	111,333	3.7	212,334	−2.2
West Virginia	25,665	22,792	12.6	2,500	15.8	3,157	6.3	6,625	5.3	12,391	55.4	992	−70.8
Wyoming[1]	11,644	. . .	. . .	267	. . .	1,357	. . .	2,182	. . .	4,770	. . .	3,068	. . .
Puerto Rico[2]	3,164	3,079	2.8	84	−6.7	334	31.0	655	14.7	390	74.9	1,701	−12.3

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TOTAL MEMBERSHIP, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1984

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	14,349,657	70,774	342,822	580,680	731,296	1,520,590	1,372,059	1,162,689	2,092,693	1,445,052	1,844,012	1,022,898	988,885	1,175,207
Alabama	1,012,531	5,771	32,369	64,173	65,425	131,085	98,534	77,626	140,416	89,125	131,364	58,920	57,158	56,895
Alaska	16,187	52	387	212	866	1,771	2,041	1,809	1,758	1,743	.....	1,886	.....	3,484
Arizona	113,091	880	2,708	3,849	4,717	6,258	6,680	7,674	10,895	11,939	14,757	4,978	15,397	15,119
Arkansas	466,467	3,101	13,944	20,815	25,813	49,870	42,551	38,137	64,644	43,130	66,318	41,420	28,436	30,288
California	374,749	3,504	10,293	13,451	18,302	27,494	37,326	39,985	65,438	42,880	43,861	28,498	19,381	24,416
Colorado	66,126	604	2,619	2,722	2,754	5,562	4,876	4,882	9,614	7,717	7,680	1,618	4,742	8,736
District of Columbia	20,534	.....	142	389	565	1,291	3,261	1,770	7,439	4,285	3,241	.....	2,036	5,115
Florida	871,113	1,930	10,622	21,392	27,032	66,585	57,527	58,016	118,899	101,849	111,026	93,804	86,655	117,776
Georgia	1,186,178	4,364	23,219	49,347	63,592	137,050	116,537	96,030	183,575	135,693	150,182	64,839	93,987	71,383
Hawaii	12,887	130	505	472	1,010	1,854	681	853	2,237	2,743	2,302	.....	.....	.....
Illinois	232,043	2,572	13,350	18,006	18,594	33,154	32,155	17,867	36,348	14,980	30,524	8,189	2,304	4,120
Indiana	84,989	1,071	2,862	4,738	6,716	11,560	11,362	9,222	16,902	3,167	5,262	3,419	.....	8,488
Kansas-Nebraska	78,462	883	2,636	3,371	4,284	7,561	6,812	9,153	9,861	12,175	4,617	7,017	6,870	3,382
Kentucky	758,826	2,363	18,568	30,525	50,037	108,316	90,776	66,081	120,103	59,060	87,974	48,604	46,380	24,619
Louisiana	567,615	2,012	11,312	18,309	26,658	61,418	55,879	39,417	80,207	43,146	86,221	34,131	44,373	64,332
Maryland	98,325	423	1,641	3,210	3,505	11,725	12,099	17,354	18,180	11,503	10,169	3,087	5,449	.....
Michigan	49,212	1,080	2,928	2,297	5,024	7,106	5,940	6,136	8,189	5,948	4,574	.....	.....	.....
Minnesota-Wisconsin1	11,971	791	1,107	1,083	1,401	2,737	2,087	455	2,330	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mississippi	644,593	3,472	19,961	30,029	42,399	89,709	75,220	51,936	79,602	71,338	60,375	42,466	43,671	25,335
Missouri	625,360	4,534	27,235	34,576	35,320	70,109	53,641	49,887	100,366	63,511	88,595	56,643	21,019	18,164
Nevada	18,023	389	367	1,422	713	1,922	1,386	1,712	2,998	862	4,490	1,782	.....	.....
New England1	13,864	364	1,641	795	924	2,794	1,729	1,829	1,906	877	1,005	.....	.....	.....
New Mexico	118,794	820	3,345	2,858	3,593	9,987	7,818	9,037	14,723	12,153	13,231	13,809	12,011	15,509
New York	22,455	1,151	3,913	2,763	3,633	2,593	3,366	2,116	652	788	.....	1,500	.....	.....
North Carolina	1,149,916	4,032	27,032	52,091	82,628	169,574	160,310	140,433	202,134	118,438	109,990	37,834	41,874	3,546
Northern Plains	15,792	1,275	1,730	2,280	2,064	1,988	701	2,207	.....	3,547	.....	.....	.....	.....
Northwest	78,518	1,579	4,095	4,740	6,216	13,998	10,949	5,358	8,052	8,338	10,795	1,735	2,665	.....
Ohio	139,952	1,792	5,934	7,754	7,122	22,592	19,725	18,650	23,600	10,708	12,367	5,416	4,492	.....
Oklahoma	729,879	2,353	12,182	18,882	28,888	45,705	43,057	44,433	101,273	73,132	105,372	65,992	59,861	128,849
Penn.-So. Jersey	17,479	467	1,574	2,398	2,505	4,432	2,678	1,662	1,763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Carolina	688,180	2,193	11,219	21,907	33,673	80,553	81,231	76,283	123,792	88,491	82,557	31,131	36,708	18,442
Tennessee	1,050,243	3,285	21,855	43,798	63,470	143,151	117,955	86,331	135,083	87,172	130,704	93,706	71,243	62,490
Texas	2,361,089	8,538	35,688	50,790	60,025	122,026	136,768	113,131	268,576	245,838	365,130	241,645	259,355	453,659
Utah-Idaho	16,297	635	1,827	1,262	514	2,131	1,117	2,230	4,589	943	1,049	.....	.....	.....
Virginia	591,784	1,550	9,238	22,739	29,136	61,229	64,056	58,346	108,907	64,041	97,999	38,177	25,486	10,900
West Virginia	25,665	124	1,143	2,385	1,353	3,369	2,756	2,970	2,615	3,515	1,119	1,864	2,452	.....
Wyoming1	11,644	449	892	1,402	709	1,603	2,167	1,206	1,307	917	1,282	.....	.....	.....
Puerto Rico2	3,164	391	989	268	198	568	325	445	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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FOCUS ON WORK IN STATES WITH FEWER THAN 100 CHURCHES



11,119 PERSONS BAPTIZED
3.0% of SBC



CHURCH MEMBERSHIP REACHED 220,427
1.5% of SBC



NUMBER OF CHURCHES
1,004
2.7% of SBC



TOTAL RECEIPTS REACHED $83,179,300
1.7% of SBC

NUMBER OF CHURCHES HAVING FULL-TIME PREACHING* BY LOCATION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Churches	Number of Churches Having Full-time Preaching	Percent of Churches Having Full-time Preaching				
			Open Country and Village	Town (500-2,499 Pop.)	City (2,500-9,999 Pop.)	City (10,000-49,999 Pop.)	City (50,000 or more Pop.)
SBC	36,740	33,010	84.2	94.8	96.7	96.5	93.2
Alabama	3,043	2,823	89.6	96.6	98.9	99.4	97.6
Alaska	41	38	88.9	66.7	100.0	88.9	100.0
Arizona	250	243	88.9	100.0	95.8	100.0	99.0
Arkansas	1,269	1,224	93.8	99.5	99.2	100.0	100.0
California	1,013	931	89.8	97.5	96.8	95.0	87.4
Colorado	179	174	94.4	96.7	100.0	100.0	94.6
District of Columbia	57	43	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	75.4
Florida	1,615	1,580	97.2	97.7	98.2	99.4	97.4
Georgia	2,993	2,705	85.1	96.8	98.6	97.6	96.0
Hawaii	42	37	50.0	66.7	81.8	92.3	100.0
Illinois	906	835	91.1	96.4	96.3	94.9	75.9
Indiana	294	286	93.8	95.5	100.0	98.7	97.3
Kansas-Nebraska	228	220	92.0	100.0	95.6	96.1	96.4
Kentucky	2,229	1,992	85.7	98.1	98.2	97.4	92.9
Louisiana	1,335	1,291	96.4	98.0	98.2	95.8	96.6
Maryland	264	225	81.8	94.1	92.9	88.2	75.8
Michigan	206	199	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.7	91.7
Minnesota-Wisconsin[1]	79	65	80.0	100.0	71.4	85.0	81.0
Mississippi	1,953	1,826	90.8	98.9	98.5	100.0	98.2
Missouri	1,900	1,672	81.1	97.0	97.9	97.6	95.3
Nevada	59	55	83.3	100.0	90.9	92.3	100.0
New England[1]	71	54	66.7	60.0	91.7	79.3	68.2
New Mexico	262	239	76.1	100.0	97.0	96.7	93.5
New York	172	130	100.0	91.7	86.7	87.1	58.1
North Carolina	3,481	2,630	66.9	85.4	88.8	92.4	91.2
Northern Plains	118	110	84.6	82.8	97.2	100.0	100.0
Northwest	313	303	92.3	96.3	94.5	99.0	97.4
Ohio	496	476	97.1	95.2	98.4	97.8	93.3
Oklahoma	1,466	1,380	88.5	98.4	98.3	97.9	100.0
Penn.-So. Jersey	102	98	100.0	100.0	94.1	97.5	91.7
South Carolina	1,733	1,567	85.7	91.1	98.1	97.9	97.9
Tennessee	2,792	2,604	90.7	98.0	98.4	98.4	94.4
Texas	4,056	3,849	90.9	97.4	98.1	97.3	96.0
Utah-Idaho	85	77	60.0	100.0	91.3	95.8	83.3
Virginia	1,460	854	43.1	56.7	71.6	81.4	84.7
West Virginia	86	85	95.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Wyoming[1]	60	58	77.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Puerto Rico[2]	32	32	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

[1]New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[2]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.
*Preaching A.M. and P.M. every Sunday.

SUMMARY OF SOUTHERN BAPTIST WORK IN STATES[1] WITH FEWER THAN 100 CHURCHES, 1984

State	Churches	Baptisms	Other Additions	Total Members	Amount Paid for New Construction and Property of Local Church	Sunday School Ongoing Enrollment	Church Training Enrollment	Total Receipts[2]	Mission Expenditures
Totals	1,004	11,119	12,000	220,427	$6,183,460	138,881	33,980	$63,179,360	$11,423,664
Alaska	41	636	927	16,187	1,486,126	7,460	2,515	5,448,590	1,025,296
Connecticut	21	298	355	5,471	297,802	4,104	776	2,661,440	413,347
Delaware	10	103	147	3,967	53,377	2,404	640	1,056,015	213,339
District of Columbia	25	164	242	15,151	174,305*	3,836	112	2,688,230*	580,075*
Hawaii	42	694	763	12,867	387,229	8,451	1,810	5,283,480	786,209
Idaho	48	524	533	10,388	334,475	5,925	1,901	2,393,630	428,353
Iowa	68	496	491	11,220	297,896	7,154	1,871	2,874,530	445,089
Maine	4	68	82	996	807	622	162	179,170	23,480
Massachusetts	23	256	460	4,581	152,986	3,071	438	1,288,355	304,210
Minnesota	28	179	297	3,315	56,369	2,983	1,080	1,163,000	189,976
Montana	60	489	513	8,395	296,189	5,906	1,941	2,661,875	464,364
Nebraska	29	337	467	8,451	180,938	5,250	860	2,218,285	405,715
Nevada	54	1,252	1,049	17,532	224,674	11,828	3,047	4,201,295	706,495
New Hampshire	8	91	147	1,531	46,881	1,085	370	540,010	87,388
New Jersey	49	481	629	7,893	447,535	5,343	1,121	2,884,055	467,197
North Dakota	16	132	185	3,119	32,699	1,853	526	886,580	177,415
Pennsylvania	92	932	960	15,471	356,155	12,492	3,365	5,178,610	1,068,432
Rhode Island	5	45	114	1,188	3,220	611	163	199,835	18,844
South Dakota	43	304	326	4,521	133,376	3,568	714	1,309,690	163,932
Utah	48	448	631	9,091	209,847	5,308	1,425	2,210,530	391,074
Vermont	9	56	37	596	3,905	704	98	284,625	48,667
West Virginia	98	1,123	958	30,361	372,180	16,618	2,906	6,997,760	1,514,386
Wisconsin	51	605	527	8,656	116,291	5,901	1,318	2,270,645	384,601
Wyoming	60	656	707	11,644	58,489	6,962	2,082	2,945,105	523,815
Puerto Rico[3]	32	288	146	3,164	93,518	3,301	849	872,345	140,946
Canada[4]	39	462	307	4,524	366,191	6,141	1,890	2,481,675	451,039
Foreign	1	....	....	147	....	....	....	....	....

[1]Figures shown for states in this summary are included in other tables in this Handbook as part of the respective state conventions with which the churches are affiliated.
[2]Includes income from fees, rentals, etc., as well as offerings and special gifts.
[3]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.
[4]These churches in Canada are affiliated with the Northwest Baptist Convention but not the Southern Baptist Convention.
*1983 data

NUMBER OF CHURCHES REPORTING MAJOR ITEMS—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total No. of Living Churches	Baptisms	Additions by Letter	On-going Sunday School	VBS*	Church Training	Ongoing WMU	Ongoing Brotherhood	Ongoing Music Ministry	Tithes, Offerings and Special Gifts	Mission Expenditures	Pastor	Church Debt	Cooperative Program
SBC	36,235	29,850	30,765	35,692	28,109	23,041	25,517	18,041	29,536	35,142	34,044	32,700	15,157	32,592
Open Country and Village	17,616	13,035	13,700	17,292	.....	9,369	10,281	6,044	12,843	17,014	16,014	15,746	4,416	15,250
Town	4,082	3,590	3,691	4,045	.....	2,889	3,294	2,354	3,575	4,014	3,995	3,695	1,795	3,882
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	3,596	3,290	3,352	3,568	.....	2,701	2,985	2,401	3,228	3,536	3,515	3,275	2,128	3,397
City (10,000-49,999)	5,427	5,019	5,038	5,380	.....	4,126	4,535	3,779	4,969	5,302	5,275	4,945	3,542	5,048
City (50,000 or more)	5,514	4,916	4,984	5,407	.....	4,036	4,422	3,463	4,921	5,276	5,245	5,039	3,276	4,947
Alabama	3,026	2,378	2,530	2,970	2,338	2,263	1,971	1,660	2,298	2,930	2,880	2,786	1,123	2,995
Open Country and Village	1,504	1,365	1,477	1,859	.....	1,281	1,028	822	1,280	1,832	1,791	1,692	475	1,573
Town	262	230	236	260	.....	216	214	183	230	259	257	235	128	239
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	274	252	264	270	.....	242	229	211	248	268	264	238	166	250
City (10,000-49,999)	335	300	314	333	.....	301	286	260	309	329	325	309	197	309
City (50,000 or more)	249	231	239	248	.....	223	214	193	231	242	243	232	157	224
Alaska	41	27	28	38	17	28	31	22	32	36	35	37	26	35
Open Country and Village	9	4	4	8	.....	5	6	5	5	8	8	8	6	8
Town	3	2	2	3	.....	3	3	2	3	3	2	2	2	2
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	8	5	6	7	.....	4	6	4	6	6	6	8	4	6
City (10,000-49,999)	9	6	6	9	.....	6	7	4	8	8	8	9	6	8
City (50,000 or more)	12	10	10	11	.....	10	9	7	10	11	11	10	8	11
Arizona	249	226	225	246	194	170	172	123	202	239	238	224	148	232
Open Country and Village	36	28	26	35	.....	16	13	6	19	31	30	30	14	28
Town	37	33	35	37	.....	19	22	14	27	37	37	34	12	37
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	48	44	41	47	.....	35	35	24	37	46	46	41	28	46
City (10,000-49,999)	32	30	31	31	.....	28	28	21	31	31	31	31	22	30
City (50,000 or more)	96	91	92	96	.....	72	74	58	88	94	94	88	72	91
Arkansas	1,265	1,052	1,086	1,254	958	928	701	445	886	1,235	1,239	1,146	986	1,193
Open Country and Village	691	514	538	681	.....	443	250	127	384	667	669	613	162	631
Town	190	177	180	190	.....	154	138	83	152	189	189	176	84	186
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	130	127	128	130	.....	115	104	86	118	130	129	124	85	128
City (10,000-49,999)	155	142	144	155	.....	129	124	88	141	151	154	140	106	151
City (50,000 or more)	99	92	96	98	.....	87	85	61	91	98	98	93	69	97
California	995	854	848	981	603	688	663	454	859	946	906	909	580	825
Open Country and Village	39	49	49	39	.....	18	27	18	47	58	53	53	22	48
Town	80	64	72	80	.....	39	50	28	70	80	78	72	37	74
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	123	101	108	119	.....	69	78	43	105	118	116	112	68	111
City (10,000-49,999)	315	294	281	309	.....	208	226	153	280	302	294	290	210	279
City (50,000 or more)	418	346	338	394	.....	274	282	212	357	388	365	382	263	313
Colorado	177	144	154	176	123	115	126	89	142	173	172	159	107	167
Open Country and Village	17	11	11	17	.....	9	10	7	11	16	16	15	7	15
Town	30	24	25	30	.....	19	21	13	21	30	30	24	15	29
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	36	28	30	35	.....	21	21	17	27	35	34	32	19	33
City (10,000-49,999)	39	32	34	39	.....	23	27	20	33	37	38	35	26	36
City (50,000 or more)	55	49	54	55	.....	43	47	32	50	55	54	53	40	54
District of Columbia	48	34	39	43	9	20	28	15	32	31	39	42	14	17
Open Country and Village	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Town	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
City (10,000-49,999)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
City (50,000 or more)	48	34	39	43	.....	20	28	15	32	31	39	42	14	17

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Mississippi	1,936	1,577	1,643	1,903	1,514	1,505	1,334	1,087	1,693	1,899	1,883	1,750	734	1,778
Open Country and Village	1,313	997	1,047	1,281		956	800	621	1,094	1,283	1,274	1,177	359	1,184
Town	182	167	172	181		154	166	129	175	182	181	165	79	178
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	136	127	130	136		121	112	105	132	133	132	129	84	129
City (10,000-49,999)	250	237	241	250		227	212	195	240	246	243	228	172	236
City (50,000 or more)	55	49	53	55		47	44	37	52	55	53	51	40	51
Missouri	1,895	1,441	1,487	1,882	1,495	1,086	1,319	825	1,559	1,862	1,864	1,608	658	1,807
Open Country and Village	1,065	671	714	1,054		459	591	275	770	1,038	1,043	933	183	994
Town	263	239	238	262		197	232	167	248	262	261	237	122	259
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	186	172	178	186		148	166	132	176	185	185	166	110	183
City (10,000-49,999)	166	158	158	166		134	146	123	162	166	163	150	110	163
City (50,000 or more)	215	201	199	214		148	184	128	203	211	212	202	133	208
Nevada	59	52	54	58	40	43	43	28	46	58	57	53	39	55
Open Country and Village	12	8	11	12		5	5	2	5	12	11	12	8	10
Town	6	4	4	6		3	4	2	4	6	6	5	5	6
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	11	10	9	10		8	9	7	9	10	10	8	7	10
City (10,000-49,999)	13	13	13	13		11	10	8	12	13	13	13	7	12
City (50,000 or more)	17	17	17	17		16	15	9	16	17	17	15	12	17
New England[1]	71	58	62	69	10	39	51	39	58	67	67	64	48	65
Open Country and Village	3	2	3	3		1	2		2	3	3	3	3	3
Town	5	5	4	5		3	3	2	5	5	5	4	4	5
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	12	12	11	12		6	10	9	10	12	12	10	9	11
City (10,000-49,999)	29	24	25	27		18	19	16	24	26	26	26	21	26
City (50,000 or more)	22	15	19	22		11	17	12	17	21	21	21	11	20
New Mexico	258	215	230	250	198	184	176	139	198	252	252	230	114	242
Open Country and Village	69	42	51	64		32	30	16	36	66	65	60	12	64
Town	35	27	33	33		27	22	18	24	34	34	33	14	30
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	32	29	31	32		25	27	23	30	31	32	29	18	31
City (10,000-49,999)	92	90	87	92		77	73	63	82	92	92	84	60	89
City (50,000 or more)	30	27	28	29		23	24	19	26	29	29	24	10	28
New York	166	138	135	157	74	98	98	65	118	130	129	151	85	113
Open Country and Village	9	7	6	9		6	6	3	6	9	9	8	4	8
Town	12	10	10	11		8	6	6	11	12	12	12	7	12
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	15	13	14	14		11	9	7	11	13	13	13	9	12
City (10,000-49,999)	61	52	54	60		42	44	29	47	56	55	54	41	50
City (50,000 or more)	69	56	51	63		29	33	20	43	40	40	64	24	31
North Carolina	3,432	2,739	2,851	3,398	2,965	1,799	2,681	2,030	3,078	3,338	3,307	3,085	1,230	2,931
Open Country and Village	2,115	1,568	1,655	2,089		931	1,500	1,038	1,818	2,045	2,022	1,870	564	1,726
Town	335	293	301	333		202	298	224	318	329	325	313	113	310
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	249	218	221	247		176	221	189	237	245	244	230	125	225
City (10,000-49,999)	378	342	353	375		249	346	309	365	370	370	351	217	343
City (50,000 or more)	355	318	321	354		241	316	270	340	349	346	321	211	327
Northern Plains	118	97	98	117	85	60	82	47	81	116	114	105	74	113
Open Country and Village	13	10	10	13		3	6	2	7	13	13	11	6	13
Town	29	20	18	28		9	16	8	17	27	25	25	17	24
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	36	29	32	36		18	29	15	25	36	36	33	21	36
City (10,000-49,999)	30	28	29	30		25	23	16	24	30	30	28	22	30
City (50,000 or more)	10	10	9	10		5	8	6	8	10	10	8	8	10
Northeast	311	274	278	307	180	226	211	130	250	309	307	266	215	301
Open Country and Village	26	18	19	25		13	13	8	16	26	24	24	14	24
Town	54	49	48	53		28	34	18	38	54	54	46	30	51
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	54	46	47	53		43	36	21	45	53	53	45	36	52
City (10,000-49,999)	100	90	93	100		82	77	52	90	100	100	83	80	99
City (50,000 or more)	77	71	71	76		60	51	31	61	76	76	68	55	75
Ohio	490	434	427	485	356	282	362	282	398	468	462	433	360	445
Open Country and Village	68	54	54	67		35	42	32	49	66	61	63	46	59
Town	62	54	56	61		29	38	27	46	57	58	54	47	56
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	64	58	56	64		36	52	40	50	63	64	56	53	62
City (10,000-49,999)	135	126	123	134		83	108	91	117	130	132	120	108	128
City (50,000 or more)	161	142	138	159		99	122	92	136	152	147	140	108	140

Oklahoma	1,395	1,226	1,229	1,386	1,108	1,022	887	611	1,032	1,368	1,366	1,276	564	1,347
Open Country and Village	391	486	478	587	.....	346	266	144	334	575	576	535	124	368
Town	250	236	235	248	.....	207	190	126	209	248	248	229	102	245
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	172	165	163	172	.....	144	137	106	150	169	169	155	100	166
City (10,000-49,999)	188	179	176	188	.....	163	143	121	171	187	187	172	126	183
City (50,000 or more)	194	180	177	191	.....	162	151	114	168	189	188	185	109	185
Penn.-So. Jersey	101	89	90	100	69	72	74	49	88	99	98	89	71	97
Open Country and Village	12	10	10	12	.....	6	9	7	10	12	12	7	9	12
Town	9	9	8	9	.....	6	6	4	7	8	8	9	5	8
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	17	13	14	17	.....	14	12	7	17	17	17	17	12	17
City (10,000-49,999)	40	38	38	40	.....	30	32	23	34	40	40	35	31	39
City (50,000 or more)	23	19	20	22	.....	16	15	8	20	22	21	21	14	21
South Carolina	1,723	1,457	1,517	1,707	1,520	1,249	1,535	1,320	1,587	1,708	1,694	1,565	775	1,610
Open Country and Village	981	760	798	948	.....	637	819	669	847	950	937	880	327	865
Town	179	156	161	179	.....	139	173	141	175	179	178	162	77	176
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	158	142	154	157	.....	120	145	137	152	157	156	145	91	155
City (10,000-49,999)	280	263	264	279	.....	237	264	251	272	278	278	247	190	273
City (50,000 or more)	145	136	140	144	.....	116	134	122	141	144	145	131	90	141
Tennessee	2,739	2,266	2,289	2,695	2,158	1,756	1,703	1,184	2,048	2,608	2,574	2,467	940	2,309
Open Country and Village	1,611	1,239	1,233	1,572	.....	872	788	470	1,025	1,497	1,471	1,451	335	1,271
Town	248	222	229	248	.....	190	203	145	220	244	244	219	90	236
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	190	178	180	190	.....	153	154	116	177	188	187	175	106	176
City (10,000-49,999)	316	298	299	314	.....	259	266	228	293	313	307	287	192	286
City (50,000 or more)	374	329	348	371	.....	282	292	225	333	386	365	335	217	340
Texas	3,993	3,336	3,494	3,922	2,833	2,465	2,759	2,114	3,098	3,882	3,869	3,640	1,814	3,750
Open Country and Village	1,332	935	1,071	1,304	.....	505	595	361	770	1,289	1,294	1,189	284	1,257
Town	526	475	486	514	.....	342	418	299	451	509	511	485	240	502
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	462	425	424	456	.....	352	389	315	401	455	452	430	257	445
City (10,000-49,999)	577	527	528	570	.....	435	464	408	509	562	559	528	373	546
City (50,000 or more)	1,096	974	985	1,078	.....	831	893	731	967	1,067	1,053	1,008	660	1,000
Utah-Idaho	83	71	69	81	53	56	61	39	60	81	80	75	51	78
Open Country and Village	5	4	4	4	.....	2	3	2	3	4	4	5	3	4
Town	15	12	12	15	.....	10	8	3	8	15	15	14	9	15
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	22	21	21	22	.....	13	20	10	17	22	22	20	14	20
City (10,000-49,999)	23	20	18	23	.....	18	18	15	18	23	23	18	17	23
City (50,000 or more)	18	14	14	17	.....	13	12	9	14	17	16	18	8	16
Virginia	1,453	1,168	1,185	1,440	1,270	719	1,242	742	1,282	1,432	1,426	1,312	515	1,369
Open Country and Village	790	561	566	782	.....	297	633	316	645	781	774	716	157	738
Town	133	116	117	133	.....	71	124	71	127	131	130	120	60	128
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	67	61	65	66	.....	48	65	39	64	65	66	61	35	63
City (10,000-49,999)	183	166	169	181	.....	121	165	131	172	179	178	164	109	170
City (50,000 or more)	280	264	268	278	.....	182	255	185	274	276	278	251	154	270
West Virginia	86	75	71	86	75	56	75	46	77	84	85	76	56	83
Open Country and Village	21	15	17	21	.....	8	16	6	17	21	21	17	13	21
Town	20	19	15	20	.....	13	18	8	16	18	19	17	15	17
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	21	20	17	21	.....	19	19	16	21	21	21	20	11	21
City (10,000-49,999)	23	20	21	23	.....	15	21	15	22	23	23	21	16	23
City (50,000 or more)	1	1	1	1	.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wyoming[1]	60	53	51	60	29	39	43	27	41	59	58	54	37	57
Open Country and Village	9	6	3	9	.....	3	3	.	3	9	7	9	1	7
Town	17	14	15	17	.....	8	10	7	9	16	17	14	10	17
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	12	12	11	12	.....	9	10	8	9	12	12	11	9	12
City (10,000-49,999)	15	14	15	15	.....	12	14	8	14	15	15	15	11	14
City (50,000 or more)	7	7	7	7	.....	7	6	4	6	7	7	5	6	7
Puerto Rico[2]	32	24	24	32	6	11	20	17	19	31	30	30	24	27
Open Country and Village	1	1	.	1	.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.
Town	6	5	5	6	.....	2	3	3	5	6	5	6	5	5
City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	7	4	5	7	.....	1	4	5	3	7	7	7	7	7
City (10,000-49,999)	9	7	7	9	.....	2	6	3	3	9	8	9	6	8
City (50,000 or more)	9	7	7	9	.....	5	6	5	7	8	9	7	6	7

*Does not add to total due to late reports not identified by state convention.
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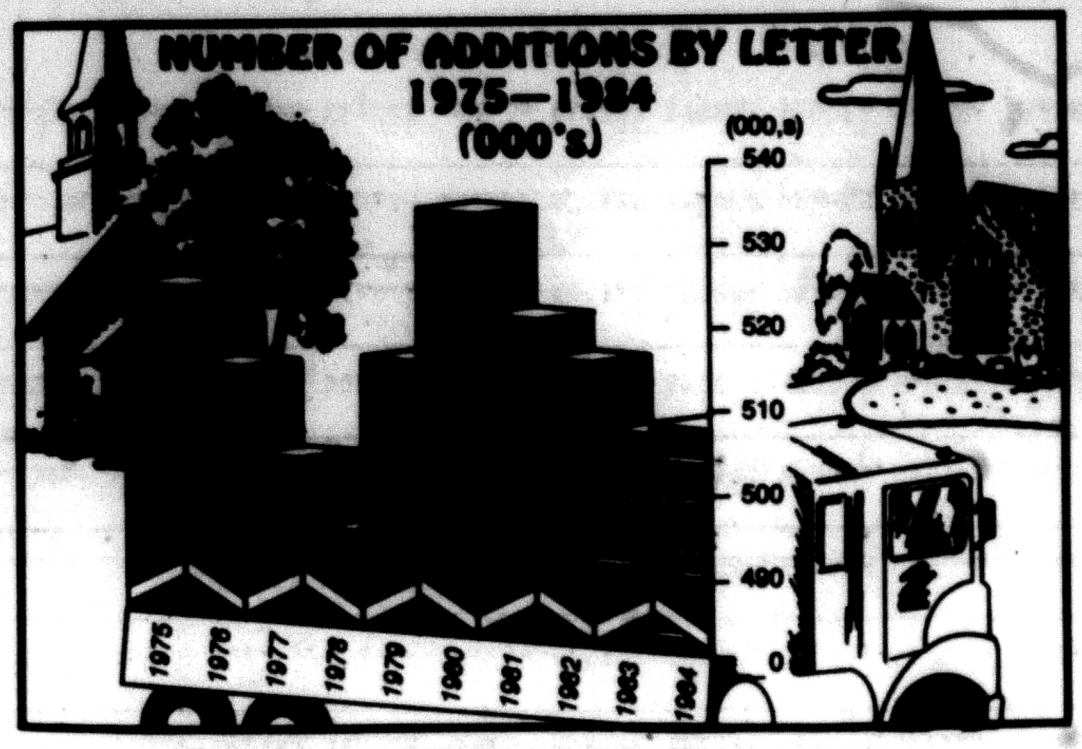
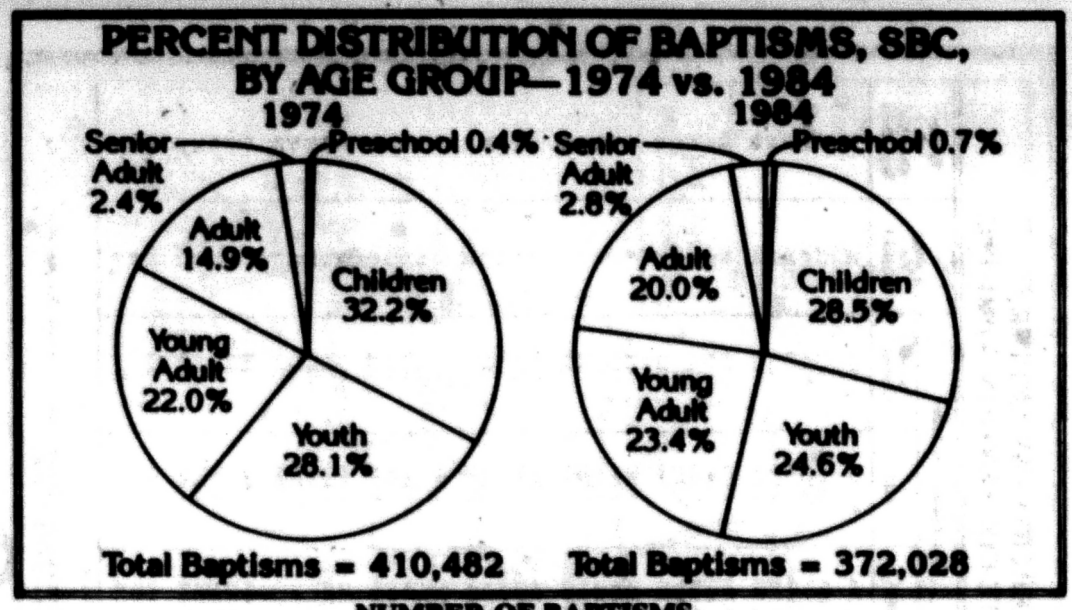


CHANGE IN NUMBER OF CHURCHES, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984-1983

SBC and State Conventions	1984 Total Churches	1984 New	1984 Re-organized	1984 Dropped	1984 Transfer In	1984 Transfer Out	1983 Total Churches	1984-1983 Numerical Change	1984-1983 Percent Change
SBC	36,740	450	13	254	199	199	36,531	209	0.6
Alabama	3,043	17	1	12	. . .	. . .	3,037	6	0.2
Alaska	41	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	41	. . .	. . .
Arizona	250	7	. . .	1	. . .	. . .	244	6	2.5
Arkansas	1,269	9	1	7	. . .	. . .	1,266	3	0.2
California	1,013	23	. . .	16	. . .	. . .	1,006	7	0.7
Colorado	179	5	. . .	4	. . .	. . .	178	1	0.6
District of Columbia	37	1	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	36	1	1.8
Florida	1,615	28	. . .	11	. . .	. . .	1,598	17	1.1
Georgia	2,993	35	1	27	. . .	. . .	2,984	9	0.3
Hawaii	42	3	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	39	3	7.7
Illinois	906	8	. . .	12	. . .	. . .	910	−4	−0.4
Indiana	294	7	1	1	. . .	. . .	287	7	2.4
Kansas-Nebraska	228	4	. . .	4	. . .	. . .	228	. . .	. . .
Kentucky	2,229	9	2	9	. . .	1	2,228	1	0.0
Louisiana	1,335	14	. . .	9	. . .	. . .	1,330	5	0.4
Maryland	284	6	. . .	2	. . .	67	327	−63	−19.3
Michigan	205	12	. . .	1	. . .	. . .	195	11	5.6
Minnesota-Wisconsin[1]	79	5	. . .	. . .	74	. . .	79	. . .	. . .
Mississippi	1,953	11	1	6	. . .	. . .	1,947	6	0.3
Missouri	1,980	11	5	9	. . .	. . .	1,993	7	0.4
Nevada	59	3	. . .	1	. . .	. . .	57	2	3.5
New England[1]	71	4	. . .	. . .	67	. . .	71	. . .	. . .
New Mexico	262	5	. . .	5	. . .	. . .	262	. . .	. . .
New York	172	13	. . .	4	. . .	. . .	163	9	5.5
North Carolina	3,481	23	. . .	22	1	. . .	3,479	2	0.1
Northern Plains	118	6	. . .	6	. . .	56	174	−56	−32.2
Northwest	313	17	. . .	5	. . .	. . .	301	12	4.0
Ohio	488	16	. . .	2	. . .	. . .	482	14	2.9
Oklahoma	1,466	16	. . .	7	. . .	. . .	1,457	9	0.6
Pen.-So. Jersey	102	5	. . .	1	. . .	. . .	98	4	4.1
South Carolina	1,733	15	. . .	5	. . .	. . .	1,723	10	0.6
Tennessee	2,792	10	1	14	1	. . .	2,794	−2	−0.1
Texas	4,056	79	. . .	42	. . .	74	4,093	−37	−0.9
Utah-Idaho	85	5	. . .	2	. . .	. . .	82	3	3.7
Virginia	1,460	10	. . .	4	. . .	1	1,455	5	0.3
West Virginia	88	2	. . .	2	. . .	. . .	86	. . .	. . .
Wyoming	88	4	. . .	. . .	56	. . .	. . .	60	. . .
Puerto Rico[2]	32	2	. . .	1	. . .	. . .	31	1	3.2

[1]New state convention organized of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[2]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.



NUMBER OF BAPTISMS BY AGE DIVISIONS—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Baptisms	Preschool	Children 6-8	Children 9-11	Youth	Young Adult	Adult	Senior Adult
SBC	372,028	2,541	36,700	69,323	91,431	86,865	74,572	10,596
Alabama	23,150	137	2,520	4,841	6,274	4,675	4,132	571
Alaska	636	...	49	72	91	272	143	9
Arizona	4,783	25	472	638	862	1,320	1,267	199
Arkansas	13,202	66	1,392	2,619	3,449	2,726	2,507	443
California	14,527	253	1,370	1,992	2,910	3,916	3,516	570
Colorado	2,337	19	248	289	466	690	562	63
District of Columbia[1]	435	4	41	68	95	118	97	12
Florida	28,837	217	2,432	4,199	6,487	7,373	6,873	1,256
Georgia	27,629	154	2,665	5,574	7,750	6,045	4,798	643
Hawaii	694	1	42	73	101	216	236	25
Illinois	6,166	48	633	1,125	1,341	1,446	1,360	213
Indiana	3,168	21	284	538	674	761	736	154
Kansas-Nebraska	2,553	12	324	458	510	654	503	92
Kentucky	16,726	60	1,242	3,482	4,520	3,729	3,193	500
Louisiana	14,715	67	1,655	3,087	3,626	3,426	2,567	287
Maryland	2,431	8	175	354	504	621	687	82
Michigan	1,802	28	169	298	383	424	427	73
Minnesota-Wisconsin[2]	784	14	92	145	154	198	164	17
Mississippi	15,329	52	1,382	3,379	4,290	3,376	2,538	312
Missouri	14,257	111	1,741	2,885	3,214	2,947	2,754	605
Nevada	1,303	9	135	168	206	329	413	43
New England[2]	804	11	58	100	118	286	214	17
New Mexico	4,125	36	346	642	844	1,183	970	104
New York	1,716	7	129	201	338	457	531	53
North Carolina	22,387	136	2,092	4,852	5,979	4,734	4,053	541
Northern Plains	910	11	101	109	135	321	217	16
Northwest	3,825	21	265	457	708	1,210	1,003	161
Ohio	5,890	29	508	893	1,287	1,391	1,552	230
Oklahoma	22,423	198	2,318	3,951	5,963	5,485	3,943	565
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,031	4	81	158	204	255	294	35
South Carolina	13,980	93	1,555	3,218	3,488	2,793	2,524	309
Tennessee	23,280	119	2,403	4,719	6,071	5,039	4,357	572
Texas	62,581	501	6,629	11,202	15,091	15,509	12,295	1,354
Utah-Idaho	781	8	74	113	170	208	180	28
Virginia	10,815	43	886	2,128	2,742	2,269	2,390	357
West Virginia	1,072	11	114	155	217	211	311	53
Wyoming[2]	656	7	71	108	124	148	183	15
Puerto Rico[3]	288	...	7	33	45	104	82	17

[1] Estimated by age division.
[2] New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[3] Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

ADDITIONS BY BAPTISMS, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984-1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total Baptisms			Baptisms Per 100 Enrolled in Sunday School	Average Per Church[1]	Percent of Churches Reporting[2]
	1984	1983	Percent Change			
SBC	372,028	394,606	-5.7	4.73	12	82
Alabama	23,150	24,586	-5.5	4.65	10	79
Alaska	636	808	-21.3	8.53	24	66
Arizona	4,783	5,532	-13.5	7.34	21	91
Arkansas	13,202	13,911	-5.1	5.17	13	83
California	14,527	16,620	-12.6	7.22	17	86
Colorado	2,337	2,728	-14.3	6.73	16	81
Dist. of Columbia	435	541	-19.6	4.28	13	71
Florida	28,837	29,298	-1.6	5.79	20	89
Georgia	27,629	27,380	0.9	4.39	11	81
Hawaii	694	494	40.5	8.21	18	93
Illinois	6,166	7,298	-15.5	4.59	9	75
Indiana	3,168	3,391	-6.6	5.82	13	86
Kansas-Nebraska	2,553	2,568	-0.6	5.39	14	83
Kentucky	16,726	17,595	-4.9	4.44	9	83
Louisiana	14,715	15,103	-2.6	4.72	13	85
Maryland	2,431	3,534	-31.2	4.16	11	83
Michigan	1,802	1,917	-6.0	6.55	10	85
Minn.-Wis.[3]	784	. . .	. . .	8.82	11	91
Mississippi	15,329	15,543	-1.4	4.36	10	81
Missouri	14,257	15,946	-10.6	4.29	10	76
Nevada	1,303	1,134	14.9	10.60	25	88
New England[3]	804	. . .	. . .	7.91	14	82
New Mexico	4,125	5,530	-25.4	7.31	19	83
New York	1,716	1,306	31.4	11.57	12	83
North Carolina	22,387	22,779	-1.7	3.59	8	80
Northern Plains	910	1,683	-45.9	8.19	9	82
Northwest	3,825	4,197	-8.9	7.30	14	88
Ohio	5,890	6,797	-13.3	6.80	14	89
Oklahoma	22,423	24,690	-9.2	5.85	18	88
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,051	983	4.9	7.33	11	88
South Carolina	13,980	15,479	-9.7	3.44	10	85
Tennessee	23,280	24,872	-6.4	4.28	10	83
Texas	62,381	67,059	-6.7	4.94	19	84
Utah-Idaho	781	896	-12.8	8.70	11	86
Virginia	10,815	11,031	-2.0	3.39	9	80
West Virginia	1,072	1,071	0.1	7.23	14	87
Wyoming[3]	696	. . .	. . .	9.42	12	88
Puerto Rico[4]	288	397	-27.5	8.72	12	75

1For churches reporting at least one baptism.
2As percent of reporting churches.
3How state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
4Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

ADDITIONS BY LETTER, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984-1983

SBC and State Conventions	Total Additions by Letter			Average Per Church[1]	Percent of Churches Reporting[2]
	1984	1983	Percent Change		
SBC	597,544	587,434	0.0	16	85
Alabama	33,827	32,434	1.9	13	84
Alaska	927	1,224	-24.9	33	68
Arizona	5,888	6,138	-3.9	26	89
Arkansas	17,701	17,826	-0.2	16	88
California	16,143	15,890	1.8	19	85
Colorado	4,329	4,178	3.6	28	87
Dist. of Columbia	637	691	-7.8	16	81
Florida	38,183	37,226	2.6	28	91
Georgia	39,821	36,972	7.7	16	83
Hawaii	763	566	30.7	19	95
Illinois	6,337	6,787	-6.4	9	73
Indiana	2,879	2,986	-1.7	12	83
Kansas-Nebraska	3,488	3,389	-3.0	17	87
Kentucky	19,886	19,883	0.3	11	83
Louisiana	22,463	21,963	2.3	19	90
Maryland	2,984	4,291	-31.9	14	81
Michigan	1,998	1,799	11.1	12	84
Minn.-Wis.[3]	884	. . .	. . .	12	84
Mississippi	22,651	22,114	-0.3	13	85
Missouri	17,859	18,362	-2.7	12	78
Nevada	1,095	1,033	5.8	20	92
New England[3]	1,171	. . .	. . .	19	87
New Mexico	4,769	5,241	-9.0	21	90
New York	1,449	1,280	13.2	10	81
North Carolina	29,488	29,116	1.2	10	83
Northern Plains	1,002	1,798	-44.3	10	83
Northwest	4,036	3,841	5.1	15	89
Ohio	5,176	5,201	-0.5	12	87
Oklahoma	25,302	27,132	-6.7	21	88
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,133	968	17.0	13	89
South Carolina	19,464	19,665	-1.0	13	88
Tennessee	30,388	31,497	-3.5	13	84
Texas	107,886	110,277	-2.2	31	88
Utah-Idaho	1,838	1,871	-3.1	15	83
Virginia	15,018	14,461	3.9	13	82
West Virginia	939	897	6.9	13	83
Wyoming[3]	707	. . .	. . .	14	83
Puerto Rico[4]	146	115	27.0	6	75

1For churches reporting at least one addition.
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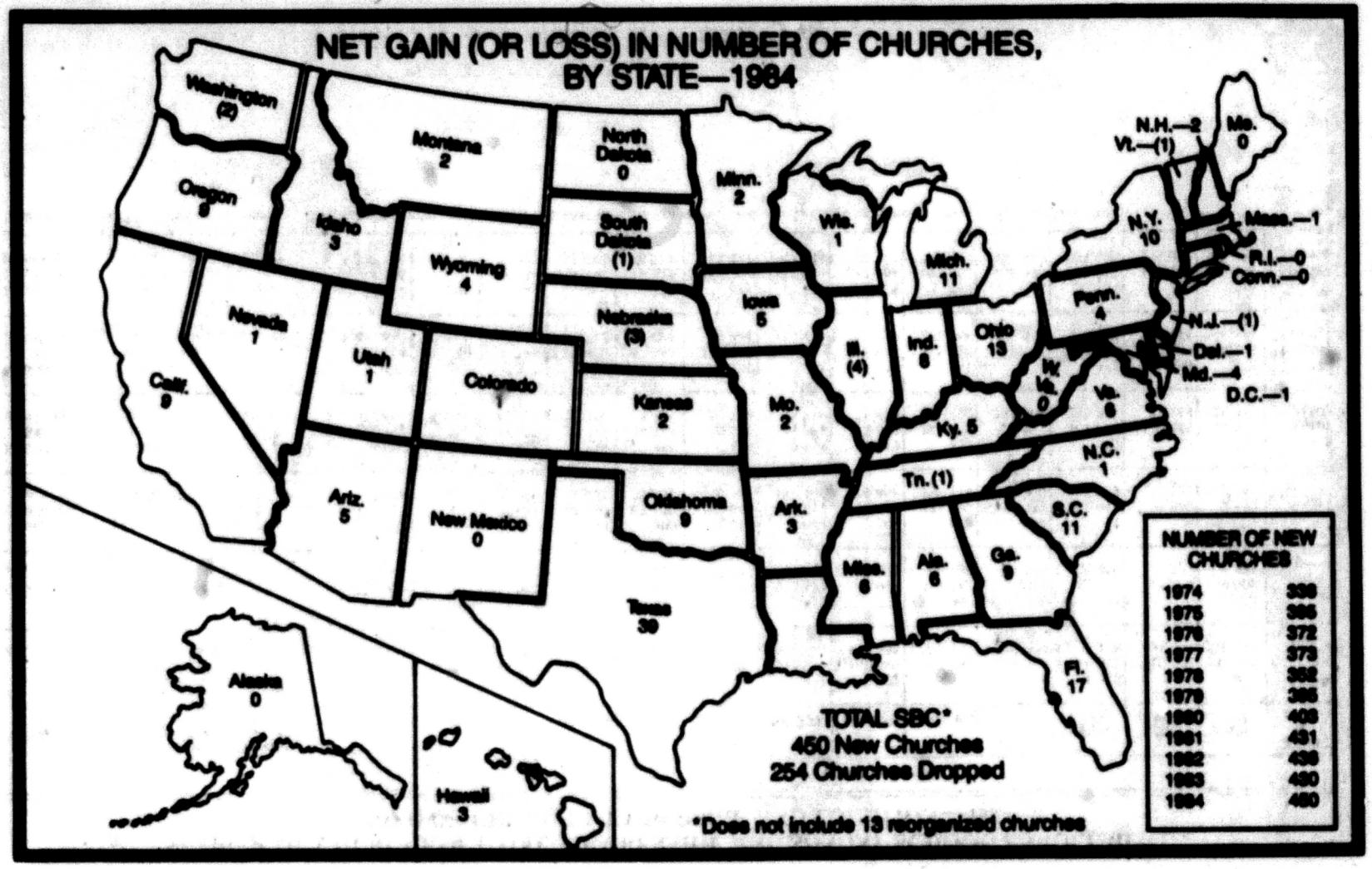
NET GAIN (OR LOSS) IN NUMBER OF CHURCHES, BY STATE—1984
Washington (2)
Oregon 9
Idaho 3
Montana 2
Wyoming 4
North Dakota 0
South Dakota (1)
Nebraska (3)
Minn. 2
Iowa 5
Wis. 1
Mich. 11
Ill. (4)
Ind. 8
Ohio 13
Penn. 4
N.Y. 10
Me. 0
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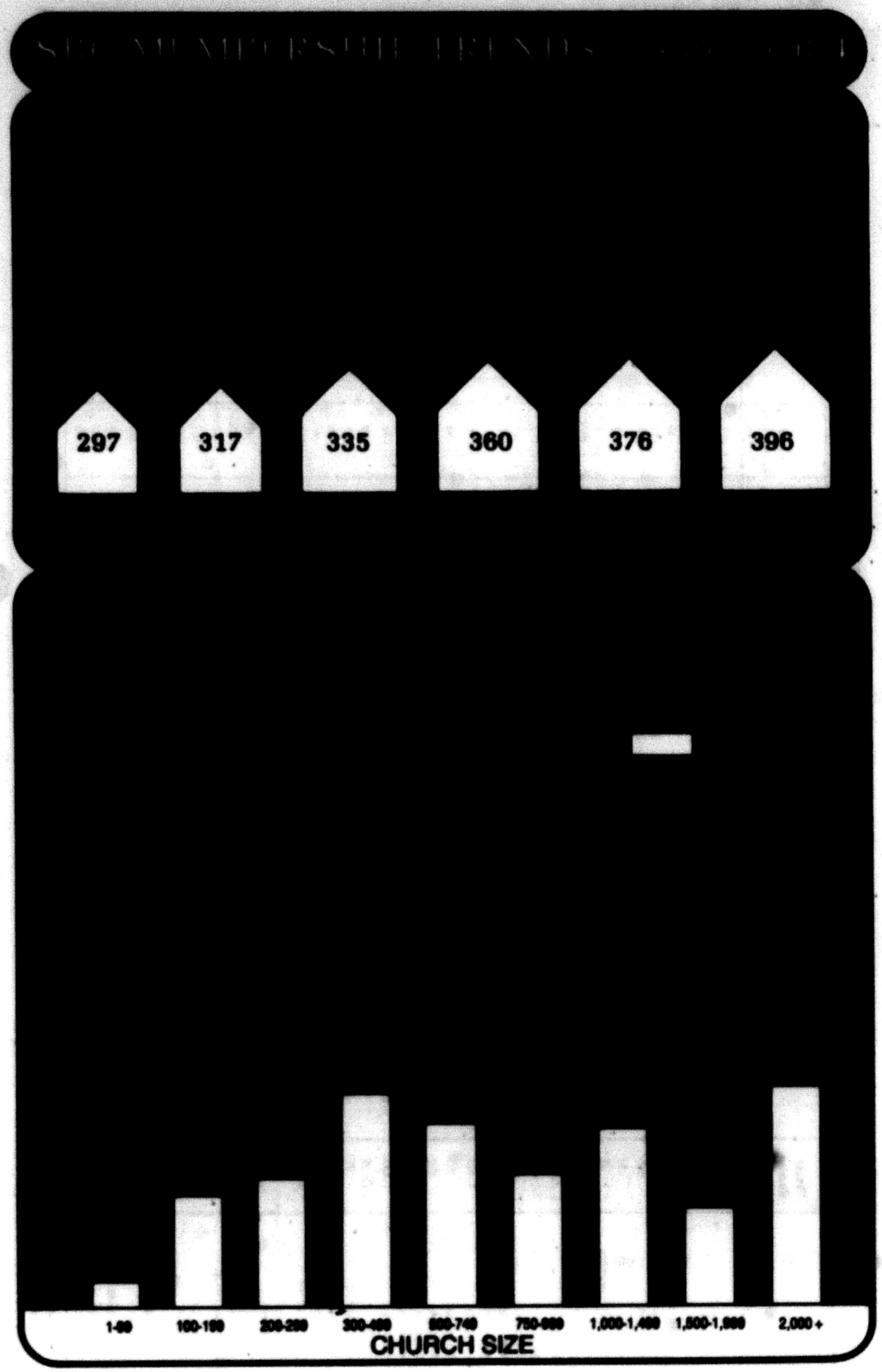
Mass.—1
R.I.—0
Conn.—0
N.J.—(1)
Del.—1
Md.—4
D.C.—1
Calif. 9
Nevada 1
Utah 1
Colorado 1
Kansas 2
Mo. 2
Ky. 5
W. Va. 0
Va. 6
N.C. 1
Tn. (1)
S.C. 11
Ariz. 5
New Mexico 0
Oklahoma 9
Ark. 3
Miss. 6
Ala. 6
Ga. 9
Fl. 17
Texas 39
Alaska 0
Hawaii 3
TOTAL SBC*
450 New Churches
254 Churches Dropped
*Does not include 13 reorganized churches
NUMBER OF NEW CHURCHES
1974 336
1975 365
1976 372
1977 373
1978 352
1979 365
1980 403
1981 431
1982 436
1983 430
1984 450

NUMBER OF CHURCHES[1], TOTAL MEMBERSHIP AND SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND LOCATION—1984

SBC and Location	Number of Churches, Total Membership, and Sunday School Enrollment	Totals	Size of Membership												
			1-49	50-99	100-149	150-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500-749	750-999	1,000-1,249	1,250-1,999	2,000-2,999	3,000 or more
SBC	Churches	36,235	2,130	4,568	4,670	4,205	6,180	3,972	2,607	3,448	1,671	1,525	995	414	250
	Membership	14,349,657	70,774	342,822	580,680	731,296	1,520,590	1,372,059	1,162,689	2,092,693	1,445,052	1,844,012	1,022,898	988,885	1,175,207
	Sunday School Enrollment	7,857,337	63,537	222,191	323,384	376,541	759,939	694,144	592,585	1,098,155	776,079	1,042,176	604,448	590,144	714,014
Open Country and Village	Churches	17,616	1,321	3,126	3,324	2,881	3,684	1,818	774	540	101	33	10	4	.....
	Membership	3,529,343	43,367	234,987	412,381	500,498	898,608	623,324	343,013	318,742	86,073	42,739	16,609	9,002	.....
	Sunday School Enrollment	1,770,066	32,412	135,582	207,710	238,217	424,727	301,883	170,226	168,104	50,120	26,210	8,237	6,658	.....
Town (500-2,499 pop.)	Churches	4,082	210	370	349	390	758	647	508	618	184	41	6	1	.....
	Membership	1,377,531	7,201	27,631	43,240	67,820	189,084	224,714	226,633	373,792	156,533	48,913	9,840	2,130	.....
	Sunday School Enrollment	738,224	8,029	20,379	26,821	37,779	99,162	114,509	114,668	199,114	83,209	27,769	5,521	1,264	.....
Small City (2,500-9,999 pop.)	Churches	3,596	166	315	258	255	439	364	319	632	375	372	77	21	3
	Membership	1,832,389	5,724	23,672	32,733	44,784	109,035	126,254	143,680	387,489	324,967	444,736	130,255	48,975	10,105
	Sunday School Enrollment	1,054,667	5,936	19,421	22,718	25,705	60,729	65,916	75,639	216,190	185,308	259,739	82,164	28,599	6,603
Medium City (10,000-49,999 pop.)	Churches	5,427	203	375	354	353	684	608	531	841	475	525	236	172	70
	Membership	3,415,958	6,936	28,178	43,930	61,369	170,355	212,145	236,914	515,020	413,107	634,246	410,209	408,240	275,309
	Sunday School Enrollment	1,996,832	8,022	24,014	32,222	38,081	93,834	114,710	127,239	278,768	226,573	374,482	252,474	244,684	181,729
Large City (50,000 or more pop.)	Churches	5,514	230	382	385	326	615	535	475	817	536	554	266	216	177
	Membership	4,194,436	7,546	28,354	48,396	56,825	153,508	185,622	212,469	497,650	464,372	673,378	455,985	520,538	889,793
	Sunday School Enrollment	2,297,548	9,138	22,795	33,913	36,759	81,487	97,146	104,813	235,979	230,869	353,976	256,052	308,939	525,682

[1]Does not include 505 nonreporting churches. "Nonreporting" refers to those still affiliated with the Convention, but who have not submitted a report in three or more years.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2,000+
CHURCH SIZE

NUMBER OF CHURCHES REPORTING SELECTED ITEMS—1984

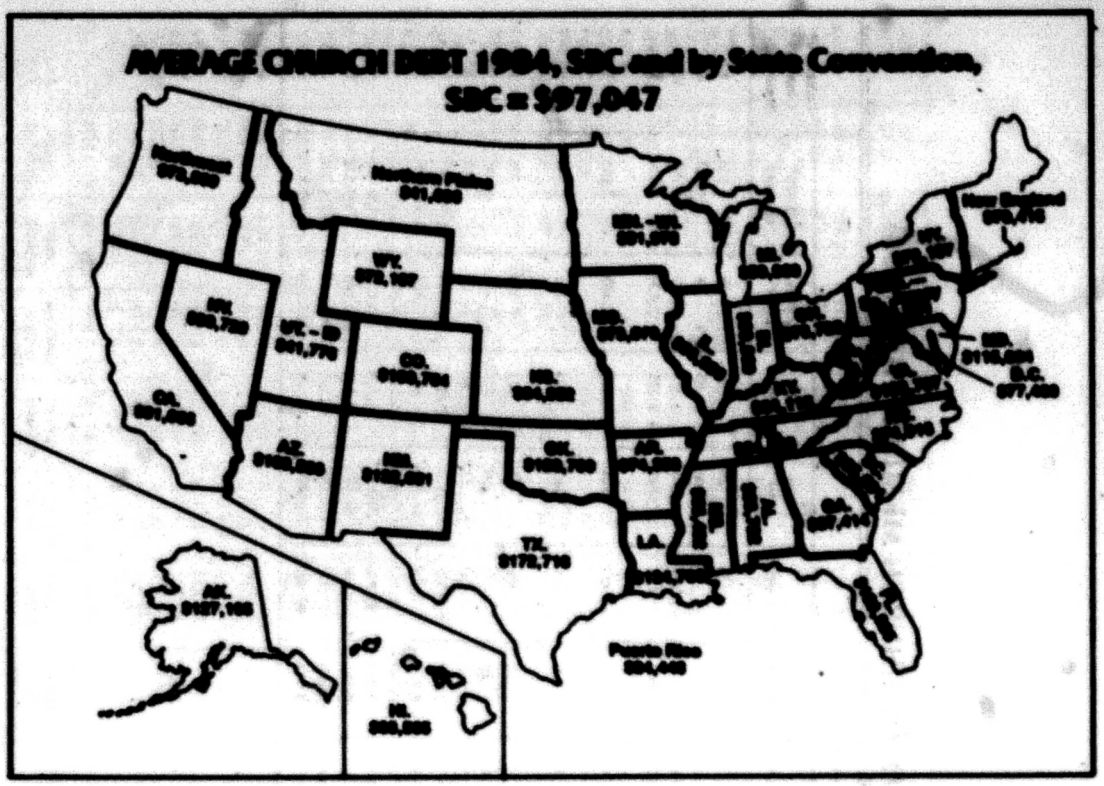
SBC and State Conventions	Total Number Reporting Churches	Church Budget	Witness Training	Strengthen Family Emphasis	Broadcast of Worship Service (TV or Radio)	Missions Committee	History Committee	Work with Language/ Culture Groups	Comprehensive Program Emphasis	Evangelistic Visitation Program	Family Enrichment Project	Library	BMT Prayer Activity	State Paper in Budget	Ethnic Sunday School Missions	Baptist Doctrine Study
SBC	36,235	25,562	6,700	1,830	3,554	7,356	8,359	1,646	11,215	11,395	5,477	16,711	9,423	17,428	3,823	10,371
Alabama	3,026	1,928	363	114	297	341	585	39	714	875	323	1,143	714	1,944	103	881
Alaska	41	30	14	5	6	22	16	2	18	14	10	20	16	25	16	16
Arizona	249	209	76	18	19	112	55	38	91	99	60	117	78	166	100	97
Arkansas	1,265	828	217	45	119	177	210	21	308	404	150	551	254	792	78	352
California	995	803	311	84	38	315	253	172	412	421	210	457	302	479	387	393
Colorado	177	151	62	4	11	70	37	14	70	85	51	94	53	133	53	74
District of Columbia	48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
Florida	1,602	1,300	435	102	153	418	466	101	618	605	368	836	471	780	227	587
Georgia	2,971	1,892	460	124	348	423	750	77	794	803	397	1,153	719	1,054	155	747
Hawaii	42	40	16	5	2	26	15	22	19	16	15	26	13	7	25	16
Illinois	804	531	145	43	113	153	142	28	258	237	112	367	248	441	88	254
Indiana	290	232	59	21	21	100	75	8	108	120	41	139	75	141	25	85
Kansas-Nebraska	226	179	66	22	4	88	56	19	96	86	61	135	63	118	45	94
Kentucky	2,145	1,074	300	94	350	279	349	26	580	640	251	798	445	658	80	508
Louisiana	1,324	973	231	62	104	280	257	55	340	445	191	592	266	560	90	376
Maryland	259	234	64	31	19	105	96	24	102	80	59	167	82	168	52	83
Michigan	203	132	52	13	9	64	38	14	65	75	24	81	39	43	32	72
Minnesota-Wisconsin2	79	61	30	14	2	36	15	15	39	32	16	39	33	33	27	40
Mississippi	1,936	1,436	252	77	207	312	320	28	554	493	221	747	448	1,411	61	547
Missouri	1,895	1,174	354	70	138	334	470	43	560	478	238	972	466	926	95	497
Nevada	59	51	25	5	2	30	15	12	26	27	19	26	26	36	19	31
New England2	71	59	22	7	2	39	10	10	24	27	15	30	39	7	19	13
New Mexico	258	217	62	29	31	86	59	39	91	93	46	139	76	207	116	94
New York	166	115	62	23	9	76	41	30	60	68	44	72	63	44	50	63
North Carolina	3,432	2,704	517	147	360	532	990	73	1,131	991	482	1,733	1,006	1,108	171	885
Northern Plains	118	104	37	8	6	42	25	11	55	49	21	55	39	64	30	42
Northwest	311	270	99	31	12	127	71	33	140	126	65	172	93	178	86	124
Ohio	490	392	119	27	9	180	110	22	184	174	68	243	127	109	55	158
Oklahoma	1,305	896	286	78	102	242	257	97	421	482	263	598	325	997	162	462
Penn.-So. Jersey	101	86	28	12	9	58	32	8	54	36	17	58	41	14	24	38
South Carolina	1,723	1,523	281	83	194	277	553	25	610	565	248	840	591	1,001	87	436
Tennessee	2,739	1,443	318	76	290	341	427	55	642	722	297	1,220	549	825	108	652
Texas	3,993	3,020	1,029	257	373	1,258	978	408	1,304	1,461	799	2,094	1,110	2,457	983	1,227
Utah-Idaho	83	64	33	8	3	39	20	13	42	38	12	41	25	58	27	35
Virginia	1,453	1,260	216	81	181	298	526	54	608	436	260	874	465	397	125	337
West Virginia	86	76	17	3	7	42	25	2	33	38	15	39	26	11	3	16
Wyoming2	60	51	19	5	2	24	10	4	29	30	10	29	25	34	12	30
Puerto Rico3	32	24	23	2	2	10	5	4	15	24	18	8	12	2	7	9

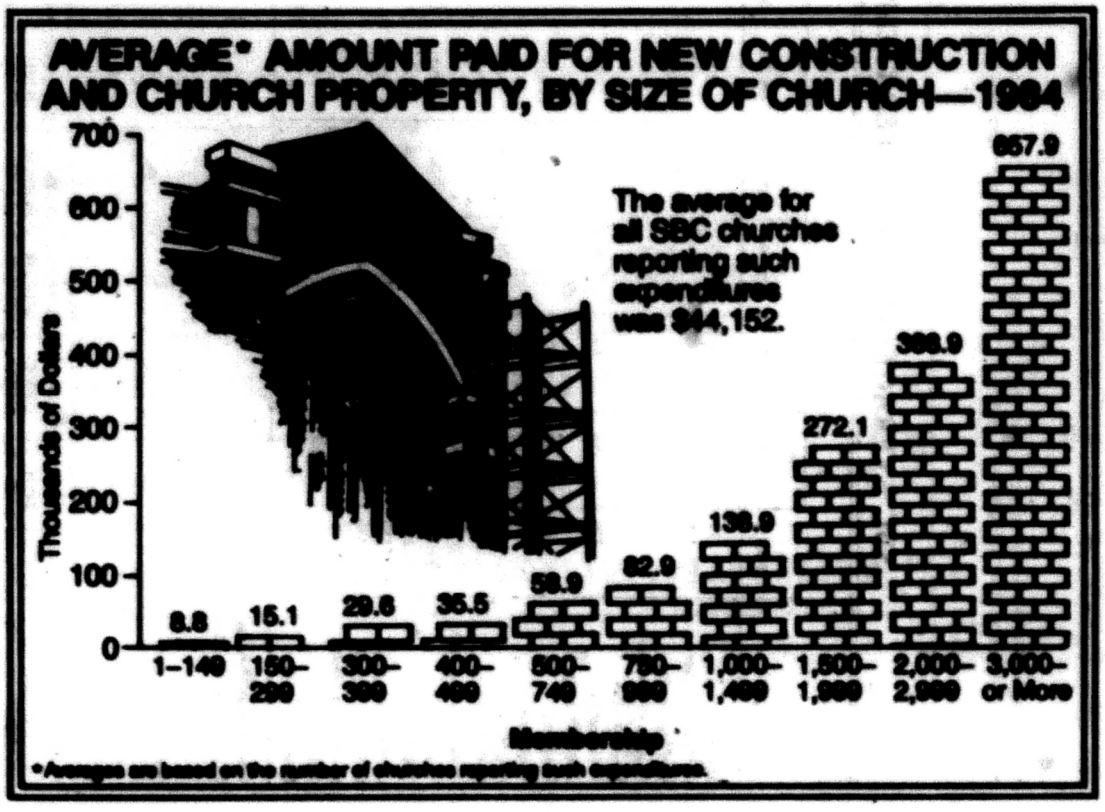
1Identified with a language/culture group other than Anglo or American Black.
2New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
3Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

SBC AVERAGE[1] FOR SELECTED ITEMS, BY SIZE OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—1984

Item	Total	Size of Membership													Percent of Churches Reporting[2]
		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	
Baptisms	12	4	5	6	6	8	10	12	15	20	26	39	59	138	82
Additions by Letter	16	6	6	6	7	9	11	14	20	29	40	65	98	223	85
Total Membership	396	33	75	124	174	246	345	446	607	865	1,208	1,719	2,389	4,701	100
Resident Membership	285	27	56	91	126	180	255	327	440	612	842	1,186	1,629	3,220	98
Sunday School Enrollment	220	32	50	70	90	124	176	228	320	465	684	1,016	1,425	2,868	99
Church Training Enrollment	86	22	30	38	45	58	73	86	106	132	165	209	291	541	64
Music Ministry Enrollment	56	9	15	20	25	33	42	52	70	101	148	212	299	521	82
WMU Enrollment	46	11	15	19	23	30	39	46	58	74	100	121	162	246	70
Brotherhood Enrollment	30	10	12	15	17	21	26	28	35	42	51	60	78	108	52
Total Gifts	$ 97,780	10,539	17,043	25,022	32,341	45,996	67,781	90,672	132,249	205,247	317,462	491,053	749,504	1,798,817	97
Total Receipts	$104,107	11,563	18,195	25,859	33,478	47,263	70,111	93,548	138,800	217,422	341,411	542,633	827,464	1,979,950	97
Local Expenditures	$ 85,556	9,455	14,635	21,578	27,873	38,354	58,228	76,773	114,446	176,250	277,715	456,213	708,657	1,656,582	98
Cooperative Program	$ 8,824	612	994	1,515	2,081	3,342	5,613	7,847	12,275	19,376	31,133	47,120	68,624	136,971	90
Mission Expenditures	$ 16,300	1,391	2,221	3,396	4,633	6,909	11,035	15,447	22,594	35,894	56,477	86,422	130,103	283,552	96
Church Debt	$ 97,047	20,508	24,783	31,815	32,229	37,473	52,058	60,669	89,298	122,977	185,556	311,590	488,334	1,114,201	42
New Construction	$ 44,152	5,918	7,403	11,071	13,932	16,569	29,573	35,463	58,864	82,924	138,877	272,141	388,950	657,857	27

[1]For churches reporting each item.
[2]As percent of reporting churches.


AVERAGE CHURCH DEBT 1984, SBC and by State Convention,
SBC = $97,047


AVERAGE* AMOUNT PAID FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND CHURCH PROPERTY, BY SIZE OF CHURCH—1984
Thousands of Dollars
700
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The average for all SBC churches reporting such expenditures was $44,152.
8.8
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82.9
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272.1
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657.9
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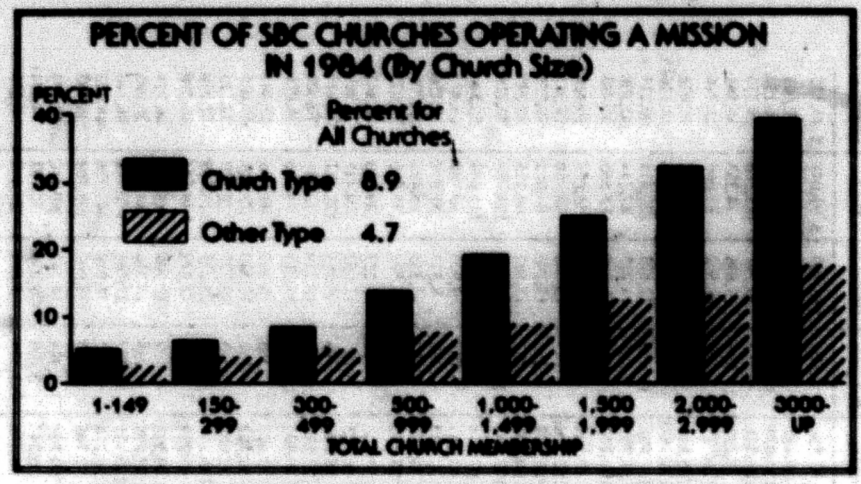
150–299
300–399
400–499
500–749
750–999
1,000–1,499
1,500–1,999
2,000–2,999
3,000– or More
Membership
*Averages are based on the number of churches reporting such expenditures.

AVERAGE[1] FOR SELECTED ITEMS, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Membership	Resident Membership	Sunday School Enrollment	Church Training Enrollment	Music Ministry Enrollment	WMU Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Baptisms	Additions by Letter	Total Gifts	Total Receipts	Local Expenditures	Cooperative Program	Mission Expenditures	Church Debt	New Construction
SBC	396	285	220	86	56	46	30	12	16	$ 97,700	$104,107	$ 85,556	$ 8,824	$16,300	$ 97,047	$ 44,152
Alabama	335	248	192	97	57	47	34	10	13	77,424	80,378	66,455	7,075	11,820	88,722	29,603
Alaska	395	220	196	90	48	42	28	24	33	147,640	151,350	137,022	10,333	20,204	127,195	106,152
Arizona	457	302	265	96	49	42	37	21	26	124,616	129,644	104,071	9,612	20,291	180,506	29,330
Arkansas	369	252	204	87	57	40	26	13	16	86,923	93,203	73,238	8,696	15,636	74,353	30,568
California	376	266	209	72	42	33	26	17	19	81,952	89,279	71,725	5,466	11,502	81,066	25,716
Colorado	382	244	197	73	49	29	23	16	28	112,515	119,085	96,196	7,123	18,102	108,736	75,078
Dist. of Columbia	615	548	236	46	51	47	24	13	16	150,251[2]	172,272[2]	173,467[2]	9,519[2]	27,520[2]	77,689[2]	43,146[2]
Florida	344	390	315	112	74	50	34	20	26	147,070	162,585	137,605	11,456	22,677	120,925	80,213
Georgia	399	303	216	84	64	53	35	11	16	97,499	103,932	84,755	8,521	14,725	87,414	42,208
Hawaii	306	213	201	58	40	31	19	18	19	91,580	125,797	101,149	9,322	18,719	88,565	38,723
Illinois	280	178	152	61	36	31	20	9	9	53,955	56,626	47,105	4,720	9,466	56,858	20,426
Indiana	295	242	189	75	36	28	19	13	12	60,773	66,010	52,516	5,125	10,342	60,980	19,373
Kansas-Nebraska	347	229	213	76	42	36	23	14	17	88,547	91,450	88,979	6,256	15,200	84,952	79,752
Kentucky	354	259	179	71	47	43	26	9	11	65,757	69,190	60,400	6,957	11,563	64,115	32,540
Louisiana	429	302	238	101	64	41	28	13	19	115,589	123,335	103,458	12,019	20,493	124,788	50,286
Maryland	380	300	234	65	42	37	23	11	14	107,068	117,999	97,114	9,613	18,668	115,084	50,540
Michigan	242	197	137	60	27	25	21	10	12	51,493	54,294	42,063	4,791	9,902	59,969	16,483
Minn.-Wis.[3]	152	120	112	50	28	24	15	11	12	42,255	47,036	37,040	2,988	8,327	51,978	10,156
Mississippi	333	240	185	88	56	44	29	10	13	85,587	90,501	74,583	8,920	15,333	66,492	32,300
Missouri	329	226	177	72	41	37	22	10	12	68,184	71,194	58,140	6,790	12,512	73,076	30,653
Nevada	305	205	212	73	34	23	17	25	20	69,466	75,571	57,980	5,308	13,223	89,720	11,867
New England[3]	195	143	147	49	27	24	18	14	19	53,979	66,621	46,125	3,766	11,062	70,415	22,969
New Mexico	460	279	226	77	51	34	23	19	21	107,054	111,544	88,090	8,445	18,213	122,681	22,914
New York	135	105	94	40	29	29	22	12	10	51,540	55,238	57,691	3,099	10,359	72,137	70,402
North Carolina	335	263	194	74	53	53	33	8	10	80,793	85,543	69,406	7,503	14,215	74,016	36,028
Northern Plains	134	80	95	52	20	19	14	9	10	38,525	40,980	33,112	2,363	6,967	41,636	12,841
Northwest	252	171	171	59	27	24	16	14	15	60,035	65,264	50,862	4,632	12,595	73,509	17,005
Ohio	285	230	178	60	36	32	21	14	12	60,886	63,105	53,864	5,313	10,777	76,720	32,125
Oklahoma	522	334	275	94	62	40	30	18	21	125,062	129,310	115,194	11,311	21,273	129,709	77,276
Penn.-So. Jersey	172	144	139	51	29	27	21	11	13	54,219	60,173	45,734	3,821	12,179	49,354	16,396
South Carolina	399	315	238	87	61	63	35	10	13	106,269	112,464	90,591	10,107	17,908	85,591	46,228
Tennessee	383	290	202	86	60	45	28	10	13	86,430	91,469	72,898	7,753	13,738	84,828	28,885
Texas	591	389	323	99	75	49	33	19	31	170,338	183,906	149,145	14,287	27,765	172,718	86,140
Utah-Idaho	196	127	111	51	23	21	16	11	15	45,752	48,175	36,214	3,832	7,938	41,776	18,423
Virginia	407	312	222	75	54	54	28	9	13	93,311	98,159	77,748	8,722	15,902	103,707	36,755
West Virginia	297	235	172	47	39	31	18	14	13	70,193	74,283	59,773	4,944	14,743	67,610	19,774
Wyoming	194	125	116	53	26	25	15	12	14	48,723	49,917	36,343	3,900	9,031	72,187	4,874
Puerto Rico[4]	99	88	103	77	20	33	21	12	6	23,164	28,140	18,516	1,374	4,698	24,443	6,235

[1]For churches reporting each item.
[2]1983 data.
[3]New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[4]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.



NUMBER OF CHURCH-TYPE AND OTHER-TYPE MISSIONS STARTED AND CURRENTLY OPERATED BY SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCHES, 1984

SBC and State Conventions	Number of Church-type Missions		Number of Other-type Missions	
	Started in 1984	Currently Operated	Started in 1984	Currently Operated
SBC	1,283	4,868	938	3,165
Alabama	58	255	45	154
Alaska	6	27	7	14
Arizona	16	59	21	27
Arkansas	24	82	13	53
California	94	272	36	127
Colorado	8	42	7	12
District of Columbia[1]	...	...	...	...
Florida	63	231	66	182
Georgia	61	270	49	205
Hawaii	7	18	1	8
Illinois	36	102	21	118
Indiana	11	42	10	42
Kansas-Nebraska	21	66	16	28
Kentucky	65	245	36	119
Louisiana	45	195	32	93
Maryland	15	51	14	84
Michigan	23	55	8	37
Minnesota-Wisconsin[2]	16	50	9	14
Mississippi	41	165	25	139
Missouri	47	178	66	223
Nevada	10	35	6	20
New England[2]	8	32	8	16
New Mexico	7	72	8	24
New York	24	74	28	55
North Carolina	124	429	86	282
Northern Plains	9	40	...	12
Northwest	23	93	18	62
Ohio	20	115	18	74
Oklahoma	34	145	24	151
Penn.-So. Jersey	13	53	8	36
South Carolina	45	135	20	106
Tennessee	35	193	43	153
Texas	219	805	149	372
Utah-Idaho	9	40	7	22
Virginia	30	144	24	85
West Virginia	7	35	1	5
Wyoming[2]	6	15	4	3
Puerto Rico[3]	3	8	4	8

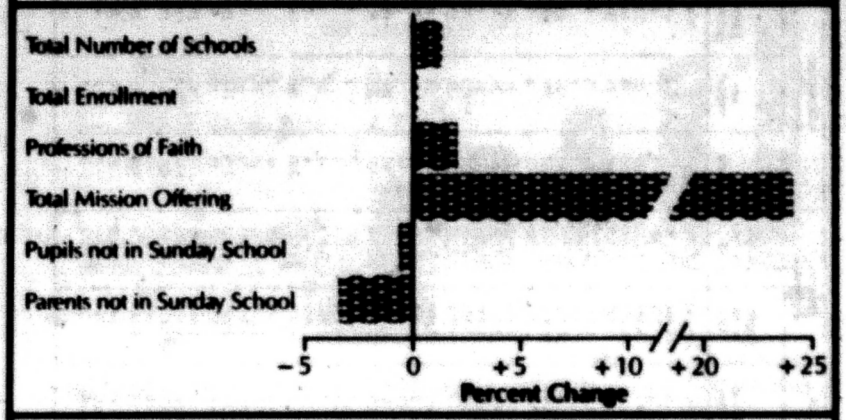
[1] Data not available for D.C.
[2] New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[3] Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT—1984

SBC and Its Convention	Total Schools	Total Enrollment	Number of Schools by Type: Church Schools	Number of Schools by Type: Mission of Other Church Schools	Number of Schools by Type: Mission Schools	Number of Schools by Type: Bible Fellowship Church Schools	Professions of Faith: Total	Professions of Faith: Ave. for Each Church School	Professions of Faith: Ave. for Each Mission School	Professions of Faith: Ave. for Each Bible Fellowship Church School	Mission Offering, Ave. Cost Per Pupil & Ave. Days: Total Mission Offering	Mission Offering, Ave. Cost Per Pupil & Ave. Days: Ave. Cost Per Pupil	Mission Offering, Ave. Cost Per Pupil & Ave. Days: Average Days	Persons Received: Profession of Faith	Persons Received: Baptism	Ages of Baptized Converts: Whole	Ages of Baptized Converts: Adolescent	Ages of Baptized Converts: Middle-Aged
SBC	36,384	3,349,777	28,169	76.7	2,386	4,809	53,326	2.7	4.4	4.5	$1,345,836	$3.31	5.6	219,342	315,239	6,913	3,332	749
Alabama	2,766	241,687	2,338	76.9	138	288	3,498	2.8	4.6	3.8	108,125	3.35	5.5	16,688	23,678	688	308	67
Alaska	31	2,577	17	41.5	9	5	66	2.3	1.0	3.3	1,356	3.53	7.1	211	388	8	3	1
Arizona	388	28,517	194	79.5	84	47	1,074	5.6	11.8	6.0	10,131	3.41	6.7	3,883	4,210	44	45	12
Arkansas	1,119	101,488	889	75.6	43	118	1,613	2.8	2.8	5.9	41,847	3.33	5.3	6,194	8,688	235	98	14
California	775	67,451	685	59.8	34	136	1,498	3.9	3.6	5.7	21,342	2.95	6.6	6,827	9,198	188	73	20
Colorado	346	16,145	123	69.1	34	89	373	3.8	6.0	3.1	5,183	2.67	5.6	1,521	1,722	39	16	3
District of Columbia	13	1,053	9	16.1	...	4	7	1.2	...	1.0	911	3.36	5.7	156	257	3	1	...
Florida	1,736	176,899	1,213	75.8	116	407	3,147	3.5	4.7	6.7	88,862	3.18	5.9	11,270	17,527	282	176	42
Georgia	2,855	269,688	2,388	78.8	133	382	3,339	2.3	2.3	4.9	108,136	3.42	5.4	15,948	23,914	387	275	68
Hawaii	62	2,642	34	61.5	4	14	37	1.4	3.5	1.0	1,046	3.14	7.5	331	515	1	4	1
Idaho	702	39,351	651	69.3	31	120	688	1.8	2.8	2.3	26,981	3.18	5.9	3,930	6,218	143	71	14
Illinois	384	22,309	315	74.9	26	33	310	2.2	0.8	2.5	8,892	3.09	5.8	1,931	2,591	62	25	6
Indiana	229	10,133	157	68.6	26	37	253	2.7	1.3	1.2	5,492	2.89	5.9	1,136	1,595	35	21	2
Iowa	2,971	187,704	1,792	68.4	99	190	1,998	2.0	1.9	2.2	76,623	3.33	5.4	13,184	20,474	331	155	38
Kansas	1,554	136,644	1,289	78.1	80	135	2,119	3.3	10.2	6.5	55,177	3.59	5.7	6,998	12,222	227	131	33
Kentucky	389	23,881	286	61.5	17	71	388	2.4	2.5	1.6	12,314	3.11	6.2	2,889	3,519	57	38	8
Louisiana	257	14,886	114	52.2	22	101	281	2.8	1.8	4.1	5,833	2.67	6.3	1,481	2,348	33	18	5
Maine	121	4,888	27	67.1	11	33	126	2.3	...	...	1,819	2.73	5.2	356	556	13	3	1
Maryland	1,748	148,888	1,514	77.8	74	160	1,888	2.8	0.7	2.5	70,998	3.48	5.6	9,270	12,222	393	188	45
Michigan	1,887	152,188	1,488	78.9	84	288	2,639	2.4	3.3	3.7	73,836	3.85	5.9	13,611	21,788	429	281	58
Minnesota	88	5,478	68	76.2	17	35	147	5.7	36.0	5.3	1,857	3.92	6.1	688	927	7	5	3
Mississippi	28	1,337	18	66.9	1	15	16	0.2	...	...	148	2.84	5.0	114	163	3	...	...
Missouri	288	26,888	188	72.6	28	39	483	5.8	4.6	1.5	8,485	2.99	5.7	2,336	3,477	44	28	6
Montana	178	6,588	34	68.4	21	81	81	1.8	...	5.0	1,888	2.38	5.5	652	681	8	7	1
North Carolina	3,672	279,588	2,988	68.1	128	387	3,986	2.1	3.1	2.7	168,834	3.58	5.7	16,629	23,687	838	388	88
North Dakota	172	8,712	88	68.9	38	36	83	1.7	...	3.0	1,298	2.88	5.3	444	688	16	2	...
Ohio	388	21,388	188	38.8	44	84	478	3.9	6.5	3.5	6,628	2.68	6.7	2,326	3,588	38	31	9
Oklahoma	844	44,388	386	73.7	48	148	811	3.6	5.1	5.8	14,886	2.53	9.5	3,881	5,733	75	34	9
Oregon	1,388	148,884	1,188	78.9	71	87	2,488	3.9	6.5	5.1	51,473	3.12	5.6	9,888	13,138	218	114	25
Pennsylvania-S. Jersey	184	16,588	88	78.4	24	171	238	2.8	...	5.3	3,153	3.48	6.4	878	1,823	14	10	4
South Carolina	1,848	168,387	1,528	88.1	184	222	2,881	2.4	4.8	6.8	63,848	3.57	5.4	7,919	11,388	437	143	27
Tennessee	2,482	225,388	2,158	77.2	118	214	3,833	2.1	6.5	3.4	98,778	3.44	5.4	13,388	28,543	534	264	61
Texas	3,788	475,871	2,833	68.1	568	488	12,147	5.3	7.5	8.7	158,228	3.18	5.5	31,637	48,212	681	332	73
Utah-Idaho	83	4,747	53	63.9	16	14	74	1.2	...	7.8	1,351	2.58	6.8	347	573	13	8	...
Virginia	1,535	133,813	1,278	87.1	88	166	1,368	1.4	3.9	3.8	72,374	3.23	5.8	9,183	14,175	358	158	35
West Virginia	138	9,434	73	87.2	21	38	213	4.1	...	6.3	3,888	3.34	5.6	748	1,288	16	10	4
Wyoming	88	4,388	38	88.7	12	44	381	5.4	...	3.7	1,353	2.48	6.8	751	981	8	5	4
Pacific Island	7	438	6	100.0	1	...	15	2.8	...	...	92	3.25	4.8	71	178	4	1	...
Misc.	88	8,888	38	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

[1]For state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 90.)
[2]For a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.
[3]No reports are tabulated by state convention.

Percent Change in Selected VBS Statistics, 1983-1984



Vacation Bible School experienced an increase in all areas except in the discovery of prospects. The number of both pupils and parents not in Sunday School declined in 1984.

ENROLLMENT AND AVERAGE ATTENDANCE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL AND MUSIC MINISTRY—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Sunday School			Music Ministry		
	Ongoing Enrollment	Average Weekly Attendance	Average Attendance As a Percentage of Ongoing Enrollment	Ongoing Enrollment	Average Weekly Attendance	Average Attendance As a Percentage of Ongoing Enrollment
SBC	7,857,337	3,791,345	48.3	1,667,385	1,109,659	66.6
Alabama	571,390	279,491	48.9	131,961	89,664	67.9
Alaska	7,460	3,611	48.4	1,523	1,000	65.7
Arizona	65,194	29,296	44.9	9,850	6,535	66.3
Arkansas	255,377	122,581	48.0	50,170	33,849	67.5
California	201,112	85,645	42.6	36,160	22,725	62.8
Colorado	34,724	17,701	51.0	6,994	4,602	65.8
District of Columbia	10,156	4,442	43.7	1,640	802	48.9
Florida	497,693	223,871	45.0	106,699	72,674	68.1
Georgia	628,999	310,775	49.4	154,422	105,336	68.2
Hawaii	8,451	4,634	54.8	1,384	834	60.3
Illinois	134,195	64,155	47.8	23,745	15,066	63.4
Indiana	54,414	23,139	42.5	8,215	5,186	63.1
Kansas-Nebraska	47,335	21,673	45.8	8,267	5,186	62.7
Kentucky	376,980	193,170	51.2	83,761	55,265	66.0
Louisiana	311,895	137,068	43.9	68,159	45,748	67.1
Maryland	58,499	27,049	46.2	10,052	6,488	64.5
Michigan	27,496	12,250	44.6	4,000	2,260	56.5
Minnesota-Wisconsin[1]	8,884	4,400	49.5	1,727	1,039	60.2
Mississippi	351,897	183,191	52.1	98,135	66,934	68.2
Missouri	332,699	158,414	47.6	63,558	39,199	61.7
Nevada	12,296	5,007	40.7	1,583	819	51.7
New England[1]	10,164	5,099	50.2	1,537	936	60.9
New Mexico	56,460	26,010	46.1	10,071	6,108	60.6
New York	14,829	8,210	55.4	3,431	1,941	56.6
North Carolina	660,231	351,575	53.3	163,804	110,160	67.3
Northern Plains	11,105	5,881	53.0	1,647	952	57.8
Northwest	52,430	21,984	41.9	6,795	3,990	58.7
Ohio	86,672	38,598	44.5	14,225	8,378	58.9
Oklahoma	383,035	169,101	44.1	64,032	41,826	65.3
Penn.-So. Jersey	14,059	6,181	44.0	2,581	1,484	57.5
South Carolina	406,053	210,947	52.0	96,518	66,205	68.6
Tennessee	544,192	285,683	52.5	123,863	84,028	67.8
Texas	1,267,780	579,097	45.7	232,104	153,156	66.0
Utah-Idaho	8,980	4,340	48.3	1,353	826	61.0
Virginia	319,110	154,337	48.4	68,905	45,409	65.9
West Virginia	14,828	7,033	47.4	3,039	2,105	69.3
Wyoming[1]	6,942	3,176	45.6	1,081	657	60.8
Puerto Rico[2]	3,301	2,520	76.3	374	287	76.7

[1]New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[2]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ONGOING ENROLLMENT BY DEPARTMENT—1984-1983

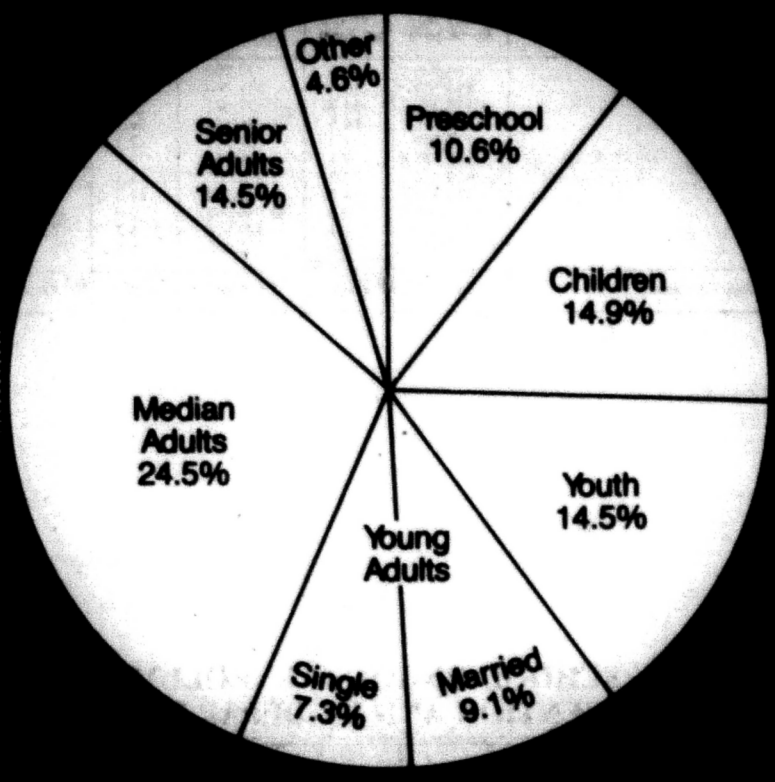
Department	1984		1983		1984-1983	
	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Numerical Change	Percent Change
Cradle Roll (1 year and under)	64,986	0.8	70,836	0.9	−5,850	−8.4
Preschool (2 years and under)	833,327	10.6	822,080	10.5	11,247	1.4
Children (6-11)	1,172,573	14.9	1,197,642	15.3	−25,069	−2.1
Youth (12-17)	1,136,316	14.5	1,136,110	14.5	206	0.0
Young Adult Single (18-29)	575,300	7.3	567,605	7.3	7,695	1.4
Young Adult Married (18-29)	715,671	9.1	719,610	9.2	−3,939	−0.5
Adult (30-59)	1,926,554	24.5	1,906,409	24.4	20,145	1.1
Senior Adult (60 and over)	1,136,464	14.5	1,105,872	14.2	30,592	2.8
Adults Away	48,166	0.6	44,581	0.6	3,585	8.0
Handicapped Units	105,455	1.4	103,018	1.3	2,437	2.4
General Officers	142,605	1.8	141,680	1.8	925	0.7
Total Sunday School Ongoing Enrollment	7,857,337	100.0	7,815,443	100.0	41,894	0.5

SUNDAY SCHOOL ONGOING ENROLLMENT BY STATE CONVENTION AND BY DEPARTMENT—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Cradle Roll	Pre-school	Children	Youth	Y. Adult Single	Y. Adult Married	Adult	Senior Adult	Adults Away	Handicapped Units	General Officers
SBC	7,857,337	64,986	833,327	1,172,573	1,136,316	575,300	715,671	1,926,554	1,136,464	48,166	105,455	142,605
Alabama	571,300	4,561	57,061	78,783	79,262	42,288	54,463	144,389	86,415	3,267	8,845	11,236
Alaska	7,488	98	1,316	1,489	1,134	517	847	1,691	272	14	4	177
Arizona	65,196	331	8,335	11,520	10,206	5,251	5,633	14,549	7,193	189	526	950
Arkansas	255,377	1,799	25,817	37,985	36,168	16,936	23,894	63,829	40,385	1,709	3,325	4,487
California	281,112	1,740	23,489	39,167	33,343	16,761	17,537	41,188	21,550	920	1,509	4,088
Colorado	34,724	270	4,873	6,113	5,388	2,826	3,238	8,675	2,788	119	229	513
Dist. of Columbia	10,156	21	922	1,716	1,578	694	888	2,543	1,440	98	....	256
Florida	497,883	3,377	51,336	76,448	74,735	41,974	41,649	118,047	73,371	3,388	5,932	7,525
Georgia	638,999	5,206	64,061	88,660	88,685	46,502	56,865	164,275	92,657	3,688	9,963	11,279
Hawaii	8,451	100	1,147	1,845	1,658	754	640	1,577	524	68	14	119
Illinois	134,195	1,809	15,556	26,489	20,946	8,687	12,361	28,862	17,314	963	1,891	2,876
Indiana	56,414	450	5,897	9,947	9,201	4,475	5,752	13,333	4,115	182	261	911
Kansas-Nebraska	47,330	388	6,003	8,151	6,920	3,608	4,864	10,836	4,637	277	321	720
Kentucky	376,980	3,837	38,252	56,636	54,491	26,000	34,776	98,088	57,190	1,927	5,432	7,501
Louisiana	311,895	2,656	35,272	48,824	45,330	23,379	30,746	72,380	41,725	1,882	4,523	5,288
Maryland	58,499	522	7,139	10,690	9,603	4,466	4,412	13,532	6,255	341	588	1,039
Michigan	27,496	306	3,156	5,369	4,619	1,861	2,231	6,605	2,369	205	155	603
Minnesota-Wisconsin[1]	8,884	121	1,162	1,721	1,482	639	637	2,347	488	111	46	230
Mississippi	351,897	3,147	39,748	49,116	49,279	23,864	33,025	86,219	53,381	2,108	5,070	6,940
Missouri	332,699	2,655	37,884	50,326	48,621	22,830	27,740	73,751	50,035	1,684	4,234	6,709
Nevada	12,206	150	1,748	3,018	2,840	686	971	2,636	718	49	55	289
New England	10,166	115	1,288	1,983	1,514	838	894	2,534	696	74	82	199
New Mexico	56,468	475	6,384	9,689	8,332	3,955	5,928	13,887	7,226	668	688	1,686
New York	14,829	225	1,723	2,486	2,376	1,284	1,256	3,889	768	229	134	529
North Carolina	660,231	5,717	61,704	93,422	88,259	43,538	61,856	177,777	109,782	4,349	11,496	14,339
Northern Plains	11,105	118	2,117	2,577	1,593	666	970	2,279	485	9	61	252
Northwest	52,430	501	7,689	10,310	8,589	3,621	5,040	10,465	4,595	270	375	916
Ohio	86,672	779	10,708	17,251	14,682	5,720	8,122	20,056	6,677	586	367	1,634
Oklahoma	383,035	3,210	42,015	58,887	59,681	31,309	35,834	87,561	52,170	2,180	4,633	5,575
Penn.-So. Jersey	14,099	88	1,889	2,680	2,442	1,016	1,884	3,443	1,107	103	52	332
South Carolina	406,693	3,704	40,731	54,848	54,385	26,949	37,035	105,561	65,984	2,360	7,446	7,052
Tennessee	544,192	4,221	53,955	73,394	73,955	40,877	51,456	142,521	82,576	3,072	7,108	11,060
Texas	1,367,708	9,507	137,686	187,527	186,985	97,091	115,598	304,393	183,815	6,576	16,695	19,107
Utah-Idaho	8,988	83	1,396	1,937	1,396	425	984	2,022	519	38	29	231
Virginia	319,110	2,829	30,391	45,253	44,871	20,136	25,146	83,146	53,534	2,761	4,991	6,092
West Virginia	14,828	207	1,662	2,041	2,162	793	1,301	3,888	1,539	40	148	327
Wyoming	6,962	86	1,214	1,587	1,168	263	888	1,293	612	7	9	125
Puerto Rico	3,301	42	397	515	666	349	197	896	175	52	9	203

[1]New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
[2]Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

DISTRIBUTION OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY AGE GROUP, 1984



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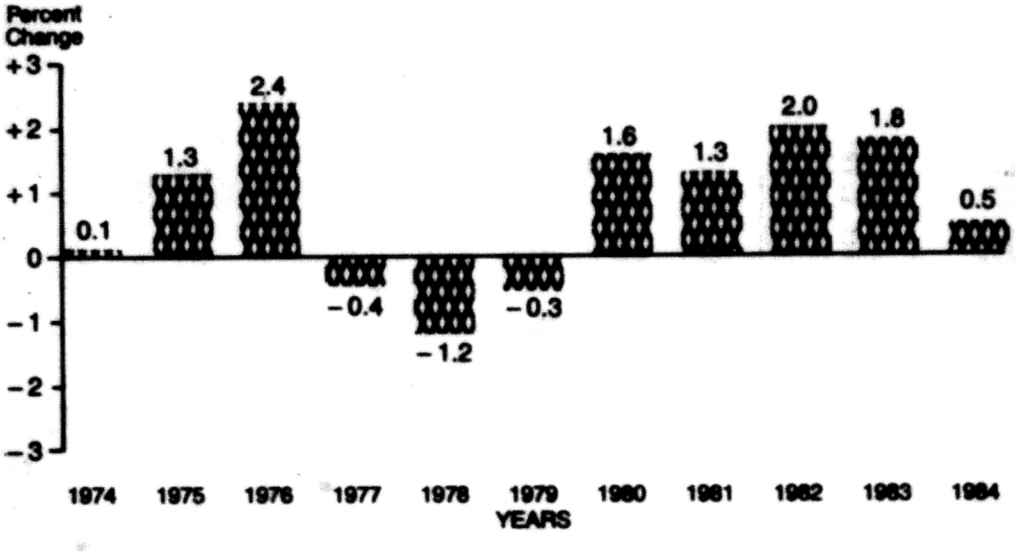

SUMMARY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Ongoing Sunday School Enrollment										Churches Reporting Ongoing Sunday School Enrollment	
						Church Location						
	1984	1983	1984-1983 % Change	1984-1979 % Change	1984-1974 % Change	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.)	Number	Percent1
SBC	7,857,337	7,815,443	0.5	7.4	9.3	1,770,066	738,224	1,054,667	1,996,832	2,297,548	35,692	99
Alabama	571,390	565,017	1.1	8.7	9.4	173,278	46,046	86,276	119,266	146,524	2,970	98
Alaska	7,460	7,685	−2.9	0.6	12.4	981	674	1,396	1,289	3,120	38	93
Arizona	65,194	65,348	−0.2	20.4	26.4	2,375	3,183	8,788	10,092	40,756	246	99
Arkansas	255,377	255,013	0.1	9.3	14.7	56,300	32,257	44,239	68,385	54,196	1,254	99
California	201,112	199,989	0.6	23.1	27.7	3,648	6,090	17,746	74,773	98,855	961	97
Colorado	34,724	35,524	−2.3	17.7	22.5	1,281	2,338	4,873	8,743	17,489	176	99
Dist. of Columbia	10,156	9,554	6.3	−18.3	−35.3	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	10,156	43	90
Florida	497,693	489,269	1.7	14.1	16.8	58,339	30,108	61,222	139,210	208,814	1,580	99
Georgia	628,999	624,928	0.7	6.1	8.0	171,904	51,573	100,268	217,944	87,310	2,907	98
Hawaii	8,451	7,927	6.6	9.8	20.5	209	304	1,302	3,668	2,968	42	100
Illinois	134,195	137,124	−2.1	3.8	2.4	23,634	18,103	33,384	44,268	14,806	880	98
Indiana	54,414	52,911	2.8	11.6	13.7	4,131	4,222	6,853	22,467	16,741	288	99
Kansas-Nebraska	47,335	46,438	1.9	17.7	19.6	1,377	4,571	8,737	12,036	20,614	222	98
Kentucky	376,980	377,428	−0.1	4.1	3.9	141,065	39,367	49,375	77,431	69,742	2,110	98
Louisiana	311,895	306,909	1.6	7.7	14.9	78,344	31,133	33,523	65,061	103,834	1,310	99
Maryland	58,499	70,237	−16.7	−7.8	−8.3	8,419	4,856	5,888	26,884	12,452	250	97
Michigan	27,496	28,127	−2.2	−0.1	4.8	947	1,248	3,309	11,549	10,443	201	99
Minnesota-Wisconsin2	8,884	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	251	248	581	2,184	5,620	79	100
Mississippi	351,897	350,423	0.4	4.5	10.0	125,854	38,365	44,472	109,336	33,870	1,903	98
Missouri	332,699	333,962	−0.4	1.1	0.4	73,059	49,600	61,046	67,500	81,494	1,882	99
Nevada	12,296	13,264	−7.3	40.0	. . .	992	606	1,827	3,520	5,351	58	98
New England2	10,184	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	117	757	1,520	5,111	2,659	69	97
New Mexico	56,480	55,349	2.0	16.8	15.4	4,262	3,864	7,196	29,355	11,783	250	97
New York	14,859	14,779	0.3	13.3	24.2	584	826	1,339	6,789	5,291	157	95
North Carolina	660,231	662,292	−0.3	0.1	−4.1	277,073	64,933	66,985	121,841	129,399	3,398	99
Northern Plains	11,105	17,466	−36.4	−29.1	3.3	489	1,342	3,074	4,976	1,224	117	99
Northwest	52,430	51,579	1.6	20.4	47.6	1,860	5,802	7,144	22,635	14,989	307	99
Ohio	86,672	87,645	−1.1	1.7	10.6	7,434	7,827	9,818	29,504	32,089	485	99
Oklahoma	383,035	380,276	0.7	12.7	20.7	55,302	56,450	86,052	102,189	103,042	1,386	99
Penn.-So. Jersey	14,059	14,982	−6.2	11.2	40.7	1,393	1,031	2,513	6,362	2,760	100	99
South Carolina	406,053	408,540	−0.6	1.6	0.8	134,061	39,832	59,697	110,817	61,646	1,707	99
Tennessee	544,192	547,830	−0.7	4.3	4.3	153,978	43,456	57,089	121,089	168,580	2,695	98
Texas	1,267,780	1,252,044	1.3	12.0	16.4	110,071	116,075	168,141	277,903	595,590	3,922	98
Utah-Idaho	8,980	9,458	−5.1	19.4	37.6	243	833	2,363	2,880	2,661	81	98
Virginia	319,110	319,141	−0.0	−2.5	−7.7	94,516	26,380	20,576	60,928	116,710	1,440	99
West Virginia	14,828	13,701	8.2	41.7	55.1	1,794	2,059	4,139	6,011	825	86	100
Wyoming2	6,962	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	315	1,391	1,231	2,221	1,804	60	100
Puerto Rico3	3,301	3,284	0.5	19.0	. . .	186	474	685	615	1,341	32	100

1As percent of reporting churches.
2New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
3Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.

CHURCH TRAINING ENROLLMENT, BY DEPARTMENT—1984-1983

Department	1984 Enrollment	1984 Percent of Total	1983 Enrollment	1983 Percent of Total	1984-1983 Numerical Change	1984-1983 Percent Change
Preschool (5 years and under)	173,347	8.8	170,889	9.0	-5,522	-3.1
Children (6-11 years)	268,862	13.6	279,562	14.1	-10,700	-3.8
Youth (12-17 years)	343,562	17.4	354,116	17.8	-10,554	-3.0
Adult (18 and over)	742,697	37.6	745,283	37.5	-2,586	-0.4
Equipping Centers	56,547	2.9	63,361	3.2	-6,814	-10.8
New Church Member Training	78,202	4.0	81,391	4.1	-3,189	-3.9
MasterLife	21,833	1.1	15,416	0.8	6,417	41.6
Other	134,121	6.8	119,062	6.0	15,059	12.6
Hold File	100,822	5.1	96,370	4.8	4,452	4.6
General Officers	53,114	2.7	54,040	2.7	-926	-1.7
Total Church Training Enrollment	1,972,907	100.0	1,987,390	100.0	-14,483	-0.7

CHURCH TRAINING ONGOING ENROLLMENT BY STATE CONVENTION AND BY DEPARTMENT—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Pre-school	Children	Youth	Adult	Equipping Centers	New Church Member Training	Master-Life	Other	Hold File	General Officers
SBC	1,972,907	173,347	268,862	343,562	742,697	56,547	78,202	21,833	134,121	100,822	53,114
Alabama	219,957	21,874	32,271	41,270	97,285	4,774	3,435	1,711	6,645	4,348	6,344
Alaska	2,515	269	337	327	678	79	238	30	273	250	54
Arizona	16,380	1,411	2,002	2,257	4,794	416	2,213	128	1,916	888	335
Arkansas	81,158	7,980	12,530	15,000	35,219	1,555	1,548	434	2,671	2,087	2,144
California	43,769	2,623	4,544	5,638	16,150	2,391	3,510	828	4,509	4,202	1,374
Colorado	8,624	678	991	1,238	2,596	505	620	370	862	590	194
District of Columbia	912	36	97	177	353	80	....	....	148	....	21
Florida	133,159	10,185	16,425	21,613	48,574	3,791	7,111	1,288	12,709	8,241	3,182
Georgia	154,323	13,674	21,416	27,890	60,239	4,335	5,119	2,364	9,774	5,030	4,482
Hawaii	1,810	103	115	131	430	99	217	27	266	364	58
Illinois	23,790	1,605	2,611	3,265	7,387	1,179	1,494	309	2,570	2,781	589
Indiana	12,129	1,054	1,843	1,959	3,985	379	919	106	978	667	239
Kansas-Nebraska	12,177	1,148	1,628	1,919	4,054	482	936	86	922	702	300
Kentucky	75,426	5,770	9,689	12,985	26,165	3,033	3,391	339	7,664	4,560	1,830
Louisiana	98,218	10,409	15,844	18,426	41,345	1,818	1,853	541	3,057	2,179	2,746
Maryland	10,405	436	660	1,293	2,663	631	887	284	1,588	1,723	240
Michigan	7,357	375	706	905	2,347	275	790	56	826	986	171
Minnesota-Wisconsin	2,398	122	194	275	489	239	334	83	339	241	82
Mississippi	133,071	14,208	20,757	26,334	57,121	1,501	2,194	737	3,532	2,834	3,853
Missouri	78,372	6,409	10,768	12,645	28,034	3,347	3,290	894	4,871	5,902	2,212
Nevada	3,140	279	417	559	970	272	246	68	261	198	70
New England	1,923	139	169	144	289	129	305	69	186	464	29
New Mexico	14,235	1,251	2,101	2,111	5,188	689	515	391	1,171	431	387
New York	3,835	241	324	543	1,014	350	486	141	354	253	149
North Carolina	132,892	7,697	14,977	22,182	39,604	5,075	7,065	1,323	16,940	14,680	3,349
Northern Plains	3,106	259	335	198	641	137	562	149	552	217	56
Northwest	13,383	1,027	1,437	1,797	4,581	788	1,027	381	902	1,123	320
Ohio	16,844	1,422	2,144	2,687	5,586	519	1,342	409	1,117	1,196	422
Oklahoma	97,351	10,282	14,408	17,884	40,176	1,931	2,980	1,116	4,089	2,138	2,647
Penn.-So. Jersey	3,707	269	351	480	999	139	540	57	415	374	83
South Carolina	108,798	10,228	16,226	21,301	42,050	2,168	3,215	1,374	4,682	4,220	3,334
Tennessee	158,301	14,163	22,899	27,629	66,881	2,505	3,170	1,255	5,189	3,860	4,550
Texas	244,835	22,982	32,976	42,460	83,289	7,694	10,608	3,496	21,355	13,911	6,084
Utah-Idaho	2,882	313	374	401	731	54	181	106	282	369	71
Virginia	53,995	2,127	4,417	6,951	11,917	2,981	5,352	802	9,888	8,416	1,144
West Virginia	2,619	141	284	314	644	63	330	30	402	367	64
Wyoming[1]	2,882	240	307	303	574	133	159	56	148	114	48
Puerto Rico[2]	949	38	88	241	255	31	40	15	48	16	77

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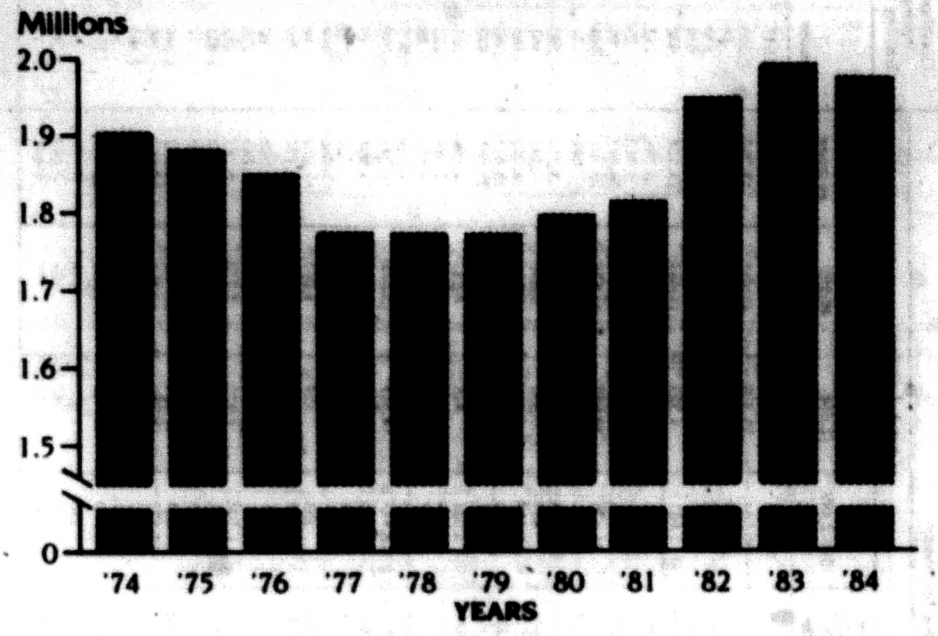
CHURCH TRAINING ENROLLMENTS, 1974-1984



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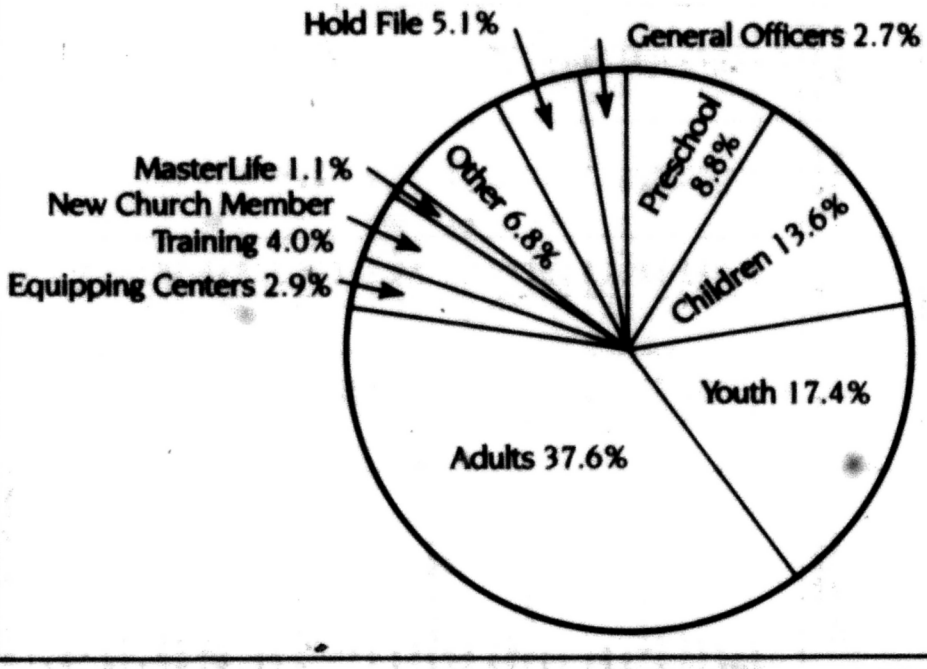

SUMMARY OF CHURCH TRAINING ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Ongoing Church Training Enrollment										Churches Reporting Ongoing Church Training Enrollment	
						Church Location						
	1984	1983	1984-1983 % Change	1984-1979 % Change	1984-1974 % Change	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.)	Number	Percent[1]
SBC	1,972,907	1,987,390	−0.7	12.6	3.6	536,399	199,957	258,105	473,737	504,709	23,041	64
Alabama	219,957	218,688	0.6	8.1	1.7	81,593	20,334	33,300	42,441	42,289	2,263	75
Alaska	2,515	2,477	1.5	15.9	17.9	428	400	276	382	1,029	28	68
Arizona	16,360	18,522	−11.7	21.8	17.7	384	667	2,057	2,961	10,291	170	68
Arkansas	81,158	83,366	−2.5	5.6	−2.6	23,926	12,890	14,017	17,216	13,109	928	73
California	43,769	42,564	2.8	19.3	5.5	600	1,081	4,323	14,641	23,124	608	61
Colorado	8,624	9,603	−10.2	12.5	11.9	461	466	1,113	2,298	4,286	115	65
Dist. of Columbia	912	994	−8.2	51.2	−47.6	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	912	20	42
Florida	133,159	129,137	3.1	21.4	21.6	21,191	9,115	15,488	32,751	54,697	1,189	74
Georgia	154,323	155,285	−0.6	6.2	−2.6	52,703	14,376	20,985	45,558	20,701	1,844	62
Hawaii	1,810	1,836	−1.4	35.3	68.1	31	65	155	717	842	31	74
Illinois	23,790	24,661	−3.5	26.3	−15.3	3,247	2,786	6,126	8,319	3,314	393	44
Indiana	12,129	12,933	−6.2	27.7	14.8	1,021	835	1,332	5,698	3,243	162	56
Kansas-Nebraska	12,177	12,279	−0.8	18.0	1.3	526	1,359	1,846	3,656	4,790	161	71
Kentucky	75,426	72,679	3.8	23.5	16.7	30,322	7,420	9,272	14,919	13,493	1,080	49
Louisiana	98,218	100,565	−2.3	2.6	−8.6	35,311	11,047	10,188	18,717	22,955	973	73
Maryland	10,405	13,213	−21.3	11.9	−4.9	1,699	1,088	846	4,883	1,899	161	62
Michigan	7,357	7,713	−4.6	27.7	33.4	198	214	873	3,283	2,789	122	60
Minnesota-Wisconsin[2]	2,398	. . . . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	12	32	196	605	1,553	48	61
Mississippi	133,071	134,998	−1.4	3.5	3.8	60,405	13,980	15,338	34,842	8,526	1,505	78
Missouri	78,372	79,859	−1.9	8.6	−7.3	19,825	13,947	14,515	15,638	16,747	1,086	57
Nevada	3,140	3,114	0.8	82.8	. . .	267	59	497	1,018	1,299	43	73
New England[2]	1,923	. . . . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	14	54	201	1,227	427	39	55
New Mexico	14,235	13,859	2.7	10.6	−1.9	1,178	1,615	1,587	7,949	1,906	184	71
New York	3,835	4,113	−6.8	51.0	54.8	206	263	329	1,767	1,270	96	58
North Carolina	132,892	124,489	6.7	37.6	22.3	52,249	11,221	14,497	24,751	30,174	1,799	52
Northern Plains	3,106	4,539	−31.6	−18.1	6.4	39	311	635	1,541	580	60	51
Northwest	13,383	13,209	1.3	26.2	24.6	515	1,021	1,838	5,734	4,285	226	73
Ohio	16,844	17,098	−1.5	8.4	−8.8	1,566	1,300	1,925	5,570	6,283	282	58
Oklahoma	97,351	96,293	1.1	10.2	4.5	18,222	17,496	16,342	24,599	20,692	1,022	73
Penn.-So. Jersey	3,707	3,773	−1.7	39.6	66.5	441	345	404	1,726	793	72	71
South Carolina	108,798	113,629	−4.3	4.3	−3.4	43,695	10,534	13,524	28,703	12,342	1,249	72
Tennessee	150,501	155,508	−3.2	3.1	−2.8	49,713	14,157	15,950	32,401	38,280	1,756	64
Texas	244,835	257,888	−5.1	11.3	+4.0	24,313	24,227	33,039	51,811	111,445	2,465	62
Utah-Idaho	2,882	3,257	−11.5	63.0	51.2	77	227	729	1,310	539	56	67
Virginia	53,995	52,651	2.6	53.5	42.7	11,938	4,089	2,945	12,438	22,085	719	49
West Virginia	2,619	2,219	18.0	111.2	44.8	196	354	1,067	943	59	56	65
Wyoming[2]	2,082	. . . . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	52	314	392	681	643	39	65
Puerto Rico[3]	849	499	70.1	74.0	. . .	145	108	43	55	498	11	34

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MUSIC MINISTRY ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY DEPARTMENT—1984-1983

Department	1984		1983		1984-1983	
	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Numerical Change	Percent Change
Preschool (4-5 years)	111,299	6.7	112,318	6.8	-1,019	-0.9
Children (6-11 years)	330,016	19.8	307,650	18.6	22,486	7.3
Youth (12-17 years)	273,812	16.4	284,654	17.2	-10,842	-3.8
Adult (18 and over)	645,850	38.7	651,883	39.3	-6,063	-0.9
Handbell Ringers	47,506	2.8	45,207	2.7	2,379	5.3
Vocal Ensembles	109,712	6.6	108,034	6.5	1,678	1.6
Instrumental Ensembles	29,607	1.8	28,579	1.7	1,028	3.6
General Leaders	120,323	7.2	119,269	7.2	1,054	0.9
Total Music Ministry Ongoing Enrollment	1,667,305	100.0	1,656,704	100.0	10,621	0.6

MUSIC MINISTRY ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY STATE CONVENTION AND BY DEPARTMENT—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Preschool	Children 6-8	Children 9-11	Youth 12-17	Adult	Handbell Ringers	Vocal Ensembles	Instrumental Ensembles	General Leaders
SBC	1,667,305	111,299	159,780	170,236	273,812	645,850	47,506	109,712	29,607	120,323
Alabama	131,961	8,651	11,882	13,377	25,239	51,358	2,842	7,713	1,574	9,325
Alaska	1,523	77	125	134	182	674	23	150	39	119
Arizona	9,858	637	973	989	1,381	3,850	222	784	382	732
Arkansas	50,170	3,657	5,350	5,946	8,536	17,726	1,774	3,113	691	3,457
California	36,169	1,391	2,956	3,162	4,810	16,161	522	3,288	972	2,970
Colorado	6,994	359	586	630	1,088	2,773	139	682	221	609
District of Columbia	1,640	76	158	155	229	819	68	42	6	87
Florida	106,089	6,788	9,849	10,827	17,734	42,726	3,154	7,932	2,788	6,589
Georgia	154,422	11,883	14,126	15,877	26,579	59,952	4,112	9,306	2,589	10,930
Hawaii	1,384	60	139	136	143	628	22	86	29	151
Illinois	23,745	1,222	2,048	2,379	3,530	9,357	236	2,063	520	2,390
Indiana	8,215	411	789	791	1,319	3,346	69	695	268	727
Kansas-Nebraska	8,267	480	771	838	1,127	3,167	281	571	269	783
Kentucky	83,761	5,788	7,854	8,707	12,832	31,627	2,076	5,898	1,838	7,160
Louisiana	68,159	4,732	7,334	7,583	11,632	26,356	1,849	3,596	822	4,265
Maryland	10,852	444	881	845	1,315	4,603	252	680	184	958
Michigan	4,689	177	288	291	674	1,708	33	286	74	477
Minn.-Wis.[1]	1,727	112	189	208	257	680	...	123	49	197
Mississippi	98,153	7,617	10,488	10,763	18,255	34,180	2,593	6,214	1,134	6,997
Missouri	63,550	4,011	6,173	6,465	9,189	23,742	1,410	5,522	1,261	5,785
Nevada	1,583	70	145	145	172	646	23	170	49	163
New England[1]	1,537	49	124	95	175	685	14	135	62	228
New Mexico	10,871	636	1,061	1,044	1,470	3,882	418	616	217	727
New York	3,431	131	232	294	570	1,466	39	255	138	306
North Carolina	163,804	9,219	14,588	15,664	26,451	68,448	5,143	9,782	2,355	12,234
Northern Plains	1,647	45	141	203	161	684	...	135	31	247
Northwest	6,795	227	485	467	907	2,959	33	684	147	886
Ohio	14,225	588	1,174	1,372	1,788	6,065	203	1,326	288	1,421
Oklahoma	66,852	4,995	6,986	6,935	9,971	23,617	1,543	4,882	1,314	3,949
Pen.-So. Jersey	2,581	109	198	208	441	1,080	...	184	76	283
South Carolina	98,518	6,597	8,963	9,993	16,657	37,214	3,126	5,741	1,488	6,861
Tennessee	125,083	7,625	11,794	12,932	20,546	47,940	3,827	8,189	1,992	9,018
Texas	252,104	18,706	25,432	24,681	37,205	84,461	8,688	14,580	4,684	13,747
Utah-Idaho	1,353	48	67	76	120	655	...	139	69	197
Virginia	68,985	4,437	6,201	6,612	10,704	27,505	2,882	4,092	1,114	4,958
West Virginia	3,659	119	257	301	326	1,440	44	238	75	239
Wyoming[1]	1,681	59	72	71	103	469	8	128	54	117
Puerto Rico[2]	574	11	9	6	57	109	...	122	14	46

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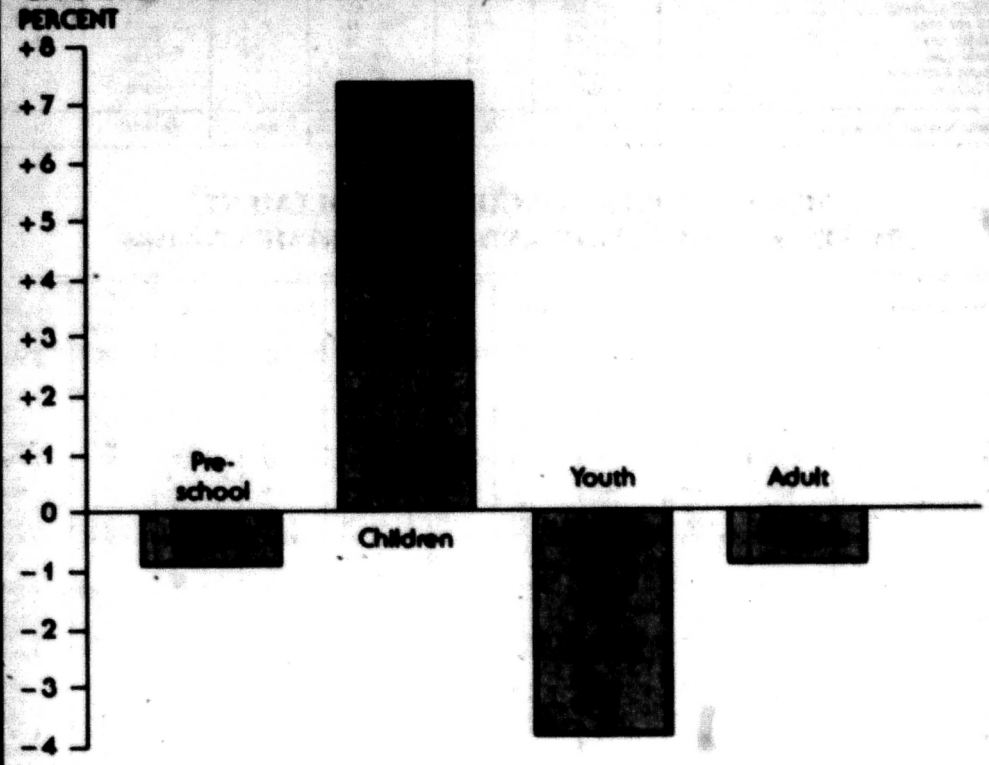
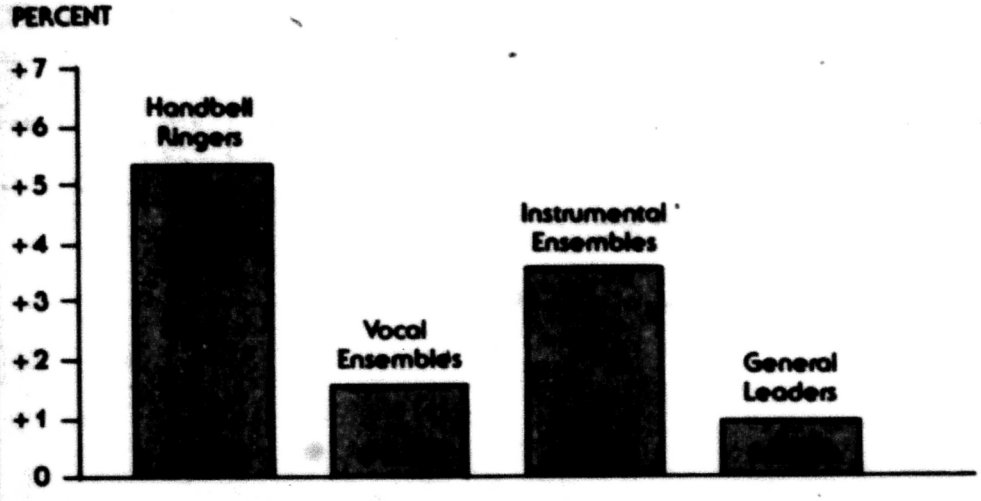
MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT, SBC

PERCENT CHANGE IN AGE-LEVEL CHOIR ENROLLMENTS, 1983-1984



PERCENT CHANGE IN SPECIAL GROUPS ENROLLMENTS, 1983-1984



SUMMARY OF MUSIC MINISTRY ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Ongoing Music Ministry Enrollment					Church Location					Churches Reporting Ongoing Music Ministry Enrollment	
	1984	1983	1983-1984 % Change	1980-1984 % Change	1974-1984 % Change	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.)	Number	Percent[1]
SBC	1,667,385	1,656,704	0.6	13.8	27.9	403,596	159,935	232,107	425,287	446,520	29,536	82
Alabama	131,951	130,297	1.3	11.0	24.2	40,388	12,834	21,759	27,484	30,316	2,398	75
Alaska	1,523	1,416	7.6	1.4	58.6	141	133	142	288	819	32	78
Arizona	9,850	10,232	-3.7	8.7	18.1	316	407	1,265	1,467	6,135	282	81
Arkansas	59,170	59,734	-1.1	12.5	32.5	8,716	6,449	10,391	14,425	10,279	885	79
California	36,160	36,471	-0.9	20.4	41.4	504	1,889	2,349	12,222	19,196	859	88
Colorado	6,994	7,298	-4.2	14.7	26.6	127	393	819	1,848	3,807	142	89
Dist. of Columbia	1,649	1,988	-17.5	-21.3	-42.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,649	32	97
Florida	106,699	104,659	1.9	17.9	31.9	13,481	6,694	14,285	30,641	41,598	1,448	98
Georgia	154,422	151,489	1.9	14.1	25.7	44,932	13,458	25,813	51,230	18,989	2,488	83
Hawaii	1,384	1,372	0.9	12.2	29.6	49	57	154	588	636	35	83
Illinois	23,745	23,481	1.5	18.8	43.6	4,862	2,986	5,897	8,149	2,651	661	74
Indiana	8,215	9,255	-11.2	16.0	28.7	661	653	854	3,668	2,401	226	78
Kansas-Nebraska	8,267	7,948	4.1	16.8	59.0	343	736	1,661	2,884	3,413	196	87
Kentucky	83,761	82,683	1.3	22.5	47.0	30,254	9,186	12,221	18,488	13,616	1,791	83
Louisiana	68,159	68,565	-0.6	13.6	28.5	17,840	7,107	7,619	14,344	21,249	1,809	89
Maryland	10,052	12,178	-17.5	-3.8	0.0	1,638	1,828	823	4,699	1,864	239	92
Michigan	4,888	4,101	-2.5	2.0	6.2	74	134	488	1,683	1,701	149	72
Minnesota-Wisconsin[2]	1,727	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	28	26	218	1,436	62	78
Mississippi	98,155	98,356	-0.2	11.8	31.5	34,942	11,370	13,505	30,307	8,031	1,693	97
Missouri	63,598	62,512	1.7	9.8	23.0	13,847	9,392	11,945	13,683	14,691	1,599	82
Nevada	1,583	1,538	2.9	23.7	...	102	69	201	429	791	46	78
New England[2]	1,537	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	132	288	716	468	58	82
New Mexico	10,071	9,994	0.8	13.0	26.2	598	716	1,488	5,649	1,708	198	77
New York	3,431	3,276	4.7	27.5	30.2	62	167	310	1,382	1,510	118	71
North Carolina	163,884	161,348	1.6	10.1	18.5	72,876	16,393	17,775	27,623	29,137	3,678	98
Northern Plains	1,667	2,398	-31.3	-17.2	15.8	112	170	416	782	167	81	69
Northwest	6,795	6,507	4.4	1.1	40.5	228	698	824	3,109	1,944	220	88
Ohio	14,225	14,083	1.0	16.1	22.7	1,322	1,017	1,037	4,838	5,421	398	81
Oklahoma	64,832	64,386	-0.5	14.8	33.9	6,615	8,770	11,660	19,394	17,693	1,832	74
Pntl.-So. Jersey	2,581	2,635	-2.0	8.7	62.7	325	289	343	1,889	544	88	87
South Carolina	98,518	97,231	-0.7	7.7	21.2	34,751	9,963	13,824	24,910	13,870	1,987	92
Tennessee	123,863	123,819	0.0	16.2	34.7	35,101	10,438	14,886	28,378	34,880	2,848	75
Texas	232,104	230,589	0.7	16.6	27.4	17,150	21,616	32,872	53,394	107,972	3,898	78
Utah-Idaho	1,353	1,429	-5.3	0.4	58.8	21	58	279	698	313	69	72
Virginia	68,985	69,416	-0.7	7.7	13.8	20,517	5,630	4,333	13,998	24,479	1,382	88
West Virginia	3,039	2,897	4.9	33.4	65.1	314	368	729	1,425	203	77	98
Wyoming[2]	1,081	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	163	157	380	332	41	68
Puerto Rico[3]	374	400	-6.5	59.1	...	39	68	55	45	175	19	59

[1] As percent of reporting churches.
[2] New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY ORGANIZATIONS—1984-1983

Organizations	1984		1983		1984-1983	
	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Numerical Change	Percent Change
Mission Friends (5 years and under)	162,313	13.9	158,643	13.5	3,670	2.3
Girls in Action (6-11 years)	223,666	19.1	227,781	19.4	−4,115	−1.8
Acteens (12-17 years)	123,660	10.6	125,542	10.7	−1,882	−1.5
Baptist Young Women (18-29 years)	76,173	6.5	78,335	6.7	−2,162	−2.8
Campus Baptist Young Women*	973	0.1	1,373	0.1	−400	−29.1
Baptist Women (30 years and over)	498,718	42.6	500,893	42.6	−2,175	−0.4
WMU Officers	84,127	7.2	82,787	7.0	1,340	1.6
Total WMU Ongoing Enrollment	1,169,630	100.0	1,175,354	100.0	−5,724	−0.5

*Reported by Woman's Missionary Union, Birmingham, AL.

WMU ONGOING ENROLLMENT
BY STATE CONVENTION AND BY ORGANIZATION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total	Mission Friends	Girls in Action	Acteens	Baptist Young Women	Baptist Women	WMU Officers	Campus Baptist Young Women*
SBC	1,169,630	162,313	223,666	123,660	76,173	498,718	84,127	973
Alabama	92,055	12,658	16,993	11,617	6,806	37,353	6,578	50
Alaska	1,304	213	268	131	140	409	143	. . .
Arizona	7,184	1,124	1,494	663	539	2,789	550	25
Arkansas	27,865	4,165	6,206	2,523	1,552	11,526	1,841	52
California	21,948	2,035	3,420	1,885	2,125	10,552	1,931	. . .
Colorado	3,677	689	944	268	74	1,412	275	15
District of Columbia	1,327	153	90	102	67	915	. . .	. . .
Florida	62,104	8,070	12,421	6,606	3,776	27,275	3,921	35
Georgia	114,702	16,086	20,189	12,525	7,651	49,870	8,281	100
Hawaii	996	91	127	78	126	489	85	. . .
Illinois	17,078	2,058	3,294	1,736	1,107	7,478	1,382	23
Indiana	5,794	741	1,240	674	236	2,352	551	. . .
Kansas-Nebraska	5,962	1,208	1,207	581	318	2,193	448	7
Kentucky	58,324	8,155	11,432	6,569	4,454	23,314	4,257	143
Louisiana	37,048	5,513	8,822	4,050	2,018	13,850	2,684	111
Maryland	8,127	1,230	1,549	736	334	3,675	603	. . .
Michigan	3,753	459	667	325	170	1,758	374	. . .
Minnesota-Wisconsin[1]	1,307	133	214	159	56	629	116	. . .
Mississippi	58,969	8,644	11,833	6,874	4,520	22,923	4,110	65
Missouri	48,384	6,219	9,501	4,071	2,500	22,331	3,762	. . .
Nevada	999	153	232	85	35	401	93	. . .
New England[1]	1,247	244	294	99	48	442	120	. . .
New Mexico	5,918	905	1,310	545	257	2,352	534	15
New York	2,880	323	373	317	211	1,340	286	30
North Carolina	141,856	17,605	22,549	15,260	10,769	65,657	9,966	50
Northern Plains	1,561	281	360	104	45	633	138	. . .
Northwest	5,027	594	926	360	282	2,411	454	. . .
Ohio	11,537	1,760	2,689	1,286	586	4,310	906	. . .
Oklahoma	35,710	5,899	8,483	3,193	2,005	13,731	2,360	39
Penn.-So. Jersey	2,026	218	382	227	72	944	183	. . .
South Carolina	97,403	12,711	15,477	11,126	7,471	43,883	6,667	68
Tennessee	77,567	10,379	14,345	9,246	5,441	32,127	5,919	110
Texas	135,871	22,862	33,509	13,376	7,198	49,919	8,972	35
Utah-Idaho	1,308	205	305	128	67	470	133	. . .
Virginia	66,755	7,922	9,594	5,693	2,861	35,506	5,179	. . .
West Virginia	2,340	337	499	276	119	922	187	. . .
Wyoming[1]	1,063	199	256	105	80	347	76	. . .
Puerto Rico[2]	654	72	172	61	57	230	62	. . .

[1]New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
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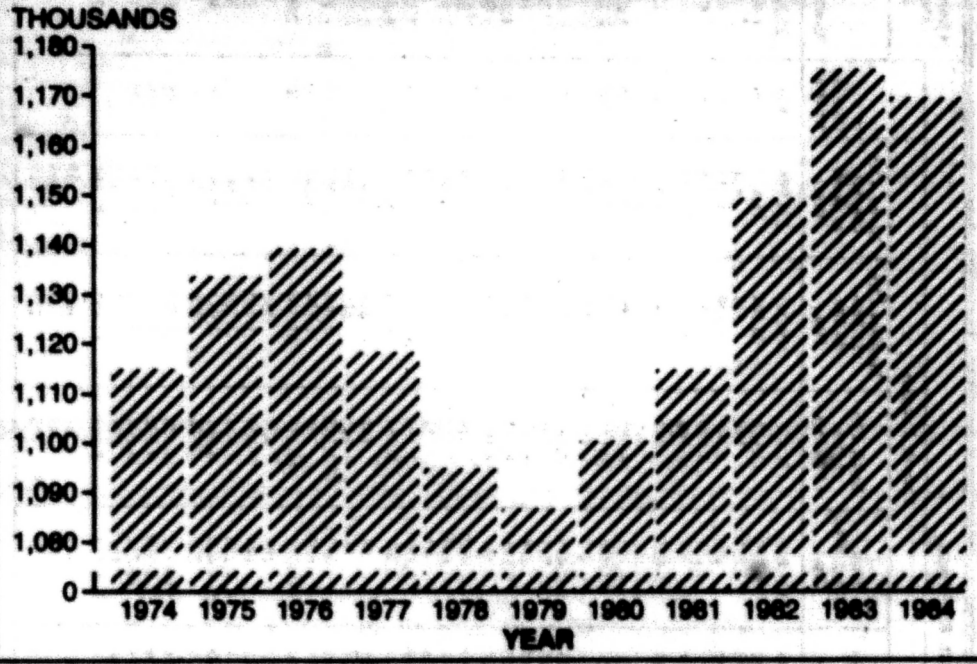
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

WMU ENROLLMENT 1974—1984



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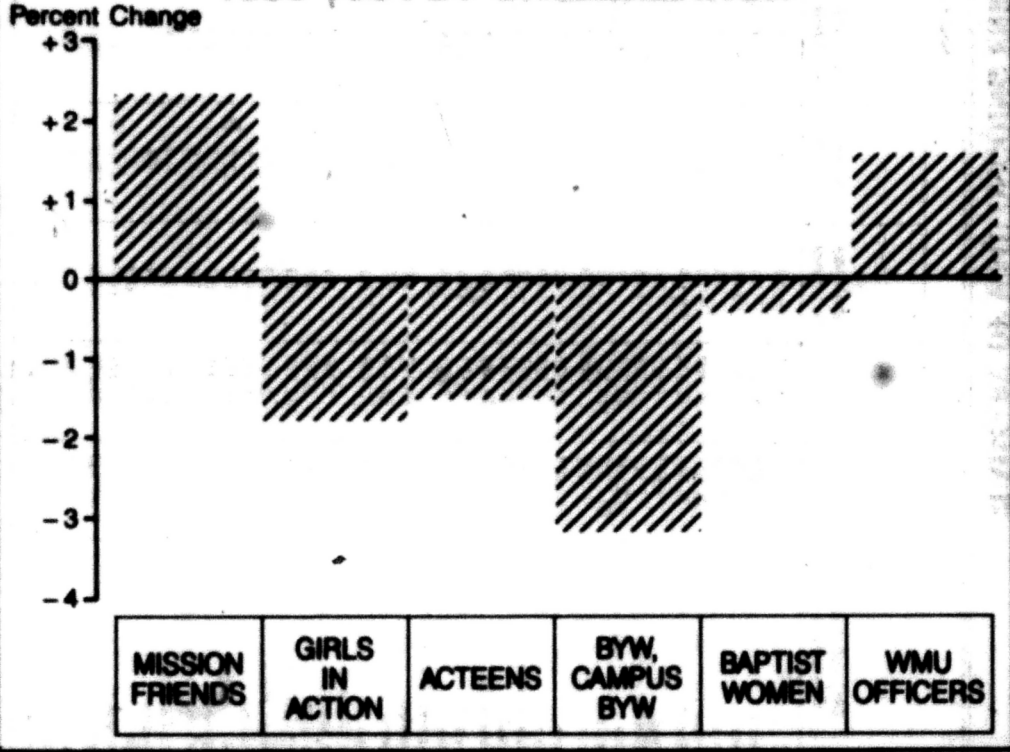

SUMMARY OF WMU ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Ongoing WMU Enrollment					Church Location						Changes Reporting Ongoing WMU Enrollment	
						Open Country and Village	Town (Pop. 2,500 to 9,999)	Small City (Pop. 10,000 to 49,999)	Medium City (Pop. 50,000 to 99,999)	Large City (Pop. 100,000 or more)	Changes 1983/84*	Number	Percent
	1984	1983	1983-1984 % Change	1980-1984 % Change	1979-1984 % Change								
SBC	1,169,630	1,175,354	-0.5	7.6	4.9	386,388	134,888	171,858	279,587	276,996	973	25,517	78
Alabama	92,885	93,283	-1.3	9.1	6.9	28,312	9,229	15,128	20,584	18,832	59	1,971	65
Alaska	1,304	969	34.6	32.5	66.1	192	221	148	335	408	...	31	76
Arizona	7,184	7,141	0.6	22.1	17.0	196	456	1,269	1,159	4,088	25	172	69
Arkansas	27,865	27,969	-0.4	10.3	6.0	4,778	4,258	5,899	7,457	5,430	52	701	55
California	21,948	22,372	-1.9	18.6	26.6	429	748	1,668	6,760	12,351	...	663	67
Colorado	3,677	3,592	2.4	18.9	12.4	143	483	682	847	1,507	15	126	71
Dist. of Columbia	1,327	1,628	-18.5	-36.7	-35.8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,327	...	28	68
Florida	62,104	62,773	-1.1	16.1	14.5	9,481	4,753	8,552	17,898	22,273	35	1,253	78
Georgia	114,702	114,323	0.2	7.1	7.7	33,982	12,836	20,174	34,203	14,307	100	2,175	73
Hawaii	996	828	20.3	13.6	6.9	.....	5	161	339	508	...	32	76
Idaho	17,878	17,836	-4.2	8.2	6.1	2,813	2,435	4,445	5,423	1,939	23	549	61
Indiana	5,794	5,528	4.8	-5.2	2.3	547	715	739	2,165	1,628	...	284	70
Illinois-Nebraska	5,982	6,027	-1.1	15.8	9.6	298	818	1,223	1,703	1,913	7	160	73
Kentucky	58,326	58,954	-1.0	16.4	12.9	20,925	7,885	9,144	11,418	8,889	143	1,360	63
Louisiana	37,848	37,884	-0.1	8.1	3.6	10,838	4,341	4,861	7,505	10,192	111	988	69
Maryland	8,127	9,573	-15.1	-7.7	-19.4	1,269	985	1,049	3,126	1,718	...	221	65
Michigan	3,753	3,665	2.4	1.0	12.4	95	148	512	1,682	1,496	...	149	73
Minnesota-Wisconsin	1,307	.....	...	...	...	26	13	78	231	949	...	36	68
Mississippi	58,089	58,362	1.0	15.6	19.3	21,831	8,139	7,736	17,382	3,970	65	1,334	69
Missouri	48,384	48,238	0.3	1.4	-9.7	11,478	9,287	9,854	8,108	9,737	...	1,319	70
Nevada	999	998	0.1	53.9	...	41	55	144	268	491	...	43	73
New England	1,347	.....	...	...	...	28	76	147	627	369	...	51	72
New Mexico	5,918	5,739	3.1	1.9	-5.2	398	467	1,185	2,888	953	15	176	68
New York	2,880	2,745	4.9	19.9	29.8	115	109	286	1,134	1,260	30	88	59
North Carolina	141,856	141,989	-0.1	5.1	2.6	57,930	16,372	16,327	27,436	23,741	50	2,681	78
Northern Plains	1,561	2,482	-37.1	-23.3	-7.9	77	187	455	558	284	...	82	69
Northwest	5,827	5,832	-0.1	11.6	38.6	242	589	636	2,193	1,367	...	211	68
Ohio	11,537	11,504	0.3	21.0	21.2	1,131	1,158	1,565	3,729	3,962	...	362	74
Oklahoma	35,710	36,035	-0.9	7.8	-0.8	5,570	6,488	6,207	8,043	8,491	39	857	64
Penn.-So. Jersey	2,886	1,969	2.9	-8.9	11.8	330	227	328	888	333	...	74	73
South Carolina	97,480	97,988	-0.5	4.8	2.8	26,891	10,770	14,126	23,587	12,761	68	1,535	80
Tennessee	77,367	79,345	-2.1	6.4	7.5	22,354	8,878	9,888	17,580	20,490	110	1,703	62
Texas	135,871	137,407	-0.9	7.3	6.1	12,388	16,224	28,388	29,275	57,641	39	2,759	69
Utah-Idaho	1,388	1,481	-11.7	19.0	4.1	68	137	271	477	355	...	61	73
Virginia	66,750	68,070	-1.9	-5.3	-18.6	22,418	6,572	5,647	11,457	20,656	...	1,242	80
West Virginia	2,349	2,398	1.8	36.8	31.2	262	437	723	883	36	...	75	87
Wyoming	1,863	.....	...	...	...	25	286	247	322	263	...	43	72
Puerto Rico	654	559	18.9	63.9	...	73	81	105	220	175	...	29	63

1As percent of reporting churches.
*Not counting churches reported in another state convention. (See page 95.)
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BROTHERHOOD ONGOING ENROLLMENT BY ORGANIZATIONS—1984-1983

Organizations	1984		1983		1984-1983	
	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Ongoing Enrollment	Percent of Total	Numerical Change	Percent Change
Crusaders (6-11 years)	158,007	27.8	159,779	28.3	−1,772	−1.1
Pioneers (12-17 years)	84,199	14.8	86,048	15.2	−1,849	−2.1
RA Director and Committee	31,248	5.5	30,997	5.5	251	0.8
Baptist Men—Basic	164,646	29.0	167,834	29.7	−3,188	−1.9
Baptist Men—Prayer	53,696	9.4	51,508	9.1	2,188	4.2
Baptist Men—Mission Action	30,370	5.3	25,338	4.5	5,032	19.9
Baptist Men—Witness or Lay Renewal	17,412	3.1	16,051	2.8	1,361	8.5
Brotherhood Director/General Officers	28,805	5.1	27,794	4.9	1,011	3.6
Total Brotherhood Ongoing Enrollment	568,383	100.0	565,349	100.0	3,034	0.5

BROTHERHOOD ONGOING ENROLLMENT BY STATE CONVENTION AND BY ORGANIZATION—1984

	Total	Crusaders	Pioneers	RA Director and Committee	Baptist Men—Basic	Baptist Men—Prayer	Baptist Men—Mission Action	Baptist Men—Witness or Lay Renewal	Director/General Officers
SBC	568,383	158,007	84,199	31,248	164,646	53,696	30,370	17,412	28,805
Alabama	57,075	13,832	9,838	2,928	19,808	3,469	3,012	1,128	3,060
Alaska	605	126	58	37	162	104	48	29	41
Arizona	4,504	966	305	181	1,023	835	550	508	136
Arkansas	11,703	3,926	1,288	585	2,877	1736	451	339	501
California	11,983	2,321	1,015	733	2,849	1,930	1,332	1,065	738
Colorado	2,080	724	232	139	196	487	120	102	90
Dist. of Columbia	365	99	68	52	97	21	13	5	10
Florida	34,016	8,938	4,298	1,749	10,447	4,159	1,868	1,019	1,538
Georgia	62,257	15,210	9,528	3,434	22,100	4,061	2,513	1,671	3,740
Hawaii	315	96	36	12	86	64	4	.....	17
Illinois	7,190	2,056	942	391	1,728	810	522	305	436
Indiana	2,701	802	333	193	570	408	79	125	191
Kansas-Nebraska	2,744	874	386	142	704	314	117	67	140
Kentucky	23,425	7,377	4,128	1,390	5,648	1,918	1,205	646	1,113
Louisiana	17,162	6,077	3,068	946	3,181	1,944	850	451	645
Maryland	3,575	982	331	192	932	556	215	181	186
Michigan	1,672	399	183	92	376	268	191	72	91
Minn.-Wis.[1]	568	146	63	43	82	95	88	18	33
Mississippi	31,796	8,458	4,243	1,646	10,338	2,884	1,681	767	1,779
Missouri	18,445	5,825	2,206	1,020	4,916	1,925	1,240	379	934
Nevada	481	88	8	34	96	174	15	17	49
New England[1]	695	171	85	49	166	100	60	22	42
New Mexico	3,154	1,001	299	184	791	448	151	108	171
New York	1,404	180	139	75	376	254	142	161	77
North Carolina	67,906	16,205	11,206	3,741	21,981	4,971	3,863	2,164	3,775
Northern Plains	654	197	55	71	100	145	35	12	39
Northwest	2,096	541	166	118	500	470	97	73	131
Ohio	5,863	1,763	741	398	1,330	681	379	210	861
Oklahoma	18,210	5,855	1,818	922	4,631	2,649	843	792	700
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,018	222	87	56	257	151	90	98	57
South Carolina	46,234	11,999	8,939	2,493	13,400	3,231	2,261	1,380	2,531
Tennessee	33,720	10,189	4,462	1,976	9,796	2,372	1,481	851	1,593
Texas	69,750	24,152	9,191	3,827	16,565	8,039	3,321	1,897	2,758
Utah-Idaho	640	187	70	51	134	105	40	13	40
Virginia	20,753	5,520	3,156	1,246	6,166	1,704	1,315	679	967
West Virginia	845	328	102	71	120	136	8	38	42
Wyoming[1]	415	129	51	26	95	72	12	5	25
Puerto Rico[2]	354	46	75	5	22	6	158	14	28

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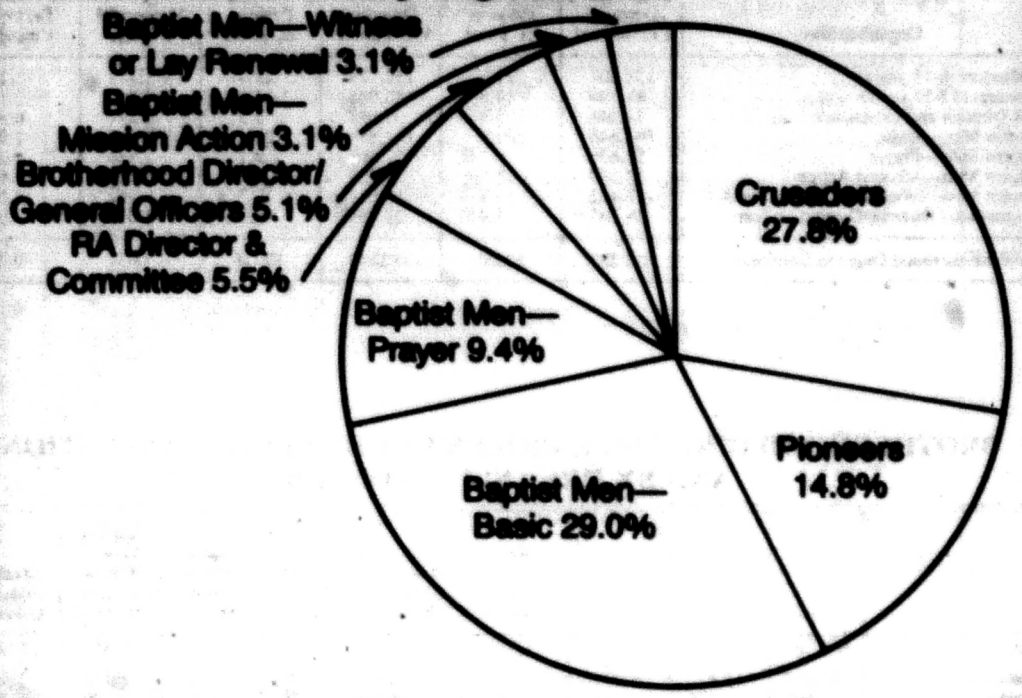
Distribution of Brotherhood Enrollment–1984

By Organization



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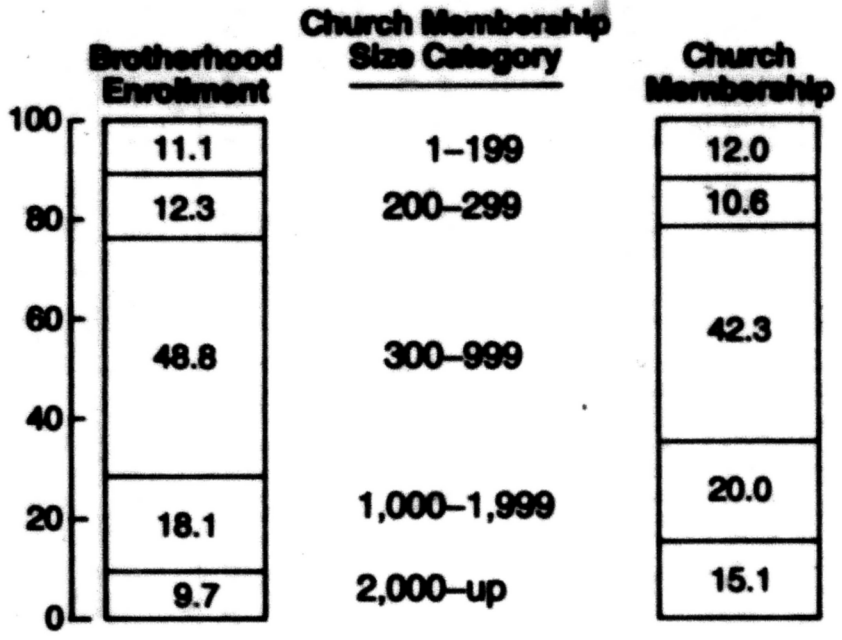

SUMMARY OF BROTHERHOOD ONGOING ENROLLMENT, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Total Ongoing Brotherhood Enrollment										Churches Reporting Ongoing Brotherhood Enrollment	
						Church Location						
	1984	1983	1984-1983 % Change	1984-1979 % Change	1984-1974 % Change	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.)	Number	Percent[1]
SBC	588,383	565,349	0.5	21.1	23.4	148,007	62,546	83,533	141,309	132,988	18,841	52
Alabama	57,075	56,587	0.9	19.2	28.7	18,398	5,544	9,457	12,618	11,058	1,669	55
Alaska	605	682	−11.3	17.2	49.0	108	94	54	82	267	22	54
Arizona	4,504	4,602	−2.1	24.9	54.9	67	196	431	547	3,263	123	49
Arkansas	11,703	11,673	0.3	28.1	37.8	2,119	1,520	2,657	3,243	2,164	445	35
California	11,983	11,013	8.8	56.3	72.9	228	288	822	3,339	7,306	454	46
Colorado	2,090	2,392	−12.6	14.4	26.7	112	135	394	547	902	89	50
Dist. of Columbia	365	356	2.5	8.6	−4.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	365	15	31
Florida	34,016	34,732	−2.1	20.3	30.4	5,504	2,543	5,742	9,310	10,917	1,009	63
Georgia	62,257	63,513	−2.0	14.4	21.5	19,999	6,720	10,469	18,943	6,126	1,775	60
Hawaii	315	227	38.8	20.7	−20.7	34	.....	27	139	115	17	40
Illinois	7,190	7,135	0.8	47.0	17.2	880	963	1,729	2,598	1,020	353	39
Indiana	2,701	2,748	−1.7	−13.2	9.4	236	333	390	1,016	726	142	49
Kansas-Nebraska	2,744	2,808	−2.3	45.1	26.3	113	392	653	752	834	119	53
Kentucky	23,425	23,210	0.9	33.7	29.5	8,532	3,093	3,532	4,912	3,356	909	42
Louisiana	17,162	17,118	0.3	25.6	19.1	4,128	1,752	2,422	3,881	4,979	609	46
Maryland	3,575	4,331	−17.5	−1.1	0.5	460	462	345	1,656	652	155	60
Michigan	1,672	1,841	−9.2	39.1	12.7	41	12	235	666	718	78	38
Minnesota-Wisconsin[2]	568	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	5	7	153	400	37	47
Mississippi	31,796	30,647	3.7	35.2	46.0	12,833	3,929	4,380	8,834	1,820	1,087	56
Missouri	18,445	18,783	−1.8	15.1	5.2	4,069	3,680	3,729	3,418	3,549	825	44
Nevada	481	473	1.7	16.5	.....	33	26	105	114	203	28	47
New England[2]	695	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43	81	392	179	39	55
New Mexico	3,154	3,363	−6.2	19.4	24.5	215	337	547	1,651	404	139	54
New York	1,404	1,471	−4.6	42.0	66.0	21	47	110	428	798	65	39
North Carolina	67,906	66,208	2.6	25.3	24.4	26,329	7,296	7,621	13,901	12,759	2,030	59
Northern Plains	654	1,078	−39.3	−35.6	−12.3	25	86	184	240	119	47	40
Northwest	2,096	2,228	−5.9	21.8	49.9	81	234	314	791	676	130	42
Ohio	5,863	6,069	−3.4	28.8	34.8	613	518	685	2,007	2,040	282	58
Oklahoma	18,210	18,045	0.9	15.8	4.0	2,470	3,305	3,302	4,751	4,382	611	44
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,018	866	17.6	2.5	32.6	157	115	141	487	118	49	49
South Carolina	46,234	45,207	2.3	12.2	14.0	18,932	4,578	6,465	10,668	5,591	1,320	77
Tennessee	33,720	34,130	−1.2	12.9	17.3	8,898	3,424	3,907	8,595	8,896	1,184	43
Texas	69,750	69,771	−0.0	19.7	18.3	6,175	8,452	10,437	15,737	28,949	2,114	53
Utah-Idaho	640	704	−9.1	44.8	114.0	45	18	116	286	175	39	47
Virginia	20,753	20,146	3.0	20.9	12.7	6,040	2,176	1,581	4,061	6,895	742	51
West Virginia	845	827	2.2	42.7	52.0	64	99	309	355	18	46	53
Wyoming[2]	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76	78	150	111	27	45
Puerto Rico[3]	354	365	−3.0	121.3	.....	45	55	75	41	138	17	53

[1]As percent of reporting churches.
[2]New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
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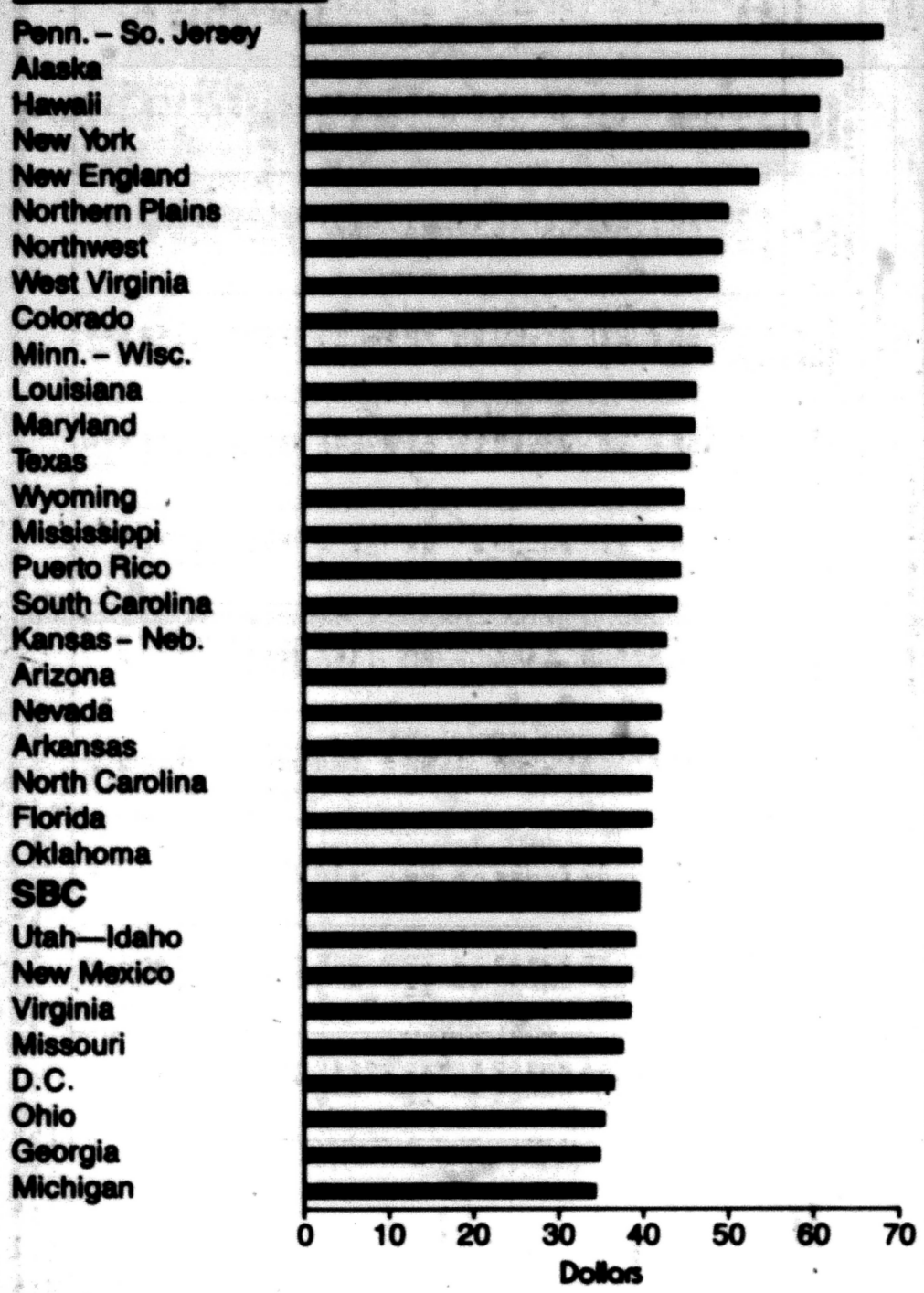

*Based upon total membership.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

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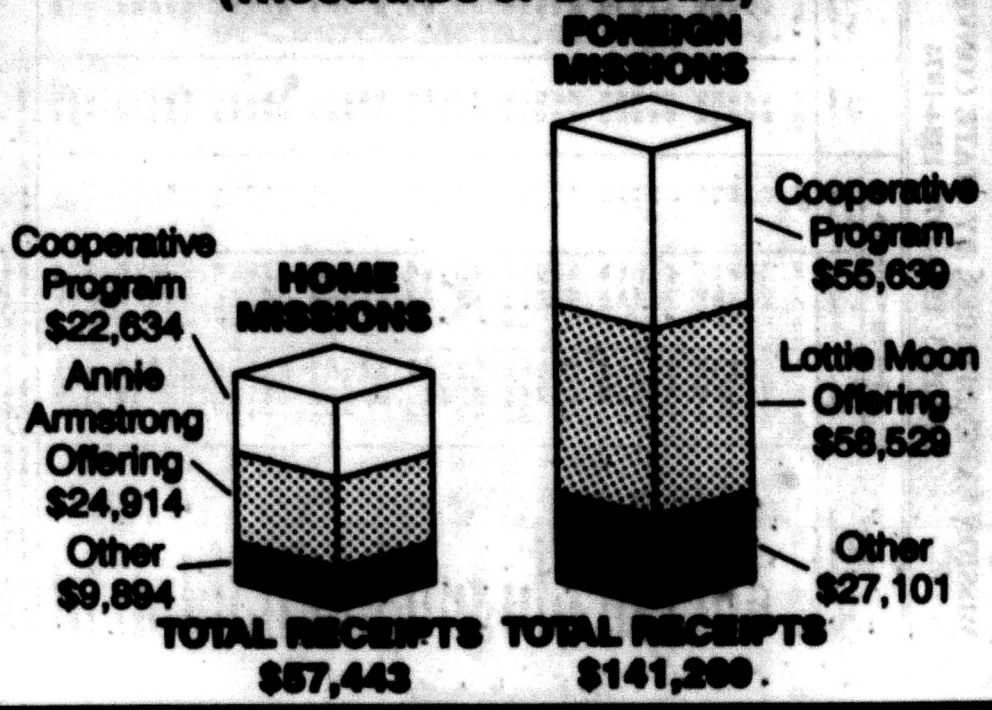
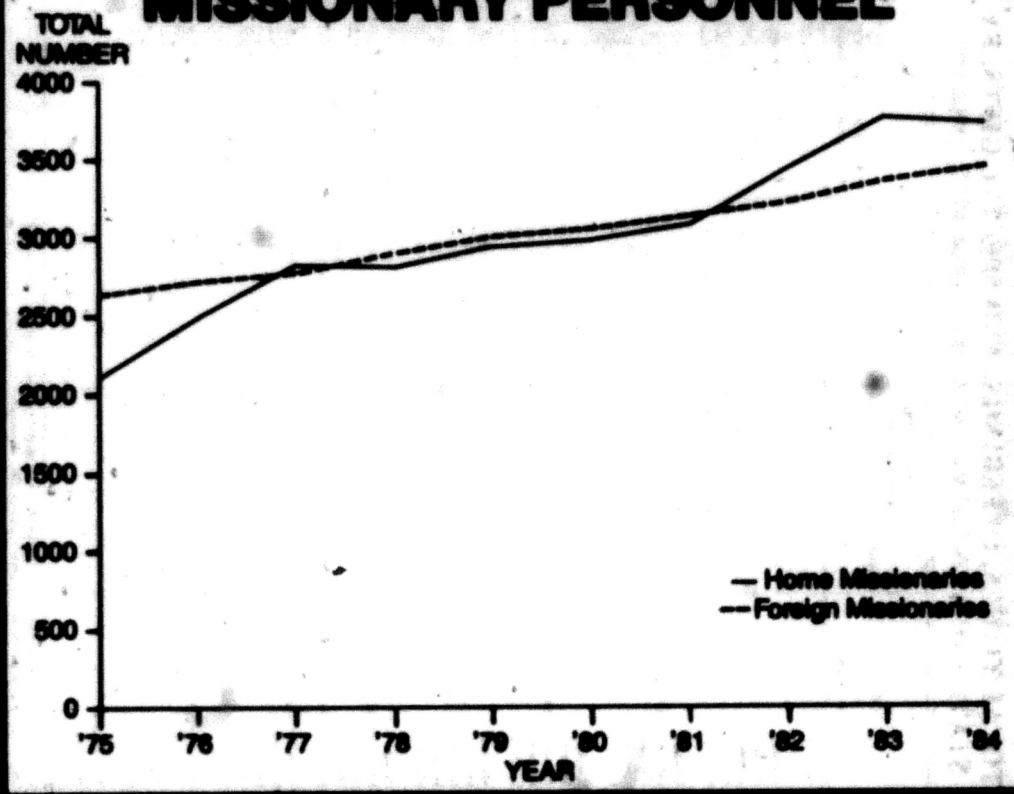


MISSIONARY PERSONNEL



TOTAL TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND SPECIAL GIFTS, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984-1983, 1984-1979, 1984-1974

SBC and State Conventions	Total All Tithes, Offerings and Gifts			Per Capita	1984-1979 % Change	1984-1974 % Change
	1984	1983	Percent Change			
SBC	$3,437,112,245	$3,165,237,965	8.6	$239.53	64.8	173.1
Alabama	226,852,220	209,223,630	8.4	224.04	54.4	153.0
Alaska	5,315,050	5,166,810	2.9	328.35	69.8	259.6
Arizona	29,792,350	27,299,795	9.1	261.59	85.5	237.5
Arkansas	107,349,335	100,250,770	7.1	230.13	56.5	178.0
California	77,687,045	72,212,655	7.6	207.30	68.3	193.0
Colorado	19,465,105	17,767,880	9.6	303.54	83.8	248.6
Dist. of Columbia*	4,657,795	5,738,515	-18.8	157.71	5.0	8.7
Florida	230,694,195	208,853,460	10.5	264.83	79.9	186.4
Georgia	278,925,480	250,140,320	11.5	235.14	68.3	163.2
Hawaii	3,846,370	3,313,365	16.1	298.93	89.6	222.2
Illinois	45,989,270	44,645,920	3.0	198.11	46.0	132.1
Indiana	16,888,615	15,267,335	10.7	198.88	50.3	154.7
Kansas-Nebraska	19,764,070	19,172,810	3.1	251.89	70.7	198.4
Kentucky	136,709,525	130,372,635	4.9	198.16	49.0	145.7
Louisiana	150,843,855	142,081,305	6.2	265.75	64.1	196.3
Maryland	26,126,680	28,398,325	-8.0	265.70	42.9	139.6
Michigan	9,165,730	8,061,970	13.7	186.25	45.3	123.7
Minn.-Wis.1	3,042,200	.....	...	254.15	...	...
Mississippi	162,526,605	150,431,560	8.1	252.23	53.7	162.5
Missouri	126,995,380	117,969,005	7.6	265.76	53.9	143.0
Nevada	4,029,080	3,645,810	10.5	223.55	98.7	...
New England1	3,616,615	.....	...	288.86	...	...
New Mexico	26,977,550	25,510,480	5.8	227.10	75.3	212.5
New York	6,743,370	6,130,385	10.0	200.31	66.5	169.6
North Carolina	209,724,180	245,164,410	10.0	254.56	52.8	131.4
Northern Plains	4,468,850	7,238,405	-38.3	282.98	-5.5	137.2
Northwest	18,982,570	17,301,925	7.3	236.41	54.2	242.9
Ohio	28,535,815	26,392,530	8.1	203.88	48.4	140.3
Oklahoma	171,147,945	161,483,365	6.0	234.49	84.8	240.0
Penn.-So. Jersey	5,395,260	5,139,625	5.0	308.67	61.1	202.5
South Carolina	181,549,055	164,965,225	10.1	263.81	54.0	141.3
Tennessee	225,411,115	208,441,395	8.1	214.63	55.8	156.7
Texas	661,360,625	605,571,705	9.2	280.11	84.3	221.6
Utah-Idaho	3,705,955	3,275,485	13.1	227.40	62.2	245.0
Virginia	133,696,095	122,664,180	9.0	225.92	54.8	135.7
West Virginia	5,916,380	5,361,895	10.3	230.53	109.1	281.3
Wyoming1	2,874,645	.....	...	246.88	...	...
Puerto Rico2	718,085	662,290	8.4	226.95	75.6	...

1New state convention composed of churches formerly in another state convention. (See page 95.)
2Not a state convention but to be shown as part of SBC statistics.
*1983 data.

MISSION EXPENDITURES, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984-1983, 1984-1979, 1984-1974

SBC and State Conventions	Total Mission Expenditures			Per Capita	1984-1979 % Change	1984-1974 % Change
	1984	1983	Percent Change			
SBC	$360,809,173	$329,283,389	7.3	$30.59	59.5	150.9
Alabama	34,040,879	31,543,758	7.9	33.62	49.1	136.9
Alaska	1,033,206	1,095,963	-5.6	63.34	82.7	304.5
Arizona	4,839,368	4,435,147	8.9	42.40	105.2	219.8
Arkansas	19,373,610	18,187,246	6.5	41.53	53.3	151.3
California	10,425,230	9,757,035	6.8	27.82	57.3	109.6
Colorado	3,123,046	3,125,085	-0.1	48.72	68.3	208.6
Dist. of Columbia*	1,075,204	1,079,674	-0.6	36.35	36.0	36.0
Florida	35,697,026	31,506,776	13.6	40.88	88.0	170.4
Georgia	41,509,371	37,704,070	10.3	35.06	68.9	154.1
Hawaii	795,209	720,269	9.2	61.10	101.1	146.3
Illinois	8,888,143	7,676,381	5.1	34.76	30.5	108.2
Indiana	3,847,847	3,369,643	21.2	33.51	69.5	171.1
Kansas-Nebraska	3,363,927	3,014,824	11.6	42.87	99.5	231.3
Kentucky	23,688,777	22,564,852	5.0	31.21	52.1	141.9
Louisiana	26,436,255	24,664,717	7.3	46.57	65.5	206.2
Maryland	4,556,579	4,980,164	-8.7	46.34	47.8	138.2
Michigan	1,713,091	1,448,758	18.4	34.81	33.2	178.9
Minn.-Wis.1	574,577	.....	...	48.00	...	...
Mississippi	28,876,388	26,714,480	8.1	44.79	59.7	173.6
Missouri	23,327,041	21,880,026	6.5	37.43	48.5	137.4
Nevada	753,703	701,313	7.5	41.82	98.7	...
New England1	741,164	.....	...	53.46	...	...
New Mexico	4,509,689	4,153,311	10.5	38.64	57.8	186.1
New York	1,341,728	1,371,201	-2.1	39.75	74.4	144.3
North Carolina	47,010,639	42,710,251	10.0	40.88	56.1	142.7
Northern Plains	796,209	1,271,496	-37.5	50.39	-20.7	70.8
Northwest	3,888,307	3,528,264	9.6	49.27	76.9	206.4
Ohio	4,988,688	4,499,307	10.8	35.62	54.2	139.9
Oklahoma	29,084,982	27,110,972	7.2	39.85	60.4	218.1
Penn.-So. Jersey	1,199,692	1,071,208	11.6	68.61	47.7	172.5
South Carolina	30,341,230	28,065,512	8.1	44.09	53.0	133.7
Tennessee	35,302,346	33,073,425	6.9	33.67	48.7	137.1
Texas	107,436,206	100,260,211	3.1	45.50	59.2	164.4
Utah-Idaho	632,029	720,692	-12.4	38.97	30.9	188.0
Virginia	22,695,891	21,305,108	6.5	38.33	54.5	125.2
West Virginia	1,254,892	1,068,695	17.3	48.86	172.6	388.7
Wyoming1	523,815	.....	...	44.99	...	...
Puerto Rico2	140,946	92,414	52.5	44.55	86.2	...

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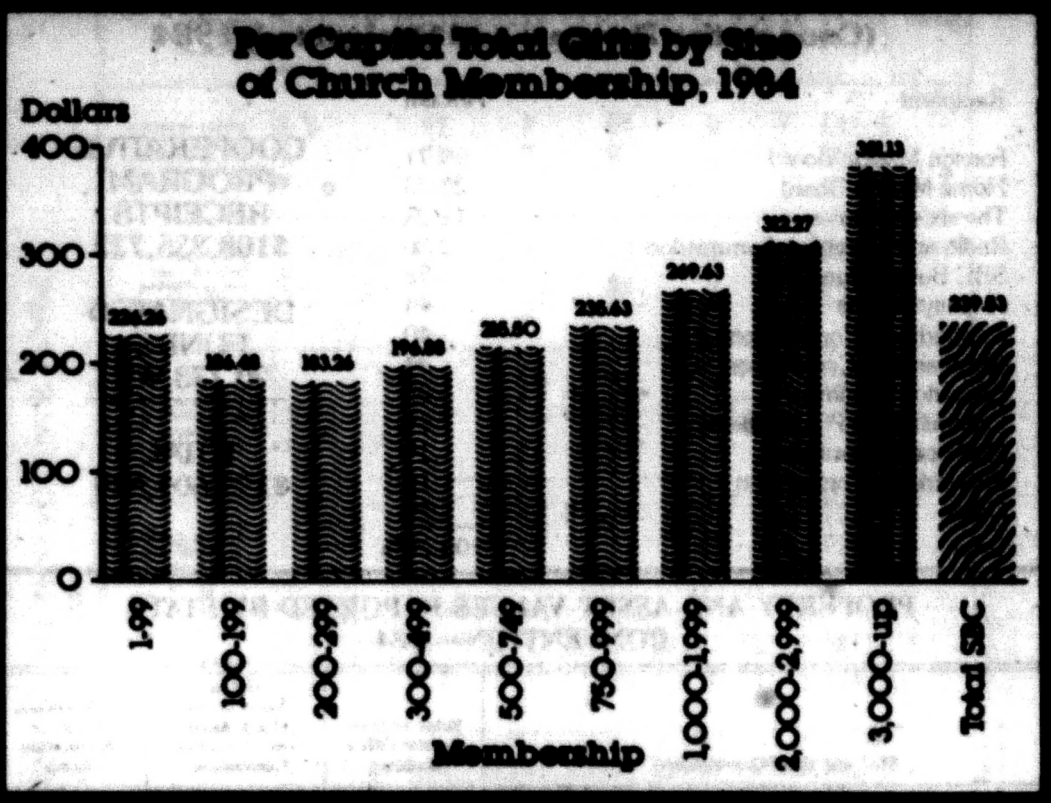
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of Church Membership, 1984
Dollars
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300
200
100
0
1-99
100-199
200-299
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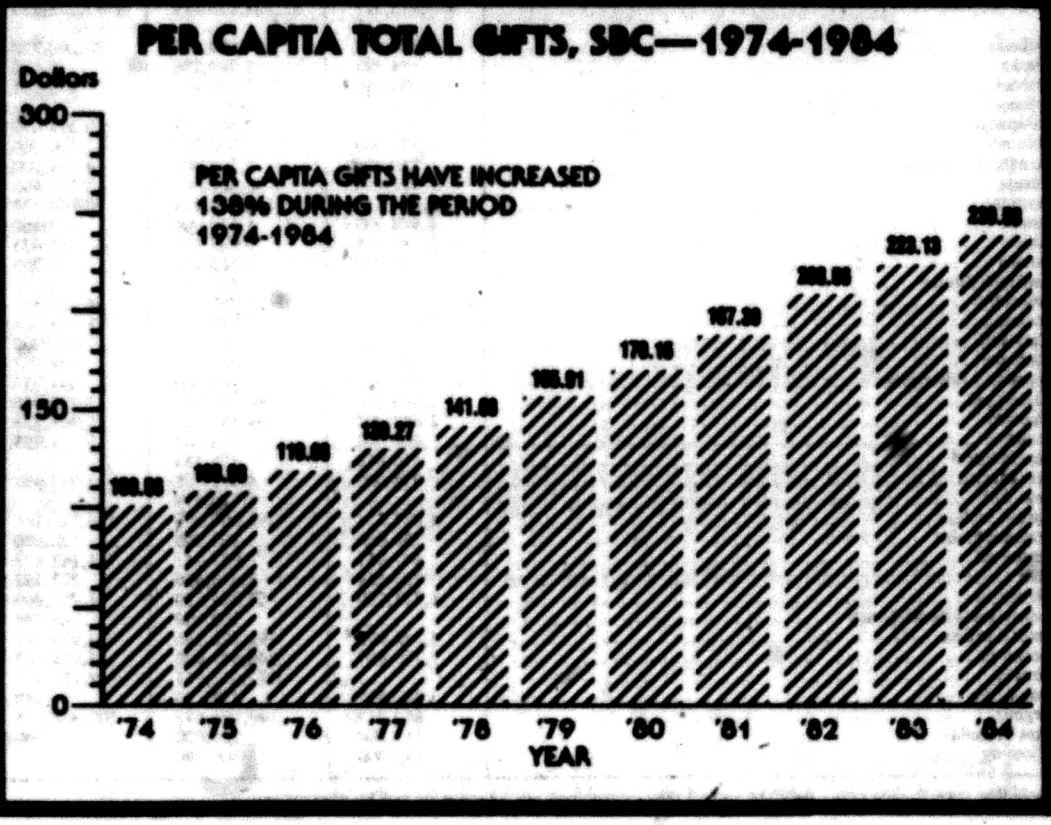
500-749
750-999
1,000-1,999
2,000-2,999
3,000-up
Total SBC
Membership


PER CAPITA TOTAL GIFTS, SBC—1974-1984
Dollars
300
150
0
PER CAPITA GIFTS HAVE INCREASED
138% DURING THE PERIOD
1974-1984
'74
'75
'76
'77
'78
'79
'80
'81
'82
'83
'84
YEAR

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS RECEIVED BY THE SBC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (Cooperative Program and Designated) 1984

Recipient	Percent
Foreign Mission Board	59.71
Home Mission Board	23.73
The six seminaries	11.25
Radio and Television Commission	2.30
SBC Budget Fund	.78
Annuity Board	.44
Brotherhood Commission	.40
Christian Life Commission	.34
Education Commission	.20
Committee on Public Affairs	.19
Historical Commission	.19
Stewardship Commission	.19
Other	.28
Total	100.00%

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM RECEIPTS
$108,835,732

DESIGNATED FUNDS
90,773,907

TOTAL
$199,609,639

PROPERTY AND ASSET VALUES REPORTED BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Conventions	Value of State Baptist Office Building	Gross Value of All Fixed Assets Owned by State Convention[1]	Endowment, Trust, or Foundation Funds
SBC	$45,615,321	$2,105,433,619	$997,075,810
Alabama	2,950,000	84,000,000	28,398,778
Alaska	194,481	1,389,736	11,613
Arizona	1,200,000	7,220,151	692,541
Arkansas	1,893,778	5,736,699	.....
California	539,936	7,404,588	9,391,090
Colorado	2,300,000	7,000,000	2,500,000
District of Columbia	830,000	3,262,000	4,136,000
Florida	1,991,418	58,082,507	15,279,893
Georgia	6,842,134	148,330,714	70,054,529
Hawaii	1,500,000	1,510,000	117,000
Illinois	2,237,421	5,987,168	81,625
Indiana	600,000	2,105,402	102,200
Kansas-Nebraska	646,400	1,829,760	.....
Kentucky	2,156,125	57,792,512	64,651,343
Louisiana	2,992,786	7,940,598	18,184,860
Maryland	1,200,000	3,350,000	2,975,000
Michigan	360,000	2,067,285	142,767
Minnesota-Wisconsin	235,000	265,000	161,732
Mississippi	2,596,487	84,582,942	17,315,985
Missouri	2,489,987	94,582,537	41,991,225
Nevada	400,000	735,000	1,935
New England	116,818	158,153	.....
New Mexico	975,000	4,071,508	3,939,866
New York	.....	116,619	.....
North Carolina	2,872,331	298,000,000	155,523,261
Northern Plains	150,000	220,000	120,000
Northwest	447,851	687,941	1,182,875
Ohio	713,654	2,308,466	227,558
Oklahoma	1,711,150	57,342,529	51,388,980
Pennsylvania-South Jersey	.....	100,000	48,748
South Carolina	1,362,003	192,322,536	54,970,331
Tennessee	1,788,897	246,049,686	35,918,737
Texas	.....	577,623,511	308,183,655
Utah-Idaho	289,465	379,133	98,488
Virginia	862,917	140,194,672	109,368,875
West Virginia	111,500	354,050	1,500
Wyoming	142,000	380,396	.....

[1]Including state Baptist office building and all state institutions or ministries owned by the convention.

RECEIPT AND DISTRIBUTION OF MISSION AND BENEVOLENCE FUNDS, BY STATE CONVENTION—1984

SBC and State Convention	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
SBC	$290,560,432	$90,733,491	$37,497,230	$ 690,430	$120,939,446	$ 8,279,654	$20,983,198	$4,418,087	$47,585,187	$5,265,166	$108,822,233
Alabama	18,624,670	6,354,430	1,106,788	103,218	5,733,000	322,981	1,087,677	79,004	4,741,831	425	7,379,168
Alaska	416,693	122,911	99,417	. . . .	1,067,104	11,572	44,212	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	117,951
Arizona	2,236,514	466,263	209,607	. . . .	2,944,548	136,217	81,379	. . . .	444,789	. . . .	552,563
Arkansas	10,450,551	2,783,882	739,734	5,052	5,254,243	170,550	585,335	. . . .	2,359,379	. . . .	3,949,122
California	4,797,786	1,425,175	470,485	36	2,605,438	139,353	. . . .	. . . .	1,099,047	. . . .	1,295,642
Colorado	1,214,661	379,971	65,000	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	344,068
Dist. of Columbia	434,236	121,809	56,012	21,424	348,737	30,493	20,550	19,106	. . . .	. . . .	94,683
Florida	17,878,323	5,326,973	1,730,669	33,349	5,743,848	796,113	981,586	367,776	1,053,013	15,050	8,380,971
Georgia	20,885,918	7,563,626	10,029,520	15,249	4,231,361	375,481	1,690,053	536,402	6,482,709	518,596	9,085,151
Hawaii	377,006	116,242	29,475	. . . .	30,000	10,452	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	114,281
Illinois	3,881,857	984,365	909,151	1,839	3,690,552	109,822	801,502	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	1,627,316
Indiana	1,487,870	329,994	55,605	. . . .	1,447,594	95,879	. . . .	. . . .	19,376	. . . .	425,895
Kansas-Nebraska	1,392,622	414,006	80,705	. . . .	32,923	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	372,748
Kentucky	13,574,185	3,256,486	1,285,776	15,471	4,043,463	456,424	875,851	. . . .	3,410,169	68,298	4,809,347
Louisiana	15,346,453	3,357,510	672,337	121,440	6,696,121	711,312	538,194	12,666	2,221,242	. . . .	4,999,806
Maryland	2,151,000	561,395	100,500	. . . .	20,500	120,000	16,000	55,000	. . . .	. . . .	911,619
Michigan	808,193	181,069	49,226	. . . .	594,022	61,281	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	205,774
Minnesota-Wisconsin	201,290	58,323	3,415	. . . .	614,907	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	41,690
Mississippi	15,800,852	5,231,236	833,788	18,597	5,438,653	579,891	650,915	. . . .	3,436,761	167,489	5,557,832
Missouri	12,212,128	2,904,958	753,056	13,723	5,923,825	509,544	375,426	317,981	2,807,548	400	4,323,171
Nevada	308,130	72,409	27,551	1,000	731,205	11,822	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	37,571
New England	276,238	83,305	12,085	10,379	214,609	6,381	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	38,702
New Mexico	2,117,613	686,780	340,437	2,085	1,553,872	44,911	444,795	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	601,451
New York	408,306	155,580	36,968	. . . .	37,019	18,500	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	85,372
North Carolina	20,887,677	10,155,320	2,270,270	8,736	6,236,777	519,629	1,914,049	682,766	4,920,589	857,823	7,621,878
Northern Plains	279,360	100,289	20,734	. . . .	215,107	29,350	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	56,267
Northwest	1,314,401	396,795	57,550	. . . .	2,167,303	48,653	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	447,341
Ohio	1,867,853	578,256	37,339	. . . .	1,783,144	46,071	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	981,380
Oklahoma	15,712,619	3,547,339	5,188,916	214,553	5,297,131	272,427	3,926,863	141,145	3,315,593	120,181	7,202,146
Penn.-So. Jersey	389,052	127,267	79,468	. . . .	1,420,711	17,391	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	98,821
South Carolina	16,726,152	5,910,997	2,689,883	2,482	4,476,700	518,000	1,701,402	1,357,163	3,381,036	777,254	6,046,172
Tennessee	18,470,707	5,972,680	2,102,761	81,132	5,274,495	977,356	2,002,673	113,693	5,549,965	26,944	6,516,427
Texas	54,533,300	16,116,360	4,092,722	2,494	28,457,675	846,734	2,677,243	. . . .	546,393	2,656,780	19,191,992
Utah-Idaho	242,586	80,515	48,838	. . . .	1,012,456	29,525	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	52,790
Virginia	12,215,332	4,505,254	1,200,017	18,171	5,076,921	244,819	587,493	735,385	1,795,747	55,916	4,573,934
West Virginia	443,229	107,238	31,543	. . . .	503,600	10,720	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	93,475
Wyoming	234,869	53,613	19,882	. . . .	19,882	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	22,300
Puerto Rico	. . . .	22,548	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	11,532
Specials	. . . .	120,322	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	554,314

[1]Figures in these columns are supplied by the state conventions and represent totals for January through December, or for their fiscal year ending last year.
[2]Figures in these columns are supplied by the Executive Committee, SBC., which are for the fiscal year of October 1-September 30.

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

Year ended September 30, 1984

Distribution for operating and capital needs:	Operating Expenses	Capital Needs	1984 Total	1984 Percent	1983 Total	1983 Percent
Foreign Mission Board	$ 54,417,866	$	$ 54,417,866	50.00%	$ 48,745,954	47.64%
Home Mission Board	21,514,647		21,514,647	19.77	19,395,664	18.96
Annuity Board	872,863		872,863	.80	478,000	.47
Southern Seminary	4,790,949		4,790,949	4.40	4,649,927	4.55
Southwestern Seminary	6,249,348		6,249,348	5.74	6,106,376	5.97
New Orleans Seminary	3,771,158		3,771,158	3.46	4,554,789	4.45
Golden Gate Seminary	2,197,393		2,197,393	2.02	2,183,655	2.13
Southeastern Seminary	3,524,101		3,524,101	3.24	4,674,874	4.57
Midwestern Seminary	1,903,537		1,903,537	1.75	2,142,211	2.09
Radio and Television Commission	4,575,454		4,575,454	4.20	4,681,931	4.58
American Seminary Commission	216,583		216,583	.20	203,450	.20
Brotherhood Commission	806,473		806,473	.74	758,100	.74
Public Affairs Committee	380,925		380,925	.35	367,192	.36
Southern Baptist Foundation	231,820		231,820	.21	213,450	.21
Education Commission	402,692		402,692	.37	378,400	.37
Historical Commission	374,395		374,395	.35	344,501	.34
Christian Life Commission	674,782		674,782	.62	587,461	.57
Convention Operating Budget	1,554,174		1,554,174	1.43	1,488,004	1.45
Stewardship Commission	376,572		376,572	.35	359,369	.35
Totals	$108,835,732	$	$108,835,732	100.00%	$102,313,308	100.00%

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Distributable Funds

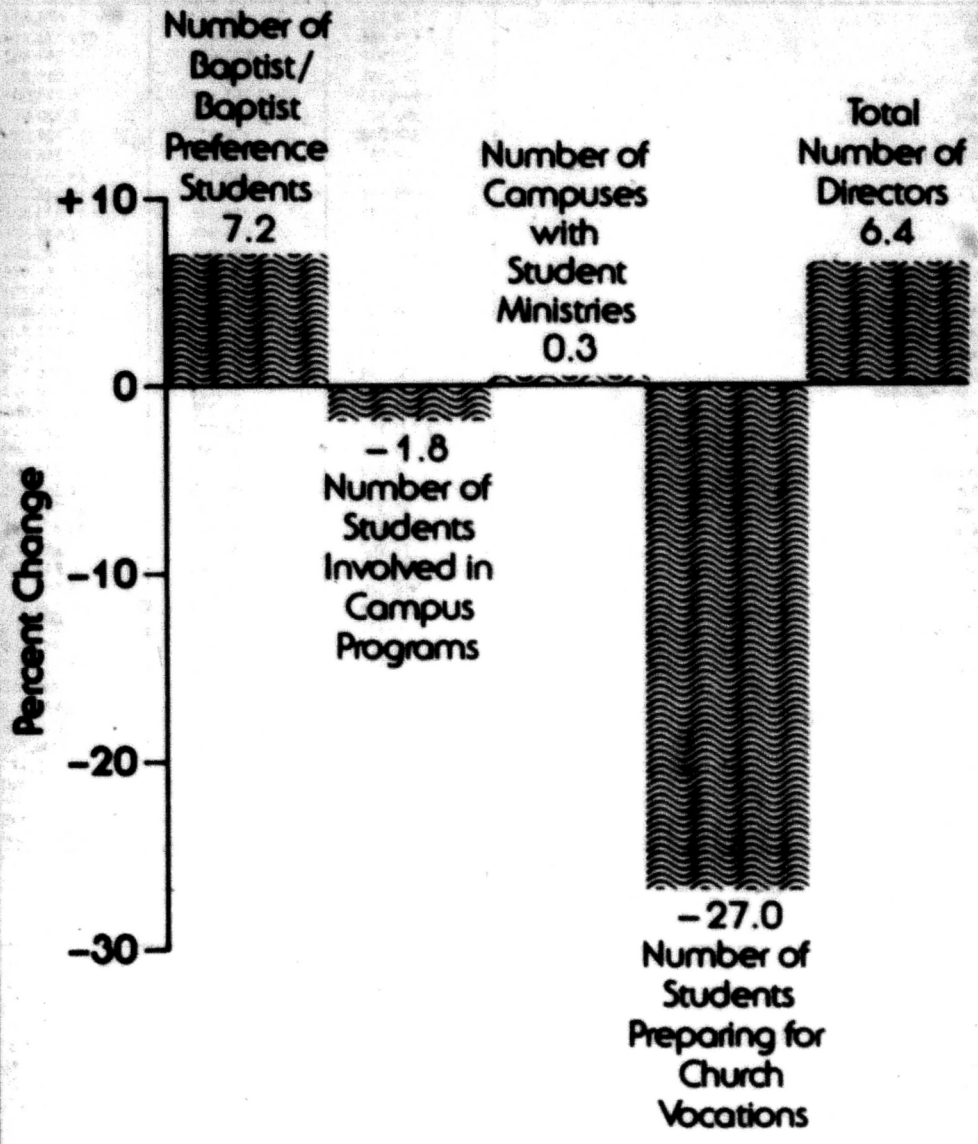
Year ended September 30, 1984

	Cooperative Program	Designated	Total
Specials	$ 554,314	$ 120,322	$ 674,636
Alabama	7,379,168	6,354,430	13,733,598
Alaska	117,951	122,911	240,862
Arizona	552,563	466,263	1,018,826
Arkansas	3,949,122	2,783,882	6,733,004
California	1,295,642	1,425,175	2,720,817
Colorado	344,068	379,971	724,039
District of Columbia	94,653	121,889	216,462
Florida	8,380,571	5,326,973	13,707,544
Georgia	9,085,151	7,563,626	16,648,777
Hawaii	114,281	116,242	230,523
Illinois	1,627,316	984,365	2,611,681
Indiana	425,895	329,994	755,889
Iowa Fellowship	13,499	40,416	53,915
Kansas-Nebraska	372,748	414,086	786,754
Kentucky	4,809,347	3,256,486	8,065,833
Louisiana	4,999,886	3,357,510	8,357,316
Maryland	911,619	561,395	1,473,014
Michigan	205,774	181,069	386,843
Minnesota-Wisconsin	41,690	58,323	100,013
Mississippi	5,557,832	5,231,236	10,789,068
Missouri	4,323,171	2,904,958	7,228,129
Nevada	57,571	72,409	129,980
New England	38,702	83,305	122,007
New Mexico	601,451	606,780	1,208,231
New York	85,372	155,580	240,952
North Carolina	7,621,878	10,155,320	17,777,198
Northern Plains	56,267	100,289	156,556
Northwest	447,341	396,795	844,136
Ohio	961,380	578,256	1,539,636
Oklahoma	7,202,146	3,547,339	10,749,485
Pennsylvania-South Jersey	98,821	127,267	226,088
South Carolina	6,046,172	5,910,997	11,957,169
Tennessee	6,516,427	5,972,680	12,489,107
Texas	19,191,992	16,116,360	35,308,352
Utah-Idaho	52,790	80,515	133,305
Virginia	4,573,934	4,505,254	9,079,188
West Virginia	93,475	107,238	200,713
Wyoming	22,300	53,613	75,913
Puerto Rico	11,532	22,548	34,080
Totals	$108,835,732	$90,773,907	$199,609,639

Distribution

	Percent of Total	Total
SBC Budget Fund	.78%	$ 1,558,427
Foreign Mission Board	59.71	119,186,174
Home Mission Board	23.73	47,367,951
Annuity Board	.44	874,315
Southern Seminary	2.40	4,794,891
Southwestern Seminary	3.14	6,261,396
New Orleans Seminary	1.89	3,773,930
Golden Gate Seminary	1.10	2,199,107
Southeastern Seminary	1.77	3,527,245
Midwestern Seminary	.95	1,904,923
Radio and Television Commission	2.30	4,582,529
American Seminary Commission	.11	216,832
Brotherhood Commission	.40	807,468
Committee on Public Affairs	.19	382,290
Baptist World Alliance	.00	6,242
Southern Baptist Foundation	.12	232,160
Education Commission	.20	403,222
Historical Commission	.19	374,888
Christian Life Commission	.34	675,393
Stewardship Commission	.19	377,076
American Bible Society	.04	76,837
Miscellaneous	.01	26,343
Totals	100.00%	$199,609,639

BAPTIST STUDENT WORK
1980-1984 Percent Change



The number of students involved in campus ministries declined over the 4-year span and reflects a decline from the 1983 year. The number of students preparing for church vocations declined significantly over the 4-year span, but the 1984 figure reflects an increase over 1983.

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SENIOR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES—1984-1985

Name	Location	President	Yearly Accredited by Association or College	Enrollment Fall, 1984		Enrollment Total 1984-1985		Graduate Students Enrolled	Graduates, 1983-84	Credit Hours	Period Students	Weekend Students	Part-Time Students	Men and Women Students Volumes	Other Classes Students Volumes	Total Classes Students Volumes	Volumes in Library Exclusive of Public Documents
				Reg.	Total	Reg.	Total										
Averett College[1]	Danville, VA 24541	Howard W. Lee	85	952	952	952	952	79	186	6,862	30	18	7	2	3	60	90,507
Baptist College at Charleston	Charleston, SC 29411	Jerry C. Hunter, Jr.	82	1,646	1,646	2,940	2,940	22	253	5,241	53	....	8	52	158	271	122,244
Baylor University	Waco, TX 76798	Herbert H. Reynolds	560	10,990	10,990	15,993	15,993	914	2,447	72,308	162	6	33	308	151	660	1,155,000
Belmont College	Nashville, TN 37203	William E. Troutt	115	2,125	2,246	2,765	3,017	....	331	5,281	30	13	34	14	127	218	93,770
Bluefield College	Bluefield, VA 24605	Charles L. Tyer	29	327	406	408	534	....	97	2,801	12	15	7	9	9	52	52,382
Blue Mountain College[2]	Blue Mountain, MS 38610	E. Harold Fisher	34	323	375	467	525	....	67	4,455	71	1	14	18	8	112	49,370
California Baptist College	Riverside, CA 92504	Russell R. Reid, Jr.	44	397	397	854	854	40	133	2,789	180	35	60	57	97	349	100,000
Campbell University	Buies Creek, NC 27506	Norman A. Wiggins	163	3,650	3,650	4,534	4,534	780	671	8,421	71	19	21	77	11	199	165,320
Campbellsville College	Campbellsville, KY 42718	William R. Davenport	52	635	648	782	782	....	123	3,129	30	15	23	40	32	160	83,820
Carson-Newman College	Jefferson City, TN 37760	J. Cordell Maddox	121	1,716	1,786	2,249	2,631	....	354	12,378	41	17	25	26	33	142	147,955
Cumberland College	Williamsburg, KY 40769	James H. Taylor	105	2,106	2,106	2,712	2,712	94	309	10,275	110	46	55	55	32	298	160,000
Dallas Baptist College	Dallas, TX 75211	W. Marvin Watson, Jr.	60	1,551	1,551	1,797	1,797	117	197	3,441	48	30	12	16	33	139	189,354
East Texas Baptist University	Marshall, TX 75670	Jerry R. Dawson	51	714	718	905	1,005	....	145	3,756	103	8	19	12	20	162	101,000
Furman University	Greenville, SC 29613	John E. Johns	185	2,971	3,807	5,159	8,094	374	610	20,771	60	20	20	20	10	130	285,187
Gardner-Webb College	Boiling Springs, NC 28017	Craven E. Williams	119	1,885	1,885	2,860	2,860	194	465	8,223	117	75	26	20	64	302	328,201
Georgetown College	Georgetown, KY 40324	W. Morgan Patterson	76	1,298	1,298	2,023	2,023	310	198	14,500	14	8	8	11	15	56	110,000
Grand Canyon College	Phoenix, AZ 85061	Bill R. Williams	85	1,379	1,379	1,962	1,962	....	196	3,484	80	3	12	16	9	120	140,000
Hannibal-LaGrange College	Hannibal, MO 63401	Larry Lewis	44	664	899	900	1,025	....	103	4,917	54	22	4	....	....	80	34,000
Hardin-Simmons University	Abilene, TX 79698	Jesse C. Fletcher	130	1,834	1,834	2,406	2,406	118	278	14,875	123	23	26	7	....	179	173,414
Houston Baptist University	Houston, TX 77074	William H. Hinton	136	2,635	2,962	4,099	5,247	452	377	3,360	72	30	47	37	41	227	125,833
Howard Payne University	Brownwood, TX 76801	Ralph A. Phelps, Jr.	81	954	1,165	1,215	1,419	....	138	10,522	81	7	21	13	75	197	101,000
Judson College[1]	Marion, AL 36756	N. H. McCrummen	35	352	389	528	578	....	89	4,801	1	14	3	31	24	73	57,986
Louisiana College	Pineville, LA 71359	Robert L. Lynn	81	1,087	1,477	1,294	2,240	....	155	7,053	52	46	40	45	....	183	112,000
Mars Hill College	Mars Hill, NC 28754	Fred B. Bentley	101	1,357	1,357	1,961	1,961	....	289	13,232	54	10	12	....	6	82	89,000
Mary Hardin-Baylor, Univ. of	Belton, TX 76513	Bobby E. Parker	85	1,176	1,176	2,145	3,197	53	227	7,703	46	1	2	3	....	52	107,307
Mercer University	Macon, GA 31207	R. Kirby Godsey	312	5,065	7,734	7,028	10,278	1,438	1,008	24,954	76	24	26	14	37	177	377,380
Meredith College	Raleigh, NC 27607	John E. Weems	122	1,761	2,427	2,262	3,657	96	349	9,777	....	....	....	....	....	....	113,712
Mississippi College	Clinton, MS 39058	Lewis Nobles	139	3,368	3,652	4,316	7,835	729	611	20,841	73	41	20	10	31	175	348,793
Missouri Baptist College	St. Louis, MO 63141	Patrick O. Copley	48	513	513	740	740	....	49	495	21	5	7	....	....	33	39,316
Mobile College	Mobile, AL 36613	Michael Magrath	84	877	884	1,090	1,106	14	202	2,398	67	18	27	11	18	141	92,657
Oklahoma Baptist University	Shawnee, OK 74801	Bob R. Agee	148	1,590	1,800	2,270	3,844	....	223	9,528	222	98	78	72	83	551	180,512
Ouachita Baptist University	Arkadelphia, AR 71923	Daniel R. Grant	100	1,401	1,401	1,881	1,881	130	381	11,088	123	26	21	124	....	294	116,000
Palm Beach Atlantic College	West Palm Beach, FL 33401	Claude H. Rhea, Jr.	59	978	990	1,150	1,222	....	99	892	103	3	25	17	37	185	52,225
Richmond, University of	Richmond, VA 23173	E. Bruce Heilman	243	4,578	6,356	5,388	11,751	960	749	26,996	5	6	3	4	24	42	386,804
Samford University	Birmingham, AL 35229	Thomas E. Corts	258	4,087	6,720	4,007	6,720	329	912	35,290	72	47	50	49	70	288	380,842
Shorter College	Rome, GA 30161	George L. Bohanon	77	730	730	854	874	....	153	4,892	9	8	28	14	17	76	109,917
Southern Baptist College	Walnut Ridge, AR 72476	D. Jack Nicholas	23	505	506	785	787	....	58	2,351	61	12	9	6	22	110	50,872
Southwest Baptist University	Bolivar, MO 65613	Charles L. Carney	84	1,983	1,983	2,271	2,271	....	226	4,283	186	38	76	45	146	491	105,679
Stetson University	DeLand, FL 32720	Pope A. Duncan	156	2,742	2,747	3,052	3,057	254	704	20,674	18	1	29	1	18	67	255,000
Tift College[2]	Forsyth, GA 31029	O. Sullivan Sloss, Jr.	29	521	522	2,172	2,176	....	185	5,239	16	....	6	....	10	32	65,000
Union University	Jackson, TN 38305	Robert E. Craig	91	1,458	1,642	2,422	2,662	....	297	14,403	54	6	36	35	56	187	87,000
Virginia Intermont College	Bristol, VA 24201	Gary M. Poulton, Acting	59	517	517	497	517	....	106	17,000	....	....	....	....	....	....	60,765
Wake Forest University	Winston-Salem, NC 27109	Thomas K. Hearn	710	4,966	4,966	5,336	5,386	1,551	1,146	32,840	36	....	....	....	....	36	844,036
Wayland Baptist University	Plainview, TX 79072	David L. Jones	107	1,707	1,809	3,415	3,525	123	380	5,126	24	22	26	30	....	132	114,328
William Carey College	Hattiesburg, MS 39401	J. Ralph Noonkester	89	1,746	3,039	2,639	3,932	167	256	7,494	77	....	24	....	45	146	115,300
William Jewell College	Liberty, MO 64068	J. Gordon Kingsley	101	1,991	1,991	2,734	2,734	....	273	10,128	15	9	77	12	19	132	150,000
Wingate College	Wingate, NC 28174	Paul R. Corts	82	1,562	1,562	1,921	1,921	....	320	15,137	36	24	19	10	....	89	98,000
Totals—Senior Colleges			5,780	89,450	101,550	122,100	180,164	9,338	17,125	536,364	2,959	888	1,126	1,343	1,591	7,887	8,276,617

[1]All schools accredited by regional accrediting association and approved by the state department of education.
[2]College for women.
Statistics provided by the Education Commission, Southern Baptist Convention.

JUNIOR COLLEGES 1984-1985

Name	Location	President	Faculty, Including Administrative Officers	Enrollment Fall, 1984		Enrollment Total 1984-1985		Graduated Sept. 1983-Aug. 1984	Graduated Bible Training	Pastoral Ministry Graduates	Educational Ministry Graduates	Music Ministry Graduates	Home and Foreign Mission Volunteers	Other Church Vocation Graduates	Total Church Vocation Volunteers	Volumes in Library Excluding Public Documents
				Reg.	Total	Reg.	Total									
Anderson College[1]	Anderson, SC 29621	Mark L. Hopkins	60	1,167	1,167	1,546	1,606	191	6,778	10	4	9	1	43	67	37,214
Brewton-Parker College	Mount Vernon, GA 30445	Y. Lynn Holmes	79	1,277	1,281	2,334	2,334	156	5,924	51	3	5	2	7	68	29,000
Carson College	Murfreesboro, NC 27855	Bruce E. Whitaker	71	911	911	1,129	1,129	182	6,007	3	4	1	...	2	10	79,500
North Greenville College	Tigerville, SC 29688	James D. Jordan, Jr.	35	501	501	585	585	101	4,603	46	...	8	2	22	78	37,981
Truett-McConnell College	Cleveland, GA 30528	Ronald E. Wideman	63	902	902	1,776	1,776	123	2,484	7	2	19	3	3	34	24,821
Totals—Junior Colleges			308	4,758	4,762	7,370	7,430	753	25,796	117	13	42	8	77	257	208,516

[1]All schools accredited by regional association.

SEMINARIES—1984-1985

Name	Location	President	Faculty, Including Administrative Officers	Enrollment Fall, 1984		Enrollment Total 1984-1985		Graduated Sept. 1983-Aug. 1984	Graduated Bible Training	Pastoral Ministry Graduates	Educational Ministry Graduates	Music Ministry Graduates	Home and Foreign Mission Volunteers	Total Church Vocation Volunteers	Volumes in Library Excluding Public Documents
				Reg.	Total	Reg.	Total								
Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary[1]	Mill Valley, CA 94941	Frank D. Pollard	28	819	899	1,011	1,289	135	2,510	793	137	81	215	1,011	106,040
Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary	Kansas City, MO 64118	Milton Ferguson	31	610	624	808	808	96	1,552	477	121	....	96	598	80,000
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary	New Orleans, LA 70126	Landrum P. Leavell, II	129	1,839	1,850	1,853	2,719	316	8,948	1,243	513	97	192	1,853	165,472
Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary	Wake Forest, NC 27587	Randall Lolley	62	1,246	1,246	1,445	1,445	290	5,780	1,390	55	....	130	1,445	138,752
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary	Louisville, KY 40280	Roy L. Honeycutt, Jr.	97	2,335	2,676	2,704	3,551	468	17,093	1,931	497	276	228	2,704	302,777
Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary	Fort Worth, TX 76122	Russell H. Dilday, Jr.	158	4,296	4,425	5,086	8,741	943	22,997	2,866	1,827	393	1,579	5,086	365,653
Seminary Extension Ed. Div. of Southern Baptist Seminaries	.....	.....	....	....	8,762	....	8,762	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Totals—Seminaries	.....	.....	505	11,145	20,482	12,907	27,315[3]	2,248	58,880	8,700	3,150	847	2,440[4]	12,697	1,158,694

[1]All schools accredited by regional association.
[2]All schools are members of Association of Theological Schools, on accredited list.
[3]All programs including continuing education.
[4]Not duplicated in total number of church volunteers.

Statistics are provided by the Education Commission, Southern Baptist Convention

BIBLE SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES—1984-1985

Name	Location	President	Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative	Enrollment Fall, 1984		Enrollment Total 1984-1985		Graduated Aug. 1984-Aug. 1985	Graduated This Academy	Total Faculty	Graduated Faculty Degrees	Total Staff	Total Boards Trustees	Total Church Related Trustees	Total Current Operating Income	Total Assets
				Reg.	Total	Reg.	Total									
Bible Schools																
American Baptist College (American Baptist Theological Seminary)[3,4]	Nashville, TN 37207	Odell McClothlin, Sr.	14	133	440	155	778	36	735	129	...	...	...	...	129	28,834
Baptist Bible Institute[1]	Graceville, FL 32440	Joseph P. DuBose, Jr.	20	358	362	426	429	76	1,483	284	75	59	4	11	433	48,544
Clear Creek Baptist School	Pineville, KY 40977	Leon D. Simpson	34	201	236	267	302	52	1,143	130	10	7	4	5	156	14,000
Piedmont Baptist Institute[2]	Hendersonville, NC 28739	Alex L. Booth, Jr.	3	146	146	150	150	63	1,482	140	...	5	...	5	150	20,000
Totals—Bible Schools			71	838	1,184	998	1,659	227	4,843	683	85	71	8	21	868	107,378
Academies																
Fork Union Military Academy[1]	Fork Union, VA 23055	Kenneth T. Whitescarver	61	693	693	805	805	116	6,037	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,000
Hargrave Military Academy[1]	Chatham, VA 24531	Vernon T. Lankford	50	361	361	494	494	54	3,793	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,463
Harrison-Chilhowee Baptist Academy[1]	Seymour, TN 37865	William L. Palmer	18	125	125	127	127	25	2,271	2	1	1	...	1	5	4,742
Hawaii Baptist Academy[1]	Honolulu, HI 96817	Stanley A. Sagert	54	810	810	880	880	71	1,181	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,964
Oak Hill Academy[2]	Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	Robert Isner	18	212	212	254	254	43	2,193	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,151
Ouachita Baptist Institute	Ouachita, KY 40972	Barkley Moore	60	588	588	714	714	80	2,318	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,000
San Marcos Baptist Academy[1]	San Marcos, TX 78666	Jack E. Byrom	43	379	379	645	645	85	4,237	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,149
Valley Baptist Academy	Harlingen, TX 78550	Thomas J. Rector	14	161	161	113	166	17	479	7	...	...	...	...	7	9,000
Totals—Academies			318	3,349	3,349	3,952	4,085	491	22,509	9	1	1	...	1	12	89,489

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

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SENIOR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES—FINANCIAL REPORT—1983-1984

NAME	Annual Budgeted Funds Made Available for Operations	Annual Budgeted Funds Made Available for Capital Needs	Endowment, Gifts, and Grants	Income from Endowment	Income from Trusts and Plans	Gifts for Capital Purposes	Annual Fund	Total Gifts	Total of Endowment and Gifts	Market Value of Endowment Assets
Averett College	$ 335,786	$	$ 968,705	$ 14,590	$ 2,853,588	$ 3,000,000	$ 214,088	$ 6,057,535	$ 6,271,623	$ 4,947,126
Baptist College at Charleston	586,311	200,000	351,704	59,838	5,843,920	3,753,000	890,896	19,731,221	20,622,117	11,468,649
Baylor University	5,279,309	202,290	34,026,746	10,955,150	33,232,960	100,000,000	149,933,000	113,588,547	263,521,547	82,607,286
Belmont College	970,103	240,653	1,371,281	178,018	5,469,242	6,000,000	3,490,061	15,399,511	18,889,572	8,081,500
Bluefield College	340,605	.....	8,580	15,372	753,708	.....	161,333	3,532,062	3,693,395	1,712,100
Blue Mountain College	369,493	35,557	220,498	195,660	670,559	.....	2,180,031	3,094,471	5,274,302	1,183,659
California Baptist College	780,994	.....	1,066,201	77,812	2,283,820	.....	918,630	5,619,704	6,538,334	4,950,685
Campbell University	778,111	.....	1,593,312	242,855	10,007,805	40,000,000	15,076,437	47,316,958	62,393,395	19,176,857
Campbellsville College	663,380	67,714	551,909	75,875	2,026,932	750,000	1,269,790	6,682,044	7,951,834	4,935,000
Carson-Newman College	1,319,356	443,458	1,639,119	466,676	5,698,155	5,000,000	6,488,011	21,235,697	27,723,708	10,197,450
Cumberland College	1,154,329	67,714	2,123,687	1,880,897	4,453,763	4,000,000	9,886,708	12,910,260	22,796,968	6,658,720
Dallas Baptist College	961,595	.....	2,198,171	285,389	3,533,217	5,000,000	5,097,922	11,656,703	16,754,625	6,998,959
East Texas Baptist University	915,064	.....	747,706	471,910	1,898,847	20,000,000	4,704,670	16,102,025	20,806,695	5,757,500
Furman University	817,400	425,000	5,875,000	3,019,000	12,154,000	.....	29,000,000	48,000,000	77,000,000	26,000,000
Gardner-Webb College	770,962	.....	641,110	252,289	5,037,254	23,286,000	3,981,393	15,829,331	19,810,724	10,801,240
Georgetown College	855,285	206,253	1,873,261	695,180	3,627,638	6,500,000	8,300,765	17,370,526	25,671,291	8,116,430
Grand Canyon College	327,295	.....	577,810	72,420	2,991,031	1,065,000	602,786	4,075,660	4,678,446	5,861,460
Hannibal-LaGrange College	386,354	.....	234,283	13,755	1,540,032	250,000	181,219	3,260,574	3,441,793	2,846,369
Hardin-Simmons University	1,328,850	.....	5,810,333	2,382,638	4,515,673	11,000,000	19,217,776	20,954,901	40,172,677	11,923,255
Houston Baptist University	1,523,707	.....	1,692,510	1,734,821	7,104,106	28,500,000	27,732,628	15,202,795	42,935,423	11,948,530
Howard Payne University	1,095,332	.....	832,217	981,351	2,132,215	.....	8,762,572	11,838,694	20,601,266	6,230,500
Judson College	598,104	.....	593,238	97,062	749,699	2,500,000	1,172,817	5,111,717	6,284,534	2,800,000
Louisiana College	2,044,297	100,000	185,741	363,644	1,930,373	7,000,000	5,342,440	14,303,278	19,645,718	5,826,037
Mars Hill College	735,632	.....	3,518,816	262,825	4,584,986	700,000	7,438,259	21,177,282	28,615,541	8,569,523
Mary Hardin-Baylor, Univ. of	928,286	35,349	398,383	771,266	2,843,783	.....	10,934,625	9,783,403	20,718,028	5,434,275
Mercer University	939,809*	120,347	8,953,773	2,268,554	17,951,598	41,000,000	44,297,572	66,303,860	110,601,432	42,823,893
Meredith College	770,331	.....	443,784	606,090	5,418,684	.....	7,672,018	18,348,126	26,020,144	9,808,693
Mississippi College	1,695,170	258,983	2,555,865	556,954	6,642,240	6,500,000	6,416,664	25,197,213	31,613,877	13,701,419
Missouri Baptist College	321,978	.....	348,876	10,122	985,835	.....	184,712	4,738,095	4,922,807	2,171,000
Mobile College	880,000	119,611	218,901	844	2,431,372	4,200,000	11,133	10,535,002	10,546,135	4,178,877
Oklahoma Baptist University	2,419,134	.....	2,588,996	705,978	3,617,853	10,000,000	14,259,000	20,250,000	34,509,000	10,209,000
Ouachita Baptist University	1,672,479	.....	155,586	300,456	3,699,126	16,000,000	7,674,316	16,721,317	24,395,633	9,262,838
Palm Beach Atlantic College	.....	.....	1,599,236	1,169,707	1,973,266	.....	13,836,507	12,086,223	25,922,730	5,236,200
Richmond, University of	397,342	.....	10,107,003	4,843,548	20,717,652	49,030,000	127,183,056	84,078,553	211,261,609	37,687,000
Samford University	2,575,456	379,500	1,878,107	740,086	13,285,124	.....	11,753,359	42,410,956	54,164,315	21,087,849
Shorter College	277,928**	174,107	967,522	241,974	2,194,401	.....	4,622,312	8,550,672	13,172,984	4,116,225
Southern Baptist College	355,399	84,334	232,488	28,659	676,414	1,000,000	386,381	8,543,164	8,929,545	1,743,748
Southwest Baptist University	932,918	98,075	845,913	40,996	5,234,203	.....	814,591	14,716,102	15,530,693	9,214,775
Sutton University	1,082,821	.....	3,476,698	846,863	12,175,705	30,000,000	10,821,683	29,929,513	40,751,196	20,014,135
Tift College	210,901***	60,489	321,318	273,194	1,788,442	50,000	4,466,853	8,222,685	10,689,538	3,683,703
Union University	1,000,062	240,653	567,948	234,164	3,670,740	5,000,000	2,872,745	14,989,333	17,862,078	6,772,936
Virginia Intermont College	232,118	.....	288,329	54,145	2,070,854	.....	648,163	6,625,203	7,273,366	4,189,433
Wake Forest University	516,626	.....	3,752,790	8,550,657	25,996,742	40,000,000	122,805,000	140,254,052	263,059,052	113,794,000
Wayland Baptist University	1,049,828	.....	193,712	3,170,109	2,823,469	6,000,000	9,746,713	24,955,826	34,702,539	9,432,406
William Carey College	863,362	144,672	313,512	131,685	2,428,835	2,000,000	852,603	7,878,608	8,731,211	5,440,000
William Jewell College	959,369	.....	3,564,574	2,164,523	5,250,910	3,000,000	18,000,000	16,000,000	34,000,000	12,070,912
Wingate College	694,534	.....	500,632	618,469	3,802,112	3,000,000	6,492,282	15,061,559	21,553,841	8,601,934
Totals—Senior Colleges	$45,713,105	$3,724,759	$112,975,884	$53,122,070	$272,732,883	$485,084,000	$738,796,520	$1,064,230,961	$1,803,027,481	$630,271,886

*an additional $180,521 received for endowment.
**an additional $261,161 received for endowment.
***an additional $120,190 received for endowment.
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JUNIOR COLLEGES—FINANCIAL REPORT—1983-1984

NAME	Amount Received from Southern Baptist Convention for Operation	Amount Received from Southern Baptist Convention for Capital Needs	Donations, Gifts, and Grants	Income from Endowment	Income from Tuition and Fees	Cost of Completion in Progress	Plant Endowment	Plant Property Value	Total of Endowment and Plant Property Value	Budget Last Fiscal Year
Anderson College	$ 363,097	$200,000	$ 758,872	$141,908	$2,730,130	$	$ 1,595,287	$10,366,705	$11,961,992	$ 5,177,878
Brewton-Parker College	228,019*	54,625	455,626	127,729	2,084,695	150,000	2,941,184	1,752,839	4,694,023	2,800,000
Chowan College	372,413	386,567	376,421	162,633	2,252,655	10,700,000	2,449,843	14,802,934	17,252,777	7,825,000
North Greenville College	357,680	200,000	143,973	102,014	1,273,063	1,200,000	1,384,196	5,993,076	7,377,272	3,519,700
Truett-McConnell College	202,036**	54,625	190,256	71,297	1,658,848	3,000,000	1,633,840	3,505,952	5,139,792	2,105,137
Totals—Junior Colleges	$1,523,245	$895,817	$1,925,148	$605,581	$9,999,391	$15,050,000	$10,004,350	$36,421,506	$46,425,856	$21,427,715

*an additional $81,937 received for endowment.
**an additional $37,854 received for endowment.

SEMINARIES—FINANCIAL REPORT—1983-1984

NAME	Amount Received from Southern Baptist Convention for Operation	Amount Received from Southern Baptist Convention for Capital Needs	Donations, Gifts, and Grants	Income from Endowment	Income from Student Fees	Cost of Completion in Progress	Plant Endowment	Plant Property Value	Total of Endowment and Plant Property Value	Budget Last Fiscal Year
Golden Gate Bapt. Theological Sem.	$ 2,214,180	$ 201,400	$ 61,579	$ 194,321	$ 325,141	$	$ 2,655,133	$ 11,538,196	$ 14,193,329	$ 3,479,352
Midwestern Bapt. Theological Sem.	1,941,260	306,000	126,452	147,714	282,467	.....	1,377,959	7,788,978	9,166,937	3,044,425
New Orleans Bapt. Theological Sem.	3,807,203	.....	214,409	290,767	647,065	3,000,000	3,367,337	16,729,745	20,097,082	5,515,290
Southeastern Bapt. Theological Sem.	3,430,434	1,365,000	108,333	313,743	614,373	1,500,000	4,582,814	16,004,159	20,586,973	5,201,277
Southern Bapt. Theological Sem.	5,104,106	.....	915,409	1,242,532	1,675,233	35,000,000	14,205,946	25,725,261	39,931,207	10,999,938
Southwestern Bapt. Theological Sem.	6,345,121	.....	186,131	2,313,110	2,617,057	50,000,000	32,306,308	37,992,032	69,898,340	15,927,356
Totals—Seminaries	$22,842,304	$1,872,400	$1,612,313	$4,502,187	$6,161,336	$89,500,000	$58,495,497	$115,378,371	$173,873,868	$43,767,638

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BIBLE SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES—FINANCIAL REPORT—1983-1984

NAME	Amount Received from State Convention for Operation	Amount Received from State Convention for Capital Needs	Donations, Gifts, and Grants	Income from Endowment	Income from Tuition and Fees	Goals of Campaign in Progress	Present Endowment	Present Property Value	Total of Endowment and Property Value	Budget Last Fiscal Year
Bible Schools										
American Baptist College (American Bapt. Theological Seminary)	$ 231,129	$68,356	$220,107	$	$ 300,326	$125,000	$	$ 611,346	$ 611,346	$ 669,644
Baptist Bible Institute	695,289	.....	103,573	27,307	377,301	.....	158,152	3,062,157	3,220,309	1,421,262
Clear Creek Baptist School	384,705	.....	404,251	132,373	194,453	400,000	1,747,540	2,191,249	3,938,789	1,115,782
Freidenel Baptist Bible Institute	198,253	14,773	52,514	44,307	166,223	200,000	124,899	3,309,300	3,434,199	653,306
Totals—Bible Schools	$1,509,376	$83,129	$780,445	$203,987	$1,038,303	$725,000	$2,030,591	$9,174,052	$11,204,643	$3,859,994
Academies										
Fork Union Military Academy	$ 142,895	$	$ 36,631	$ 39,074	$ 3,510,239	$3,000,000	$1,405,805	$ 6,819,890	$ 8,225,695	$ 5,248,658
Hargrave Military Academy	159,687	.....	221,756	44,133	1,586,711	.....	368,532	2,755,552	3,124,084	2,751,700
Harrison-Chilhowee Bapt. Academy	280,790	83,917	193,136	43,435	452,519	.....	303,294	2,100,457	2,403,751	1,044,820
Hawaii Baptist Academy	34,513	.....	767,770	2,315	2,026,418	40,000	145,293	6,989,636	7,134,929	2,400,998
Oak Hill Academy	138,625	.....	56,547	2,159	637,220	.....	25,510	1,862,797	1,888,307	883,034
Oneida Baptist Institute[1]	200,000	15,500	730,000	72,000	534,000	.....	1,109,000	4,733,871	5,842,871	1,642,094
San Marcos Baptist Academy	482,943	13,138	285,915	136,926	1,821,611	3,000,000	1,407,926	19,409,952	20,817,878	3,834,393
Valley Baptist Academy	210,691	61,500	147,324	31,782	219,007	.....	508,869	2,191,951	2,700,820	748,304
Totals—Academies	$1,650,144	$174,055	$2,439,079	$371,824	$10,787,725	$6,040,000	$5,274,229	$46,864,106	$52,138,335	$18,554,001

[1]Figures are for 1982-83

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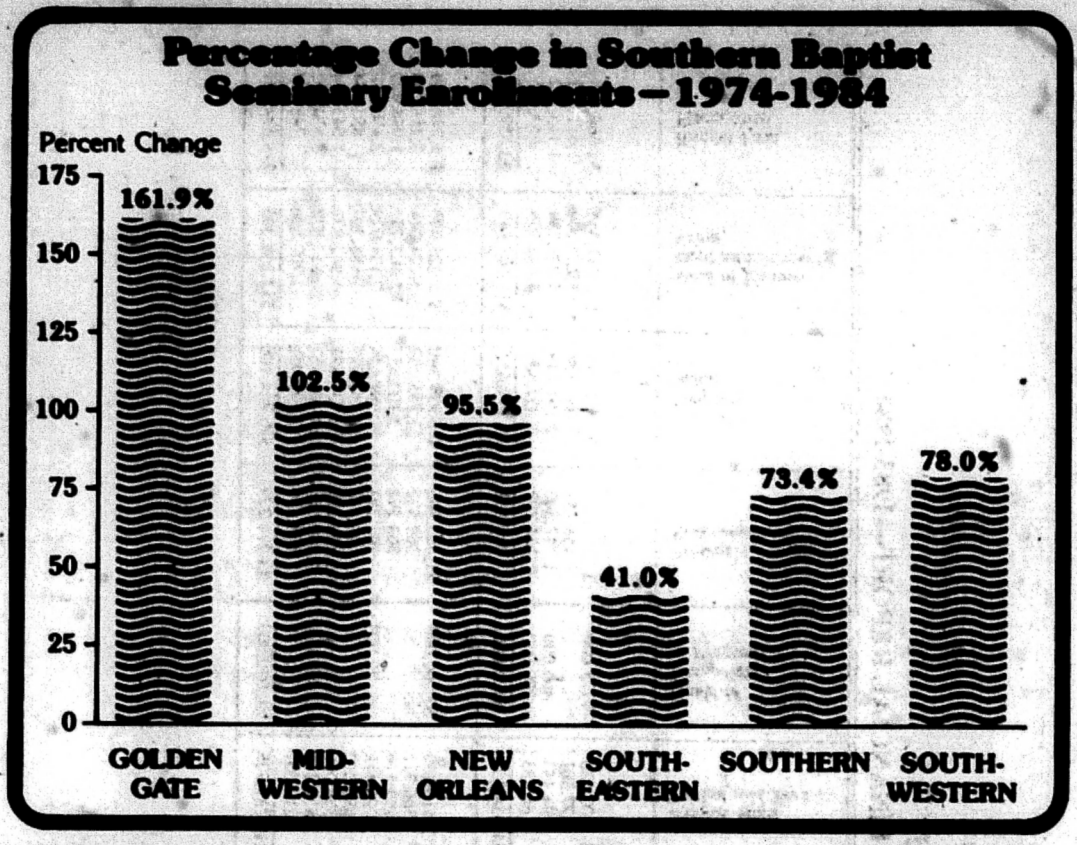
Percentage Change in Southern Baptist Seminary Enrollments—1974-1984
Percent Change
175
150
125
100
75
50
25
0
161.9%
102.5%
95.5%
41.0%
73.4%
78.0%
GOLDEN GATE
MID-WESTERN
NEW ORLEANS
SOUTH-EASTERN
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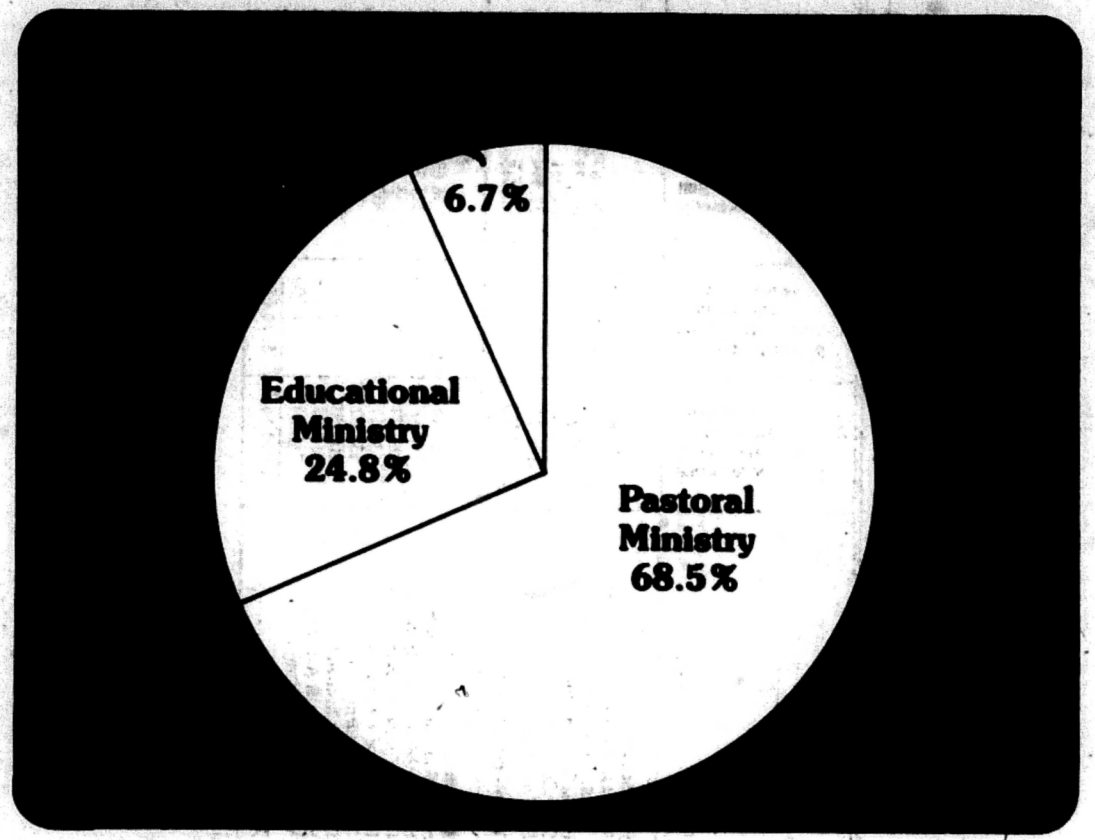
6.7%
Educational Ministry 24.8%
Pastoral Ministry 68.5%

HOSPITALS—1984

State	Name and Location	Administrator, Executive Director, or President	Year Opened	No. Adult Beds	No. Newborn Beds	No. Adult Patients	No. Newborn Patients	No. Adult Patient Days	Avg. Daily % Occupancy All Patients	No. Out Patients	Net Revenue from Patients
Alabama	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Gadsden 35999	Robert J. Corey	1963	280	23	11,217	1,229	68,863	61%	54,508	$ 33,440,400
	Baptist Medical Center, Montgomery 36198	William C. Bentley	1963	454	40	17,612	2,099	120,692	67.2%	107,246	44,749,883
Georgia	Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta 30312	Robert L. Zwald	1901	474	50	22,413	2,739	127,420	62%	35,889	81,278,000
Kentucky	Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington 40503	Dan H. Akin	1954	297	47	14,373	2,583	83,571	75.08%	26,128	32,437,565
	The Louisville Baptist Hospitals,[1] Louisville 40207	Tommy J. Smith	1924	539	34	17,349	2,453	135,892	65%	9,382	52,354,128
	Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah 42001	H. E. Peezor	1953	319	36	13,230	1,697	104,542	79.8%	31,086	32,678,472
Mississippi	Mississippi Baptist Medical Center, Jackson 39202	Paul J. Pryor	1911	612	32	23,487	1,954	180,871	82%	65,381	4,382,654
Missouri	Baptist Medical Center, Kansas City 64131	Dan H. Anderson	1960	308	...	10,137	....	77,269	63.5%	28,363	45,273,894
North Carolina	North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., Winston-Salem 27103	John E. Lynch	1923	701	...	25,140	....	213,038	83.1%	31,636	107,132,774
South Carolina	Easley Baptist Hospital, Easley 29641	Sherman Hendricks	1958	109	12	4,798	584	24,564	61%	19,026	11,939,780
	Baptist Medical Center at Columbia, Columbia 29220	Charles D. Beaman, Jr.	1914	470	52	19,101	2,308	138,047	80.9%	115,288	56,771,339
Tennessee	Baptist Hospital, Inc., Nashville 37236	C. David Stringfield	1948	638	64	27,478	4,414	174,663	77%	35,419	.....
	Baptist Memorial Hospital,[2] Memphis 38146	Joseph H. Powell	1912	1,805	90	55,798	5,132	478,003	72.5%	521,465	204,321,041
	East Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville 37901	Earl G. Skogman	1948	411	...	19,604	....	131,202	87.46%	20,012	41,726,037
Texas	Baptist Memorial Hospital System,[3] San Antonio 78286	David A. Garrett	1948	1,067	160	45,186	4,612	295,429	76%	140,960	102,793,084
	Baptist Memorials Geriatric Center,[4] San Angelo 76902	Taylor Henley	1951	...	...	633	....	97,719	85%	3,000	3,781,077
	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 75246	Boone Powell, Jr.	1903	1,275	62	43,630	4,393	308,640	76%	140,000	159,360,024
	Hendrick Medical Center, Abilene 79601-2316	Michael C. Waters	1924	404	44	18,820	2,657	129,458	83.5%	10,273	51,880,630
	High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo 79106	T. H. Holloway, Jr.	1968	304	30	12,300	901	73,821	70%	.....	36,000,000
	Hillcrest Baptist Medical Center, Waco 76703	Alton Pearson	1920	356	48	20,411	3,089	99,643	76.2%	68,964	38,109,452
	The Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Inc., Beaumont 77704	Selman Clark	1949	360	...	10,449	424	76,927	58.4%	20,486	32,544,266
	Valley Baptist Medical Center, Harlingen 78551	Ben M. McKibbens	1925	300	28	13,056	1,352	81,566	71%	.....	1,187,849
Virginia	Virginia Baptist Hospital, Lynchburg 24503	George W. Dawson	1924	306	39	12,091	2,378	75,586	72.7%	16,681	27,366,173

[1]Highlands Baptist Hospital and Baptist Hospital East, 1983 figures.
[2]Joint ownership: Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee.
[3]Includes three hospitals in San Antonio: Northeast, Southeast, and Baptist Medical Center. Statistics are a composite (and average).
[4]Includes the hospital, nursing home, retirement hotel, duplexes, and cottages for complete retirement and medical care for the aging.

HOSPITALS—1984 (continued)

STATE	NAME AND LOCATION	Facilities and Services Within Hospitals	Personnel				Educational Program		
		a. Premature Nursery; b. Open-heart Surgery Facilities; c. Postoperative Recovery Room; d. Hemodialysis (Inpatient); e. Hemodialysis (Outpatient); f. Blood Bank; g. Organ Bank; h. Respiratory Therapy Department; i. Pharmacy W/FT Registered Pharmacist; j. Pharmacy W/PT Registered Pharmacist	Physicians	Medical Residents and Interns	Registered Nurses	Total Personnel	Approved Center for Pastoral Care Training	Pastoral Care Institutes Enrollment	Pastoral Care Clinical Courses Enrollment
Alabama	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Gadsden 35999	a, c, f, h, i	10	12	177	852	No	...	...
	Baptist Medical Center, Montgomery 36198	a, c, f, h, i	...	...	271	1,034	No	...	...
Georgia	Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta 30312	a, b, c, d, f, h, i	2	60	639	1,950	Yes	1	1
Kentucky	Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington 40503	a, b, c, d, f, h, i	...	...	207	824	Yes	0	22
	The Louisville Baptist Hospitals,[1] Louisville 40207	c, f, h, i	0	0	296	1,247	Yes	...	...
	Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah 42001	a, c, f, h, i	...	...	190	886	No	...	...
Mississippi	Mississippi Baptist Medical Center, Jackson 39201	a, b, c, d, f, h, i	1	...	387	1,770	No	50	5
Missouri	Baptist Medical Center, Kansas City 64131	b, c, h, i	...	18	195	771	Yes	1	4
North Carolina	North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., Winston-Salem 27103	a, b, c, d, f, g, h, i	...*	334	479	3,138	Yes	...	81
South Carolina	Easley Baptist Hospital, Easley 29641	c, f, h, i	...	...	64	303	No	...	...
	Baptist Medical Center at Columbia, Columbia 29220	a, c, f, h, i	...	...	422	1,775	Yes	493	...
Tennessee	Baptist Hospital, Inc., Nashville 37236	a, b, c, d, f, h, i	...	...	304	1,999	No	...	...
	Baptist Memorial Hospital,[2] Memphis 38146	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j	33	93	851	5,429	No	...	...
	East Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville 37901	b, c, d, f, h, i	...	...	290	1,043	No	...	...
Texas	Baptist Memorial Hospital System,[3] San Antonio 78286	a, b, c, d, f, h, i	0	7	622	3,667	Yes	5	16
	Baptist Memorials Geriatric Center,[4] San Angelo 76902	h, i	1	0	8	340	No	...	...
	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 75246	a, b, c, d, f, g, h, i	33	160	1,288	4,037	Yes	220	12
	Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene 79601	a, c, d, e, f, h, i, j	...	12	400	1,368	Yes	...	1
	High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo 79106	b, c, d, h, i	...	3	260	850	Yes	...	...
	Hillcrest Baptist Hospital, Waco 76703	a, c, d, h, i	...	...	170	845	Yes	...	...
	The Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Inc., Beaumont 77704	b, c, f, h, i	...	...	215	907	No	...	...
	Valley Baptist Medical Center, Harlingen 78551	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	...	...	161	1,006	Yes	...	9
Virginia	Virginia Baptist Hospital, Inc., Lynchburg 24503	c, d, f, h, i	1	...	202	636	Yes	1	30

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

HOSPITALS—1984 (continued)

State	Name and Location	Capital and Operating Program						Religious Ministries						
		Total Assets—All Funds	Net Plant Assets	Other Assets	Indebtedness	Receipts from Denomination Capital	Receipts from Denomination Operating	Number Chaplains	1st Year Interns	2nd Year Residents	Frequency Worship Service	Number Inpatients Baptist	Number Inpatients Other Denomination	Number Inpatients No Religion
AL	Baptist Memorial Hospital, Gadsden 35999	$ 39,846,664	$ 25,088,469	$ 5,301,321	$	$.	$.	2	0	0	Other	8,395	3,820	.....
	Baptist Medical Center, Montgomery 36198	49,054,017	28,163,373	10,581,087	41,126,652	.....	.....	2	0	0	Other	.....	.....	.....
GA	Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta 30312	47,405,000	29,216,000	18,189,000	.....	.....	.....	28	6	4	Daily/ Weekly	.....	.....	.....
KY	Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington 40503	48,344,398	24,043,496	24,300,902	30,509,412	.....	17,439	2	0	0	Weekly	4,920	12,204	.....
	The Louisville Baptist Hospitals,[1] Louisville 40207	58,633,474	33,543,196	14,263,595	.....	.....	.....	2	0	0	Weekly	.....	.....	.....
	Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah 42001	36,316,464	19,407,939	4,240,334	15,569,513	.....	35,088	2	0	0	Daily	5,740	5,960	1,330
MS	Mississippi Baptist Medical Center, Jackson 39202	54,056,547	36,024,138	18,032,409	24,291,358	60,000	112,329	4	0	0	Daily	13,054	6,971	1,845
MO	Baptist Medical Center, Kansas City 64131	33,227,738	22,254,838	10,972,900	10,040,975	.....	.....	2	2	2	Daily/ Weekly	.....	.....	.....
NC	North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., Winston-Salem 27103	131,340,430	51,347,969	79,992,461	10,339,743	.....	917,340	23	8	8	4 Weekly	12,233	10,760	2,147
SC	Easley Baptist Hospital, Easley 29641	18,148,958	12,968,928	5,180,029	8,390,279	36,000	.....	1	0	0	Weekly	.....	.....	.....
	Baptist Medical Center at Columbia, Columbia 29220	65,487,767	32,537,152	32,950,615	15,942,248	150,000	527,137	3	4	3	Daily	9,156	14,245	915
TN	Baptist Hospital, Inc., Nashville 37236	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	0	0	Daily/ Weekly	8,964	12,009	6,505
	Baptist Memorial Hospital,[2] Memphis 38146	328,705,333	188,303,377	65,597,476	34,095,949	.....	.....	6	2	0	3 Weekly	25,834	16,906	13,058
	East Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville 37901	40,621,051	28,703,510	.....	16,654,630	.....	.....	3	0	0	2 Weekly	11,982	5,984	1,002
TX	Baptist Memorial Hospital System,[3] San Antonio 78286	74,501,316	32,781,573	41,719,743	25,938,561	376,177	.....	8	6	0	Daily	7,868	26,630	833
	Baptist Memorials Geriatric Center,[4] San Angelo 76902	22,492,166	10,775,159	11,717,007	4,377,909	.....	200,519	1	0	0	5 Weekly	160	110	15
	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas 75246	213,554,896	103,428,060	43,651,586	65,783,726	.....	436,705	7	6	2	Daily	.....	.....	.....
	Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene 79601	46,795,331	28,972,987	17,822,334	11,000,000	.....	.....	5	4	0	Daily/ Weekly	7,324	8,247	2,652
	High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo 79106	57,840,000	21,900,000	35,940,000	9,800,000	.....	.....	3	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Hillcrest Baptist Hospital, Waco 76703	45,185,395	25,571,029	6,456,287	15,472,426	.....	299,389	2	0	0	Daily	10,416	10,130	3,199
	The Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Inc., Beaumont 77704	18,384,181	11,193,292	209,290	11,734,296	.....	365,387	4	0	0	.....	5,227	4,817	405
	Valley Baptist Medical Center, Harlingen 78551	26,393,414	14,937,703	11,455,711	12,544,478	.....	336,000	3	0	0	Weekly	.....	.....	.....
VA	Virginia Baptist Hospital, Inc., Lynchburg 24503	54,633,804	31,328,502	1,299,352	22,022,259	.....	21,893	2	0	0	Weekly	3,912	2,607	5,572

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[4]Includes the hospital, nursing home, retirement hotel, duplexes, and cottages for complete retirement and medical care for the aging.

RETIREMENT FACILITIES—1984

State	Name and Location	Administrator or Superintendent	Year Opened	Capacity	Apartment Units	Cottage Units	Personal Care Units	Value of Facility	How Financed
DC	Baptist Home of the District of Columbia (Thurgood Marshall Center) 1330 Massachusetts Ave., NW Washington 20005	David M. Zwald	1880	203	175	1	130	$13,000,000	Residents, Contributions
FL	Florida Baptist Retirement Center, P.O. Box 488, Vero Beach 32961-0488	William H. Lord, Sr.	1959	78	75	12	36	1,000,500	Cooperative Program and Residents
GA	Baptist Village, Inc., P.O. Drawer 179, Waycross 31501	J. Olin Jones	1953	338	305	9	225	8,396,277	Residents, Georgia Baptist Convention, Gifts
GA	Georgia Baptist Homes, Inc., 374 Ross Ferry Road, N. E. Atlanta 30305	Searcy S. Garrison	1966	370	370	4	42	5,671,588	Residents, Cooperative Program, Gifts, Georgia Baptist Convention
KY	Baptist Convalescent Center, Inc., 120 E. Main Street, Newport 41071	Lee Hopkins	1952	167	167	2	130	3,390,000	Northern Kentucky Baptist Association, Patient Revenue, Gifts, and Bequests
LA	Arcadia Baptist Home, 1109 Sixth Street, Arcadia 71001	L. T. Stringer	1958	80	80	1	57	750,000	Residents, Churches State Convention
MD	Baptist Home of Maryland, Inc., 10729 Park Heights Ave., Owings Mills 21117	Mrs. Vinita A. Stadler	1915	64	53	4	32	800,000	Admission Fees, Endowment, State Convention, Churches, Private Contributions
MO	The Baptist Home, Inc., P.O. Box 87, Ironton 63650	Edward C. Goodwin	1913	210	205	7	125	6,000,000	Residents, Cooperative Program, Wills, Gifts, Endowments
NC	Baptist Retirement Homes of NC, Inc.1 2900 Reynolda Park Road, Winston-Salem 27107-1099	Jackson S. Hoyle	1951	279	245	16	226	3,514,433	Residents, Special Convention Offering, Cooperative Program, Bequests, Personal Gifts
OK	Tulsa Baptist Retirement Center P.O. Box 29, Owasso 74055,	T. Monroe Palmer	1979	282	272	23	21	6,600,000	Residents, Bonds, Contributions,
OK	Hugo Baptist Retirement Center, 1200 West Finley, Hugo 74743	Sam L. Garner	1959	104	104	7	80	2,500,000	Residents, Bonds, Contributions
OK	Oklahoma City Baptist Retirement Center, 9700 Middlebrn Blvd., Oklahoma City 73132	Don Donahoo	1965	380	380	59	80	8,000,000	Residents, Bonds, Contributions
SC*	Bethea Baptist Home,** P.O. Box 4000, Darlington 29532	Horace Hawes	1954	240	200	24	120	4,000,000	Residents, Cooperative Program, Gifts
TN	Tennessee Baptist Adult Homes, Inc.,2 P.O. Box 347, Brentwood 37027	W. E. Darby	1974	230	210	68	84	3,300,000	Residents, Contributions
TX	Buckner Baptist Haven, 12001 Memorial Drive, Houston 77024	Elaine Warren Brewer	1954	153	139	11	87	3,004,827	Residents, Contributions, Endowments
TX	Buckner Baptist Rykers Home, 4810 Summit Blvd., Dallas 75220	Lenore Anderson	1966	120	119	1	95	1,471,379	Residents, Contributions, Endowments
TX	Buckner Baptist Trew Home, 4800 Summit Blvd., Dallas 75220	Robert L. Herring	1954	130	130	23	36	1,419,811	Residents, Contributions, Endowments
TX	Buckner Inn, 4012 Summit Blvd., Dallas 75220	Robert L. Herring	1971	15	16	1	5	252,120	Residents, Endowments
TX	Buckner Baptist Moore Steen Home For The Aged 4700 Buckner, Austin 78735	Steven Lee	1970	128	118	1	76	2,743,124	Residents, Contributions, Endowments
TX	Buckner Townhouse, 4800 Summit Blvd., Dallas 75220	Robert L. Herring	1975	16	21	1	0	571,516	Residents
TX	Buckner-Villa Siesta Home, 1001 E. Buckner Lane, Austin 78753	Jimmy Cantrell	1970	123	120	2	75	2,288,125	Residents, Contributions, Endowments
TX	Baptist Memorials Geriatric Center,3 900 N. Main, San Angelo 76901	Taylor Hanley	1951	310	280	125	10	7,545,602	Residents, Contributions, Endowments
VA	Virginia Baptist Homes,4 Corporate Office P.O. Box 191, Culpeper 22701	Meredith K. Roberson	1946	1,001	826	26	375	20,441,470	Cooperative Program, Gifts, Wills, Endowments, Residents

1Made up of five group care homes in Winston-Salem, Albemarle, Hamilton, Yanceyville, and Asheville, with nursing care and apartments in Winston-Salem.
2Facilities consist of nursing home and retirement village which is half completed. Statistics are a compilation.
3Centers of Baptist Memorial Village and Hotel Cortez Retirement Center. Statistics are a composite. (Not a part of Buckner Baptist Benevolences.)
4Centers of homes in Newport News, Culpeper, and Richmond—one still under construction.
*Bethea Florida Baptist Retirement Center, Lantana, South Carolina opened February 1985.
**Bethea Baptist Home is part of South Carolina Baptist Ministries for the Aging, J. Thomas Garrett, director.

CHILDREN'S HOMES—1984

State Convention	Name and Location	Executive Director or Superintendent	Average Number in Residence	No. Under Care Living Out	Average Number Employed	Income	Special Gifts Included in Income	Expenditures	Income	Value of Property	Year Organized
Alabama	Alabama Baptist Children's Home,[1] Inc., P.O. Box 429, Troy 36081	T. W. Collier	143	61	65	$ 1,834,896	$ 95,000	$ 61,206	$2,089,052	$ 4,246,849	1891
Alaska	Alaska Baptist Family Service Center, SRA 1791-A, 1600 O'Malley Road, Anchorage 99516	Gordon Lanrip	12	1	10	950,000	2,500	18,000	415,000	297,073	1974
Arizona	Arizona Baptist Children's Services, P.O. Box 27128, Phoenix 85061	C. Truett Baker	47	10	55	.....	22,000	25,000	1,250,000	753,000	1958
Arkansas	Arkansas Baptist Family and Child Care Services,[2] P.O. Box 552, Little Rock 72203	Johnny G. Biggs	83	270	56	714,450	327,609	14,000	1,334,116	3,761,477	1894
District of Columbia	6301 Greentree Road, Bethesda, MD 20817	Jarvet K. Fishpaw	20	...	20	1,500,000	11,250	10,300	477,699	573,800	1914
Florida	Florida Baptist Children's Home,[3] P.O. Box 8190, Lakeland 33802	Richard E. Phillips	102	13	73	2,012,613	659,321	175,216	2,245,251	7,350,980	1904
	Baptist Home for Children, Jacksonville 32207	Jim Cole	56	4	26	1,500,000	.....	45,000	421,000	1,773,000	1926
Georgia	Georgia Baptist Children's Home, Inc.,[5] 2930 Flowers Road, South, Atlanta 30341	L. Don Duvall	324	190	140	3,558,842	.....	202,667	3,681,097	9,281,647	1872
Illinois	Baptist Children's Home, Inc.,[6] Carmi 62821	Leon Talley	45	40	28	550,000	.....	.....	775,000	1,500,000	1917
Kentucky	Kentucky Baptist Homes for Children,[7] 10001 Shelbyville Road, Middletown 40243	Eldred M. Taylor	128	29	100	3,746,801	200,000	84,870	2,199,959	5,164,183	1869
Louisiana	Louisiana Baptist Children's Home,[8] P.O. Box 4195, Monroe 71211	Wade B. East	100	14	42	2,900,000	459,577	20,000	1,623,931	9,248,135	1899
Mississippi	The Baptist Children's Village, Box 11308, Jackson 39213	Paul N. Nunnery	232	15	70	490,488	294,991	231,000	1,563,645	4,067,124	1897
Missouri	Missouri Baptist Children's Home, 11300 St. Charles Rock Road, Bridgeton 63044	Raymond R. Knutson	47	113	40	2,578,462	178,514	67,320	1,257,056	3,535,682	1886
New Mexico	New Mexico Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 629, Portales 88130	Bert Edmison	48	2	22	1,499,832	.....	306,927	425,649	3,579,838	1919
N. Carolina	Baptist Children's Home of North Carolina, Inc.,[9] P.O. Box 338, Thomasville 27360	Michael C. Blackwell President	396	212	281	4,393,662	1,239,134	178,042	6,471,972	11,383,764	1885
Oklahoma	Department of Child Care of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma,[10] 1141 North Robinson, Oklahoma City 73103	Lowell D. Milburn	194	122	102	17,800,000	650,000	2,628,753	4,944,013	9,900,000	1908
S. Carolina	Connie Maxwell Children's Home, P.O. Box 1178, Greenwood 29648-1178	Hayward Prince	80	68	90	7,478,927	455,541	145,239	2,338,250	4,990,902	1891
Tennessee	Tennessee Baptist Children's Homes, Inc.,[11] 107 Franklin Road, Brentwood 37027	Gerald L. Stow	153	40	92	2,132,467	915,000	101,017	2,318,571	3,913,922	1891
Texas	Buckner Baptist Benevolences,[12] P.O. Box 271189, Dallas 75227	R. C. Campbell	*450	**374	252	29,390,970	653,691	558,941	6,661,987	15,140,851	1879
	Baptist Children's Home at San Antonio, 7484 Hwy. 90 West, San Antonio 78227	Leland Hacker, President	85	8	33	1,100,000	541,000	.....	963,923	1,727,297	1944
	South Texas Children's Home, P.O. Box 1210, Beeville 78102	A. J. Green, Jr.	72	145	46	4,046,652	718,099	564,524	1,258,126	4,479,996	1952
	Texas Baptist Children's Home, Box 7, Round Rock 78664	Charles I. Wright	70	80	56	3,000,000	778,415	202,568	1,731,630	3,297,985	1950
Virginia	The Virginia Baptist Children's Home, Box 849, Salem 24153	R. Franklin Hough, Jr.	80	45	54	3,500,000	380,000	25,000	1,670,000	4,800,000	1890

[1]Branch homes in Decatur and Mobile, group home in Guntersville and Northport.
[2]Group home in Jonesboro and foster care program. Two emergency receiving homes.
[3]Main campus at Lakeland, with branches at Miami and Tallahassee.
[4]Sponsored by three associations.
[5]A multi-service agency consisting of group homes, service centers, foster care and three campuses.
[6]A multi-service agency consisting of cottages, group homes, and a maternity center.
[7]A multi-unit agency with homes at Middletown and Glendale.
[8]Group home in Jonesboro and foster care program.
[9]A multi-service agency with homes in Waynesville—Clyde, Thomasville, Pembroke, and Kinston.
[10]A multi-service agency with homes in Oklahoma City, Edmond, Owasso, and Madill.
[11]A multi-service agency with four homes: Franklin, Memphis, and two in Chattanooga.
[12]A multiple unit agency with homes in Dallas, Bonnet, Lubbock, East Alamein, and Beaumont (includes many types of care).
*This includes BSCH, Dallas; BSCH, Lubbock; BCV, Beaumont; Bluff Ranch, Burnet; South Texas Center, San Antonio; and Maternity Home, San Antonio.
**This includes Group Foster Care, Foster Family Care, Mother's Aid, Maternity Out-Patients, and Adoption.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST SUMMARY—1845-1984

	Membership	Baptisms	Sunday School Enrollment	VBS Enrollment	Church Training Enrollment	Music Ministry Enrollment	WMU Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Church Property	Mission Gifts	Total All Gifts	Churches
1845	351,951	23,222	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$	$	$	4,126
1855	542,396	43,722	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,590
1860*	649,518	51,342	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1879	1,516,351	53,760	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1880	1,672,631	78,243	377,214	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,455
1883	934,817	53,908	502,105	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,513
1884	975,153	62,424	556,715	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,102
1885	1,013,160	65,197	326,003	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,488
1886	1,071,823	90,877	372,929	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,700,893	202,170	1,513,640	14,346
1887	1,125,892	83,158	448,365	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,840,281	209,116	1,603,934	14,874
1888	1,165,812	73,052	539,083	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,180,634	219,282	1,876,260	15,343
1889	1,194,654	77,507	549,127	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,515,881	295,394	2,203,700	15,894
1890	1,235,908	81,806	577,230	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,282,034	306,493	2,287,930	16,091
1891	1,282,220	84,076	494,845	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,382,359	398,916	2,876,927	16,654
1892	1,321,540	82,478	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,703,308	.....	3,252,716	16,710
1893	1,363,351	93,842	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,800,061	.....	3,045,689	17,346
1894	1,431,041	105,190	414,379	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,361,794	.....	3,218,789	17,803
1895	1,468,991	90,877	576,711	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,913,444	.....	2,927,162	18,143
1896	1,529,191	97,557	611,528	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,551,268	.....	2,970,429	18,678
1897	1,568,906	98,984	611,612	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,351,855	425,871	2,547,347	18,922
1898	1,586,709	77,243	628,002	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,681,227	667,190	2,895,080	18,873
1899	1,688,413	73,635	636,944	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,207,537	613,946	2,857,071	18,963
1900	1,657,996	80,465	670,569	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,437,323	701,323	3,089,507	19,558
1901	1,683,039	95,610	712,012	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,025,344	881,219	3,456,014	19,653
1902	1,737,466	108,517	745,474	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,637,619	971,984	4,016,394	19,911
1903	1,805,889	103,241	761,059	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,513,888	1,086,308	4,571,325	20,431
1904	1,832,638	103,021	776,248	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,828,672	1,127,794	5,038,253	20,402
1905	1,889,427	105,905	844,040	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,824,590	1,210,134	5,379,081	21,882
1906	1,946,948	126,911	876,682	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,471,309	1,476,330	6,083,860	20,776
1907	2,015,080	129,152	959,795	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,917,149	1,704,130	7,108,934	21,266
1908	2,139,080	146,717	1,055,721	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,861,438	1,817,556	7,863,416	21,887
1909	2,218,911	140,980	1,131,981	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34,637,020	1,997,634	8,522,652	22,438
1910	2,332,464	134,440	1,248,116	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,203,522	2,264,198	9,474,777	23,248
1911	2,421,203	132,396	1,288,014	.....	60,700	.....	.....	.....	43,393,899	2,480,207	10,424,486	23,676
1912	2,446,286	123,471	1,329,720	.....	76,665	.....	.....	.....	46,843,897	2,522,161	10,926,406	23,982
1913	2,522,633	137,396	1,491,426	.....	117,695	.....	.....	.....	48,634,360	2,631,976	10,883,092	24,171
1914	2,588,633	151,441	1,705,871	.....	159,932	.....	.....	.....	53,392,795	2,811,515	12,158,587	24,338
1915	2,685,552	168,235	1,760,802	.....	153,071	.....	.....	.....	56,861,492	3,038,044	13,073,940	24,451
1916	2,744,098	160,497	1,784,992	.....	175,540	.....	.....	.....	58,319,638	2,977,667	12,541,890	24,602
1917	2,844,301	148,699	1,835,811	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61,139,186	3,233,011	13,415,834	24,883
1918	2,887,428	113,833	1,759,208	.....	230,540	.....	.....	.....	64,772,860	3,560,963	15,346,158	24,851
1919	2,961,348	123,089	1,835,936	.....	301,873	.....	.....	.....	69,974,092	4,911,105	17,852,929	25,303
1920	3,149,346	173,595	1,926,610	.....	322,011	.....	.....	.....	74,273,728	7,331,266	21,327,446	27,444
1921	3,220,383	233,571	2,147,654	.....	384,215	.....	.....	.....	97,732,990	14,038,661	34,882,082	27,634
1922	3,366,211	224,844	2,220,035	.....	483,166	.....	.....	.....	102,404,038	10,962,725	33,432,746	27,919
1923	3,494,189	195,864	2,381,717	.....	495,149	.....	148,108	.....	115,346,980	9,849,857	32,167,978	27,611
1924	3,574,531	209,676	2,536,953	.....	546,193	.....	269,906	.....	127,121,098	9,393,618	34,439,436	27,517
1925**	3,649,330	224,191	2,691,828	28,167	531,415	.....	.....	.....	141,737,127	9,863,154	37,359,615	27,341
1926**	3,616,694	193,279	2,683,331	38,077	498,426	.....	.....	.....	165,909,278	8,255,435	39,827,009	24,774
1927**	3,673,712	197,155	2,780,043	.....	480,190	.....	440,009	.....	195,005,216	8,161,411	39,855,829	24,274
1928**	3,705,876	183,020	2,797,129	44,230	500,564	.....	523,736	.....	205,705,944	7,843,652	39,787,237	25,705
1929	3,770,645	175,631	2,776,665	51,079	501,405	.....	531,394	.....	207,614,545	7,402,788	39,927,910	24,010
									213,327,088	7,641,330	39,337,149	

1930	3,850,278	198,579	2,839,183	57,983	533,976	.....	624,659	.....	217,979,116	6,783,837	37,489,021	23,731
1931	3,944,366	211,253	2,952,910	69,786	546,948	.....	651,690	.....	217,086,775	5,819,375	32,618,128	23,806
1932	4,046,140	226,855	3,051,469	71,368	583,842	.....	563,830	.....	209,719,089	4,951,011	27,341,488	24,035
1933	4,173,928	211,393	3,089,484	83,600	618,283	.....	581,442	.....	204,376,293	3,880,774	23,289,361	24,270
1934	4,277,052	209,364	3,104,411	100,902	649,773	.....	571,702	.....	202,095,794	4,251,668	24,653,276	24,360
1935	4,389,417	220,047	3,157,458	140,878	662,004	.....	593,766	.....	202,101,914	4,624,515	26,888,567	24,537
1936	4,482,315	191,993	3,173,356	198,153	693,186	.....	595,852	.....	203,469,481	4,988,885	29,188,687	24,671
1937	4,595,602	204,567	3,211,707	264,247	742,201	.....	612,075	.....	206,868,413	5,702,150	32,265,687	24,844
1938	4,770,185	256,814	3,368,851	375,455	805,945	.....	715,402	.....	210,460,838	5,798,529	35,265,340	24,932
1939	4,940,174	269,155	3,523,853	421,377	874,791	.....	747,845	.....	214,724,695	6,267,263	37,136,531	25,018
1940	5,104,327	245,500	3,590,374	541,026	919,689	.....	758,151	.....	221,974,479	6,787,627	40,359,038	25,259
1941	5,238,132	209,593	3,553,487	617,404	954,179	.....	768,976	.....	232,944,315	7,822,340	44,857,607	25,603
1942	5,367,129	209,127	3,430,939	590,114	801,567	.....	748,465	54,868	204,131,184	9,681,772	52,247,622	25,737
1943	5,493,027	202,301	3,332,978	548,707	777,732	.....	715,433	33,009	248,168,495	13,455,640	63,067,085	25,790
1944	5,667,926	218,223	3,372,909	635,947	759,885	.....	719,186	34,750	295,534,009	17,300,389	76,588,615	25,965
1945	5,865,354	256,899	3,525,310	801,218	703,332	.....	739,360	38,538	276,089,771	22,490,751	98,458,425	26,191
1946	6,079,305	253,361	3,738,924	1,055,678	802,859	.....	767,521	71,412	313,053,779	27,240,704	115,226,949	26,401
1947	6,270,819	285,152	4,004,075	1,328,790	927,908	.....	761,907	97,146	366,830,652	28,471,014	132,162,846	26,764
1948	6,489,221	310,226	4,301,490	1,268,171	1,079,024	.....	856,332	119,230	450,489,517	30,605,598	155,574,504	26,822
1949	6,761,265	334,892	4,643,650	1,443,072	1,235,438	.....	943,135	142,412	548,281,564	31,316,818	178,337,307	27,285
1950	7,079,889	376,085	5,024,553	1,642,772	1,440,895	.....	1,033,479	167,744	645,271,741	33,402,224	197,242,154	27,788
1951	7,373,498	375,525	5,253,695	1,770,418	1,554,660	.....	1,087,427	185,587	761,510,838	37,268,172	222,838,109	28,289
1952	7,634,493	354,384	5,491,056	2,059,163	1,677,293	.....	1,143,993	214,486	890,697,339	45,822,830	248,084,289	28,865
1953	7,886,616	361,835	5,759,128	2,108,370	1,849,544	.....	1,188,080	242,918	1,020,504,214	48,427,760	278,851,129	29,496
1954	8,169,491	396,857	6,356,489	2,570,290	2,062,952	.....	1,302,080	273,406	1,162,761,138	52,926,157	305,573,654	29,899
1955	8,474,741	416,867	6,641,715	2,652,788	2,223,502	.....	1,245,358	404,281	1,323,453,534	58,360,267	334,836,283	30,377
1956	8,708,823	384,627	6,823,713	2,733,990	2,316,354	.....	1,267,850	445,630	1,491,385,336	64,954,516	372,136,675	30,834
1957	8,986,255	389,716	6,972,350	2,777,104	2,414,584	593,021	1,324,295	511,521	1,662,512,890	70,015,299	397,530,347	31,297
1958	9,206,758	407,882	7,086,175	2,908,157	2,503,920	622,694	1,395,974	582,497	1,825,474,318	74,750,699	419,619,438	31,498
1959	9,485,276	429,063	7,276,502	2,910,258	2,608,110	682,477	1,456,192	617,263	2,009,254,164	77,753,190	453,338,720	31,908
1960	9,731,591	386,469	7,382,550	3,004,730	2,664,730	646,696	1,484,589	619,105	2,204,351,856	81,924,906	480,608,972	32,251
1961	9,978,488	403,315	7,506,846	3,088,721	2,724,369	715,104	1,496,634	628,087	2,385,175,418	84,434,806	501,301,714	32,598
1962	10,193,052	381,510	7,570,455	3,176,559	2,747,581	791,477	1,489,352	628,063	2,567,836,860	91,433,845	540,811,457	32,892
1963	10,395,940	355,325	7,610,727	3,176,307	2,748,553	859,608	[1]1,512,840	634,651	2,751,429,716	96,077,109	556,042,684	33,126
1964	10,601,515	374,418	7,671,165	[2]3,216,238	2,722,029	923,871	[1]1,509,484	603,696	2,954,380,965	100,164,740	591,587,981	33,388
1965	10,772,712	361,634	7,659,638	3,394,953	2,610,187	872,186	[1]1,469,739	483,219	3,080,663,120	108,743,944	637,958,846	[3]33,797
1966	10,949,693	360,959	7,603,685	3,388,924	2,552,073	945,004	[1]1,459,828	463,553	3,273,868,971	115,197,437	669,779,972	[3]33,949
1967	11,142,726	378,937	7,579,203	3,439,325	2,514,165	1,019,130	[1]1,444,428	457,770	3,495,020,717	120,454,869	711,775,365	[3]34,147
1968	11,332,229	373,025	7,545,513	3,227,705	2,455,497	1,038,290	[1]1,407,673	448,738	3,656,597,050	128,023,731	761,877,082	[3]34,295
1969	11,489,613	368,225	7,418,067	3,648,255	2,343,595	1,082,494	[1]1,291,221	430,339	3,900,472,691	133,224,335	809,608,812	[3]34,335
1970	11,629,880	368,863	7,290,447	3,212,436	2,228,217	1,076,487	[1]1,199,813	422,527	4,127,738,253	138,500,883	857,098,689	[3]34,360
1971	11,826,463	409,659	[4]7,141,453	3,241,917	2,106,855	1,088,980	[4][1]1,137,586	[4]451,538	4,307,882,773	[4]160,546,250	935,044,620	[3]34,441
1972	12,067,284	445,725	[4]7,177,651	3,240,514	2,044,445	1,173,004	[4][1]1,125,641	[4]454,272	4,601,622,835	[4]174,772,885	1,023,146,829	[3]34,534
1973	12,297,346	413,990	7,182,590	3,239,973	1,949,640	1,252,628	[1]1,102,432	461,080	5,022,607,547	193,549,922	1,136,238,734	[3]34,668
1974	12,515,842	410,482	7,190,829	3,354,681	1,904,986	1,304,068	[1]1,115,149	460,713	5,614,906,403	219,389,030	1,258,557,004	[3]34,734
1975	12,735,663	421,809	7,281,532	3,491,376	1,886,177	1,354,944	[1]1,133,587	476,002	6,221,128,761	237,617,406	1,387,339,703	[3]34,902
1976	12,922,605	384,496	7,458,375	3,275,013	1,850,406	1,372,598	[1]1,139,034	478,981	6,897,358,829	262,373,823	1,545,977,274	[3]35,073
1977	13,083,199	345,890	7,430,931	3,193,877	1,778,179	1,382,104	[1]1,118,085	473,309	7,605,102,513	289,372,474	1,691,206,562	[3]35,255
1978	13,196,979	336,050	7,338,046	3,179,015	1,775,701	1,434,693	[1]1,094,986	466,898	8,455,626,539	316,919,377	1,869,701,706	[3]35,404
1979	13,379,073	368,738	7,317,980	3,197,317	1,752,026	1,485,774	[1]1,086,785	489,315	9,609,575,477	356,207,790	2,085,955,800	[3]35,605
1980	13,606,808	429,742	7,433,405	3,338,824	1,795,619	1,527,397	[1]1,100,043	495,666	10,768,305,191	401,499,506	2,315,149,038	[3]35,831
1981	13,789,580	405,608	7,528,400	3,328,086	1,814,179	1,590,992	[1]1,114,461	512,900	12,100,841,870	[4]441,400,157	2,583,985,280	[3]36,079
1982	13,998,252	411,554	7,678,604	3,276,977	1,949,348	1,634,774	[1]1,149,266	529,842	13,187,085,015	486,935,086	2,919,507,245	[3]36,302
1983	14,185,454	394,606	7,815,443	3,244,355	1,987,390	1,636,764	[1]1,175,354	565,349	14,514,045,215	529,283,289	3,165,237,985	[3]36,531
1984	14,349,657	372,028	7,857,337	3,249,777	1,972,907	1,667,385	1,169,630	568,383	[5].....	568,059,173	3,437,112,245	[3]36,740

*No data available for 1861-71.
**B.M.A.'s dropped from list.
[1]Figures include statistics from the church as well as college and/or hospital BYWs.
[2]Reported incorrectly in 1965 Southern Baptist Handbook.
[3]Nonreporting churches are included. "Nonreporting" refers to those still affiliated with the Convention, but who have not submitted a report for three or more years.
[4]The data is not comparable to previous years. See page 36 in 1972 Handbook.
[5]Not part of the 1984 Uniform Church Letter.

Affiliates of the Baptist World Alliance—1984

(Latest figures submitted to the BWA office in Washington, August, 1984.)

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

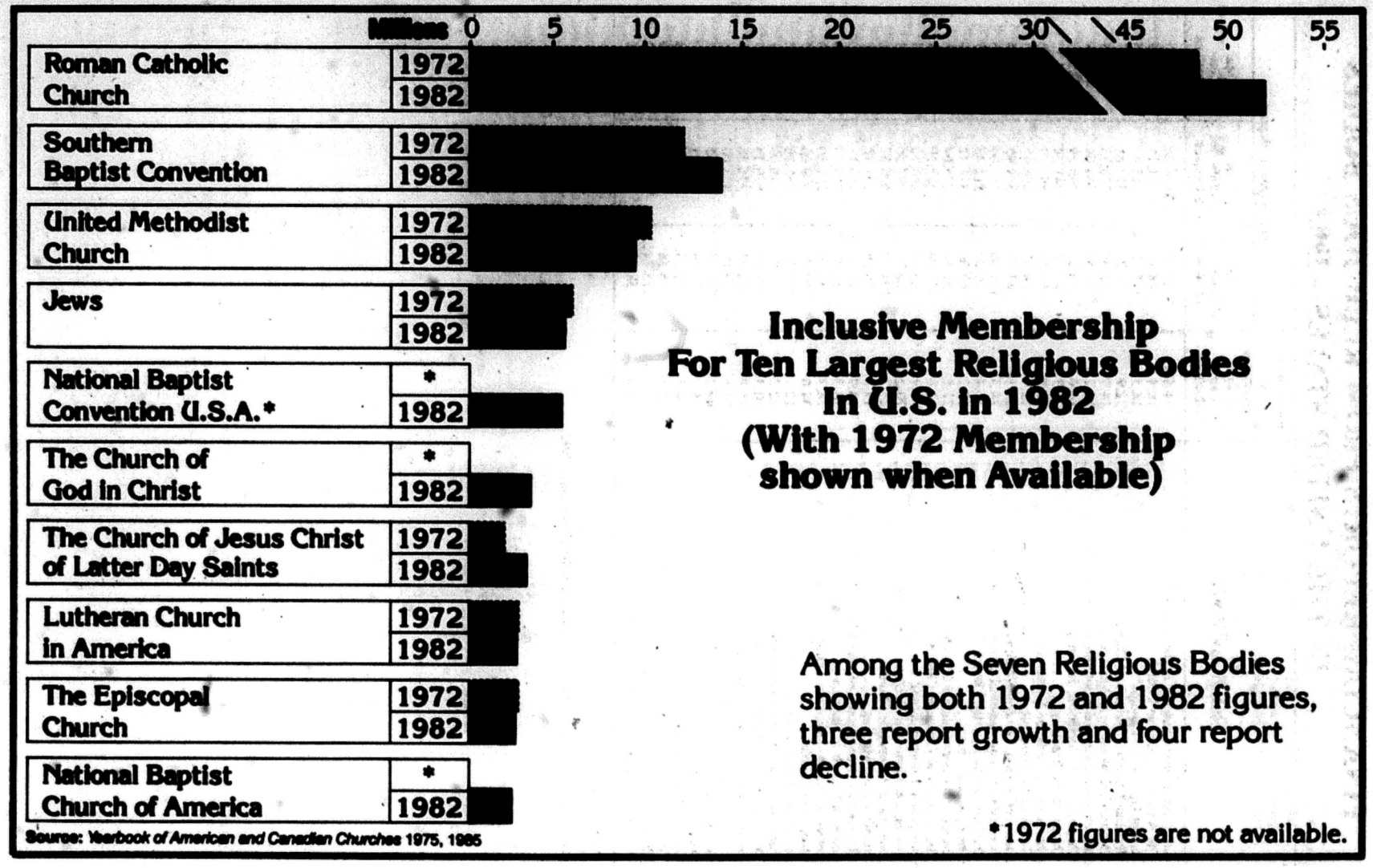
Africa	Churches	Other Preaching Places	Church Members
Angola—Baptist Convention of Angola	56	90	19,500
Baptist Evangelical Church in Angola	37	137	26,437
Burundi—Union of Baptist Churches of Burundi	13	51	8,000
Cameroon—Cameroon Baptist Convention	486	79	35,654
Union of Baptist Churches of Cameroon	120	13	38,520
Central African Republic—Fraternal Union of Baptist Churches	108	.....	50,000
Ethiopia—Baptist Evangelical Association of Ethiopia	52	28	4,011
Ghana—Ghana Baptist Convention	98	25	9,563
Kenya—Baptist Convention of Kenya	700	75	35,000
Liberia—Liberia Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention, Inc.	139	112	42,250
Malawi—The African Baptist Assembly, Malawi, Inc.	588	23	43,528
Baptist Convention in Malawi	264	130	20,000
Mozambique—Baptist Convention of Mozambique	7	9	500
Nigeria—Mambilla Baptist Convention in Nigeria	130	7	10,416
Nigerian Baptist Convention	1,239	2,310	386,478
Rwanda—Union of Baptist Churches in Rwanda	21	215	21,503
Sierra Leone—Baptist Convention (Sierra Leone)	14	28	1,028
South Africa—Baptist Union of South Africa	580	961	58,149
Tanzania—Baptist Convention of Tanzania	458	125	32,442
Togo—Togo Baptist Association	28	38	2,650
Uganda—Baptist Union of Uganda	185	.....	11,887
Zaire—Baptist Community of Bandundu	27	235	22,394
Baptist Community of Western Zaire	413	.....	187,000
Baptist Community of the Zaire River	195	1,435	135,148
Zambia—Baptist Convention of Zambia	135	5	10,280
Zimbabwe—Baptist Convention of Zimbabwe	135	30	19,000
Baptist Union of Zimbabwe	19	2	1,273
Totals for Africa	6,247	6,163	1,233,151
Asia			
Bangladesh—Bangladesh Baptist Fellowship	49	138	2,267
Bangladesh Baptist Sangha	194	24	9,800
Garo Baptist Union, Bangladesh	129	10	9,091
Burma—Burma Baptist Convention	3,059	.....	375,967
Hong Kong—Baptist Convention of Hong Kong	50	20	32,046
India—Baptist Church of Mizoram	230	11	35,089
The Baptist Union of India*	.....	.....	.....
Bengal Orissa Bihar Baptist Convention	68	15	6,057
Convention of Baptist Churches of the Northern Circars	198	25	47,000
Council of Baptist Churches in North East India	3,627	3,503	400,444
Council of Baptist Churches in Northern India	470	371	60,000
Karnataka Baptist Convention	58	152	5,800
North Bank Baptist Christian Association	348	.....	20,000
Samavesam of Telugu Baptist Churches	673	531	288,430
Indonesia—Convention of Indonesian Baptist Churches	60	150	4,070
Union of Indonesian Baptist Churches	95	150	65,000
Japan—Japan Baptist Convention	191	65	26,493
Japan Baptist Union	54	16	4,271
Korea—Korea Baptist Convention	913	69	132,000
Malaysia—Malaysia Baptist Convention	44	33	4,546
Okinawa—Okinawa Baptist Convention	19	8	2,387

	Churches	Other Preaching Places	Church Members
Philippines—Baptist Conference of the Philippines, Inc.	79	72	5,763
Convention of Philippine Baptist Churches, Inc.	576	.....	64,058
General Baptist Church of the Philippines, Inc.	86	68	5,000
Luzon Convention of Baptist Churches, Inc.	189	94	15,876
Mindanao Convention of Southern Baptist Churches	673	1,070	46,370
Singapore—Singapore Baptist Convention	18	19	3,887
Sri Lanka—Sri Lanka Baptist Union	20	10	2,284
Taiwan—Chinese Baptist Convention	84	.....	906
Thailand—Thailand Baptist Convention	135	21	12,374
Totals for Asia	12,389	6,648	1,687,276
Central America and Caribbean Islands			
Antigua—Antigua Baptist Association	3	.....	500
Bahamas—Bahamas National Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention	211	.....	55,000
Barbados—Barbados Baptist Convention	4	.....	421
Bermuda—Bermuda Baptist Fellowship	3	1	256
Costa Rica—Baptist Convention of Costa Rica	34	8	2,420
Cuba—Baptist Convention of Eastern Cuba	115	20	5,703
Baptist Convention of Western Cuba	109	30	6,545
Dominican Republic—Dominican Baptist Convention	14	12	801
El Salvador—Baptist Association of El Salvador	53	50	6,850
Guatemala—Convention of Baptist Churches of Guatemala	77	10	8,620
Haiti—Haitian Baptist Convention	88	589	42,738
Honduras—National Convention of Baptist Churches	40	56	2,269
Jamaica—Jamaica Baptist Union	276	337	41,101
Nicaragua—Baptist Convention of Nicaragua	57	107	6,106
Panama—The Baptist Convention of Panama	66	3	717
Trinidad and Tobago—Baptist Union of Trinidad and Tobago	21	4	3,200
Totals for Central America and Caribbean Islands	1,167	1,227	183,247
Europe			
Austria—Baptist Union of Austria	12	5	727
Belgium—Union of Evangelical Baptist Churches	11	2	730
Bulgaria—Union of Baptist Churches in Bulgaria	10	4	670
Czechoslovakia—Baptist Union of Czechoslovakia	28	84	3,974
Denmark—The Baptist Union of Denmark	44	60	6,236
Europe—European Baptist Convention (English language)	44	2	3,737
Finland—Finnish Baptist Union (Finnish speaking)	10	5	3,985
Baptist Union of Finland (Swedish speaking)	22	40	1,728
France—Federation of Baptist Evangelical Churches	36	55	3,985
Germany, Democratic Republic—Union of Evangelical Free Churches in the GDR	218	259	20,475
Germany, Federal Republic—Union of Evangelical Free Churches in Germany (FRG)	367	247	68,822
Hungary—Baptist Union of Hungary	200	248	12,720
Italy—Baptist Evangelical Christian Union of Italy	81	35	4,450
Netherlands—Union of Baptist Churches in the Netherlands	80	22	12,346
Norway—Baptist Union of Norway	64	.....	6,337
Poland—Polish Baptist Union	57	88	2,915
Portugal—Portuguese Baptist Convention	56	31	3,400
Romania—Baptist Union of R.S. Romania	662	442	160,000
Spain—Baptist Evangelical Union of Spain	61	69	6,500
Sweden—Baptist Union of Sweden	380	3	20,898
Switzerland—Union of Baptist Churches in Switzerland	15	2	1,435
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics—All Union Council of Evangelical Christians-Baptists	5,030	.....	547,000

	Churches	Other Preaching Places	Church Members
United Kingdom—Baptist Union of Great Britain and Ireland ...	2,070	.....	166,688
Baptist Union of Scotland	160	.....	14,725
Baptist Union of Wales	599	.....	33,146
Yugoslavia—Baptist Union of Yugoslavia	60	68	3,539
Totals for Europe	**10,377**	**1,771**	**1,168,620**
Middle East			
Israel—Association of Baptist Churches in Israel	7	11	455
Jordan—Jordan Baptist Convention	8	6	387
Lebanon—Lebanese Baptist Convention	13	3	525
Totals for Middle East	**28**	**20**	**1,367**
North America			
Canada—Baptist Federation of Canada	1,111	94	132,205
Mexico—National Baptist Convention of Mexico	445	1,305	42,099
United States of America			
American Baptist Churches in the USA	5,814	.....	1,616,992
Baptist General Conference	803	24	135,041
General Association of General Baptists	997	.....	8,280
Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention, USA*	.....	.....	.....
National Baptist Convention of America	12,400	1,173	3,500,000
National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc.	30,000	3,208	6,800,200
North American Baptist Conference	373	11	60,501
Progressive National Baptist Convention, Inc.	1,000	160	425,000
Seventh Day Baptist General Conference, USA and Canada	70	11	5,119
Southern Baptist Convention	36,740	.....	14,349,657
Union of Latvian Baptists in America	8	.....	481
Totals for North America	**89,761**	**5,986**	**27,148,575**
Oceania			
Australia—The Baptist Union of Australia, Inc.	721	49	57,715
New Zealand—Australasian Conferences of Seventh Day Baptists	5	.....	79
The Baptist Union of New Zealand	169	11	21,739
Papua New Guinea—Baptist Union of Papua New Guinea, Inc. ..	409	.....	22,000
Totals for Oceania	**1,304**	**60**	**101,533**
South America			
Argentina—Baptist Evangelical Convention	364	205	32,000
Bolivia—Baptist Convention of Bolivia	20	44	1,325
Baptist Union of Bolivia	90	250	10,500
Brazil—Baptist Convention of Brazil	3,060	6,150	578,440
Chile—Baptist Evangelical Convention of Chile	188	155	16,882
Colombia—Baptist Convention of Colombia	89	136	12,121
Ecuador—The Baptist Convention of Ecuador	72	120	4,850
Guyana—Baptist Cooperative Convention of Guyana	10	26	1,026
Paraguay—Baptist Evangelical Convention of Paraguay	41	87	4,125
Peru—Baptist Evangelical Convention of Peru	72	120	5,500
Uruguay—Baptist Evangelical Convention of Uruguay	55	25	2,600
Venezuela—National Baptist Convention of Venezuela	96	61	6,500
Totals for South America	**4,157**	**7,379**	**675,869**
GRAND TOTALS (127 bodies in 93 nations and dependencies) ..	**125,430**	**29,251**	**32,139,838**

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

Source: Baptist World Alliance.



Inclusive Membership For Ten Largest Religious Bodies In U.S. in 1982 (With 1972 Membership shown when Available)

Among the Seven Religious Bodies showing both 1972 and 1982 figures, three report growth and four report decline.

*1972 figures are not available.

FINANCIAL REPORTS FROM RELIGIOUS BODIES IN THE UNITED STATES—1983

Religious Body	Benevolences as Percentage of Total Contributions	Per Member Report		
		Total Benevolences	Congregational Expenses	Total Contributions
American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A.*	14.6%	$ 25.32	$148.28	$173.60
The American Lutheran Church	18.4	48.18	213.79	261.97
Baptist General Conference**	18.3	115.79	515.47	631.26
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)	12.9	31.25	317.65	364.67
Christian and Missionary Alliance	18.9	92.38	726.73	896.44
Church of God General Conference, Oregon, Illinois	17.2	71.54	344.04	415.58
Church of God (Anderson, Indiana)	14.6	76.27	446.29	522.56
Church of the Brethren	26.7	87.98	241.24	329.22
Church of the Lutheran Confession	17.8	57.73	267.17	324.90
Church of the Nazarene	12.9	69.32	468.41	537.73
Churches of God, General Conference	21.1	83.99	314.95	398.94
Conservative Congregational Christian Conference	24.5	111.36	343.64	455.00
Cumberland Presbyterian Church	11.4	26.07	216.38	244.27
The Episcopal Church	19.2	60.36	371.42	459.89
Evangelical Congregational Church**	21.5	52.54	275.64	351.06
The Evangelical Covenant Church	18.6	127.99	559.39	687.38
Evangelical Lutheran Synod	17.9	40.81	246.70	300.55
Evangelical Mennonite Brethren Conference	70.2	700.29	297.26	997.55
Evangelical Mennonite Church	27.7	191.39	500.57	691.96
Friends United Meeting	19.8	58.39	237.12	295.51
The Latvian Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	10.9	15.54	143.11	160.60
Lutheran Church in America	16.3	30.40	210.05	250.89
Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod	16.3	36.98	251.60	300.63
Mennonite Church	34.0	159.41	309.66	469.07
Moravian Church in America, Northern Province	12.1	28.22	265.66	302.26
North American Baptist Conference	22.2	118.58	416.09	534.67
The Orthodox Presbyterian Church	20.3	101.43	570.75	716.47
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A)	15.9	63.41	335.58	398.99
Reformed Church in America	18.3	59.89	435.00	532.48
Seventh-day Adventists	69.3	518.73	230.35	749.08
Southern Baptist Convention	15.7	37.29	200.21	237.50
United Church of Christ	14.4	32.25	194.89	227.64
The United Methodist Church*	22.7	46.58	158.81	205.39
The Wesleyan Church	16.5	113.74	636.36	761.92
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod	22.0	58.35	313.88	349.98

*1982 figures.
**1984 figures.
SOURCE: *Yearbook of American and Canadian Churches, 1985.*

MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS OF LARGER RELIGIOUS BODIES IN THE UNITED STATES[1]

Religious Body	Year Reported	No. of Churches	Total Church Membership	Sunday School Enrollment
African Methodist Episcopal Church	1981	6,200	2,210,000	.....
African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church	1982	6,023	1,134,179	.....
American Baptist Association	1983	1,641	225,000	.....
American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A.	1982	5,851	1,637,099	.....
American Lutheran Church, The	1983	4,905	2,343,412	580,484
Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America, The	1984	120	280,000	5,960
Armenian Apostolic Church of America	1984	33	350,000	.....
Armenian Church of America, Diocese of the	1979	66	450,000	.....
Assemblies of God	1983	10,386	1,992,754	1,456,760
Baptist General Conference	1984	732	128,913	89,174
Baptist Missionary Association of America	1983	1,411	234,142	104,367
Christian and Missionary Alliance	1983	1,532	215,857	166,775
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)	1983	4,608	1,145,918	345,471
Christian Churches and Churches of Christ	1983	5,502	1,043,642	.....
Christian Methodist Episcopal Church	1983	2,340	718,922	213,240
Christian Reformed Church in North America	1983	639	218,659	51,880
Church of God (Anderson, Ind.)	1983	2,286	182,190	218,113
Church of God (Cleveland, Tenn.)	1983	5,410	493,904	.....
Church of God in Christ, The	1982	9,982	3,709,661	.....
Church of God in Christ, International, The	1982	300	200,000	.....
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, The	1983	8,017	3,602,000	3,374,000
Church of the Brethren	1983	1,067	164,680	61,376
Church of the Nazarene	1983	4,931	507,574	822,174
Churches of Christ	1983	13,056	1,600,000	.....
Community Churches, International Council of	1983	250	173,500	.....
Conservative Baptist Association of America	1982	1,140	225,000	.....
Episcopal Church, The	1983	7,387	2,794,690	551,869
Evangelical Free Church of America	1984	900	146,000	104,000
Free Will Baptists	1983	2,480	226,422	179,169
General Association of Regular Baptist Churches	1981	1,571	300,839	.....
Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of North and South America	1977	535	1,950,000	.....
International Church of the Foursquare Gospel	1983	113	164,688	.....
Jehovah's Witnesses	1983	7,921	649,697	.....
Jews	1983	3,500	5,728,075	.....
Liberty Baptist Fellowship	1983	11,596	3,122,213	1,145,670
Lutheran Church in America	1983	5,815	2,925,008	667,580
Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, The	1983	5,829	2,630,947	646,336
National Baptist Convention of America	1956	11,398	2,668,799	.....
National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc.	1958	26,000	5,500,000	.....
National Primitive Baptist Convention, Inc.	1975	606	250,000	.....
Orthodox Church in America	1978	440	1,000,000	.....
Polish National Catholic Church of America	1960	162	282,411	.....
Presbyterian Church in America	1983	825	155,988	66,012
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)	1983	11,596	3,122,213	1,145,670
Progressive National Baptist Convention, Inc.	1967	655	521,692	.....
Reformed Church in America	1983	920	344,520	103,529
Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints	1983	1,059	192,830	.....
Roman Catholic Church, The	1983	24,260	52,392,934	7,670,760
Salvation Army, The	1983	1,061	428,046	104,773
Seventh-day Adventists	1983	3,907	623,563	503,527
Southern Baptist Convention	1983	34,464	14,178,051	7,807,291
Unitarian-Universalist Association	1983	945	169,168	37,176
United Church of Christ	1983	6,427	1,701,513	453,326
United Methodist Church, The	1982	38,181	9,405,164	.....
United Pentecostal Church, International	1982	3,300	465,000	.....
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod	1983	1,193	414,199	47,937
TOTALS		302,145	136,649,463	27,644,002
PLUS TOTALS OF 163 SMALLER BODIES		36,099	4,166,922	1,217,250
GRAND TOTALS		338,244	140,816,385	28,861,252

[1]Religious bodies with membership of 125,000 or more.
Source: *Yearbook of American and Canadian Churches, 1985.*

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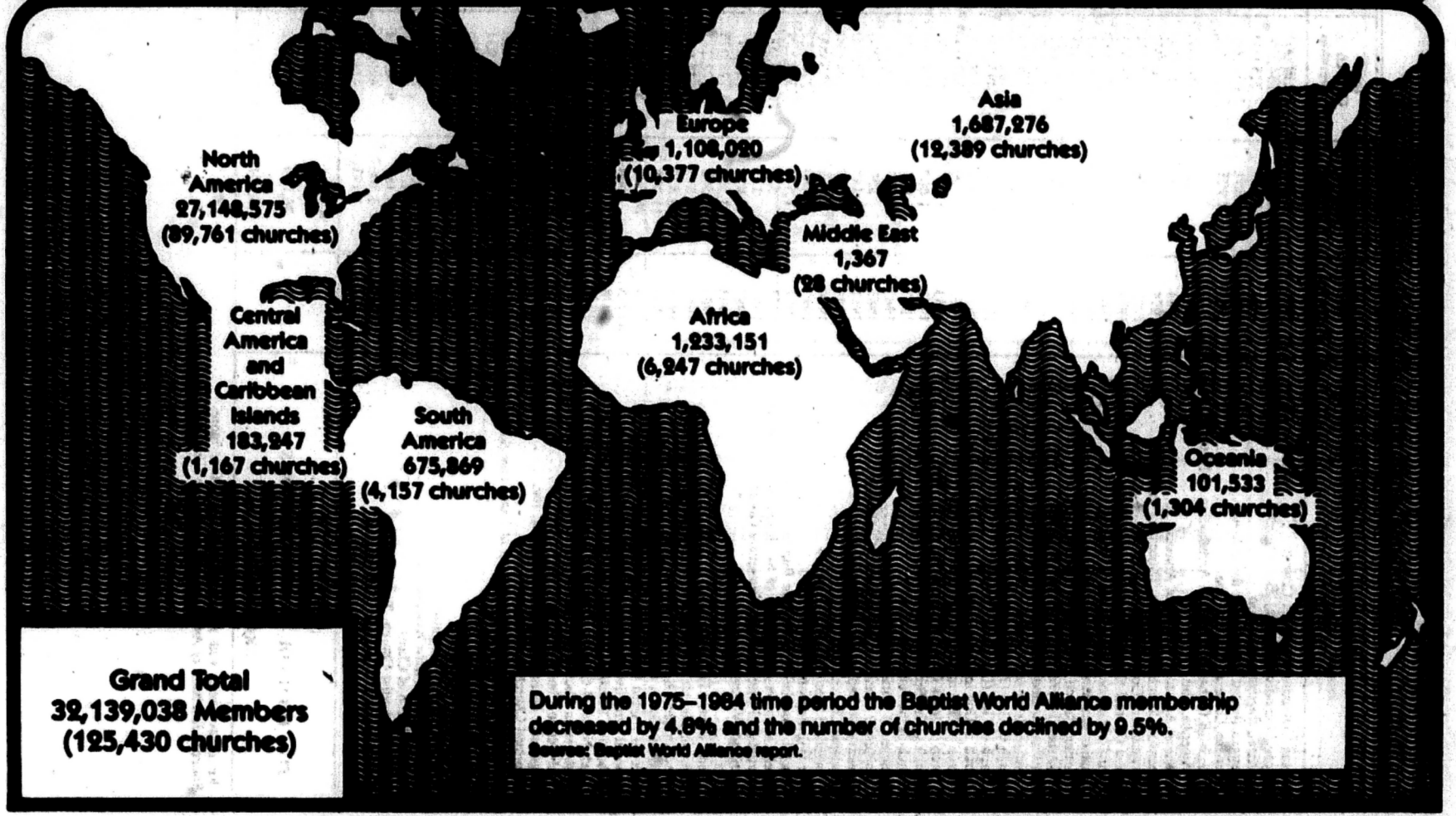

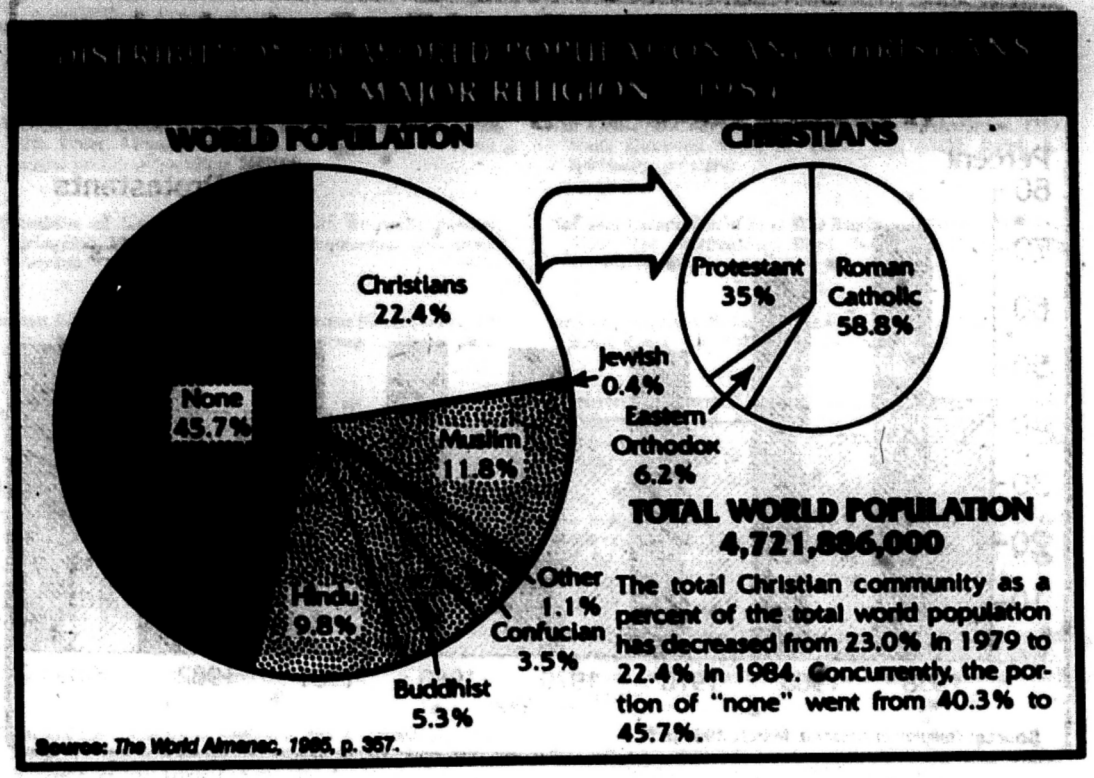

ESTIMATED MEMBERSHIP OF THE PRINCIPAL RELIGIONS OF THE WORLD

Religion	North America[1]	South America	Europe[2]	Asia[3]	Africa	Oceania[4]	World
Total Christian	252,458,670	196,999,780	337,678,150	104,088,695	147,076,000	18,781,550	1,056,692,845
Roman Catholic	138,875,530	185,251,200	176,032,590	57,265,290	56,999,270	5,215,440	621,639,320
Eastern Orthodox	5,648,620	355,250	47,089,040	2,762,810	9,401,840[5]	407,650	65,645,210
Protestant[6]	107,934,520	10,993,330	112,576,520	44,070,595	80,674,890[7]	13,158,460	369,408,315
Jewish	7,611,980	249,580	4,643,810	4,008,830	231,980	73,980	17,320,140
Muslim[8]	1,580,980	406,190	20,190,500	380,068,940	152,943,570	87,000	555,277,180
Zoroastrian	2,750	2,800	14,000	224,370	900	1,000	245,620
Shinto[9]	50,000	....	....	33,000,000	....	....	33,050,000
Taoist	33,250	12,975	13,500	20,500,000	850	2,900	20,563,475
Confucian	99,750	58,925	450,500	162,500,000	2,550	18,390	163,130,115
Buddhist[10]	336,290	241,090	238,300	250,097,200	15,000	23,700	250,951,580
Hindu[11]	309,100	637,400	442,890	459,708,450	1,165,600	326,470	462,589,910
Totals	262,482,730	198,708,540	363,671,650	1,414,206,505	301,436,450	19,314,990	2,559,820,865
Population[12]	389,914,000	259,644,000	761,195,000	2,771,419,000	516,037,000	23,677,000	4,721,886,000

1Includes Central America and the 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 enrolled 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 precariously situated under the military junta in Ethiopia.
6Protestant statistics vary widely in style of reckoning affiliation. See *World Church Membership.*
7Including a great proliferation of new churches, sects, and cults among African Christians.
8The chief base 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 chiefly literary significance. Shinto does not survive well outside Japan.
10Buddhism has produced several renewal movements in the last century that have gained adherents in Europe and America. Although persecuted in Tibet and communism elsewhere 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.
12U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *World Population: 1983.*

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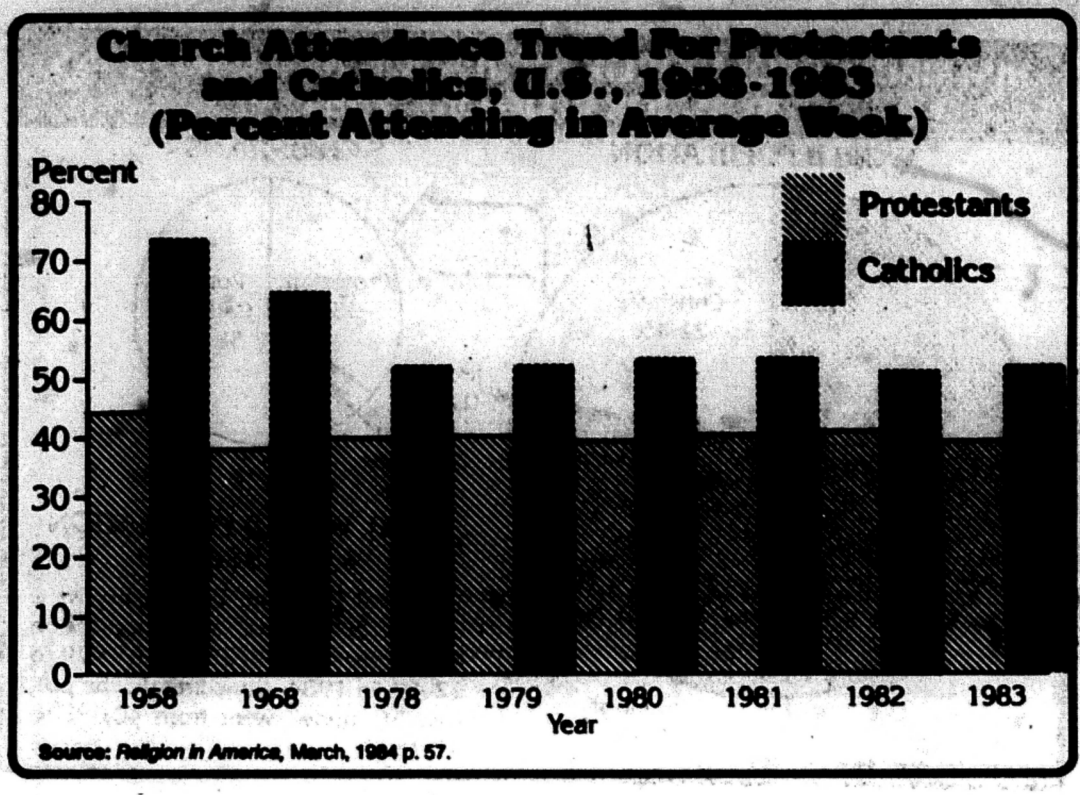

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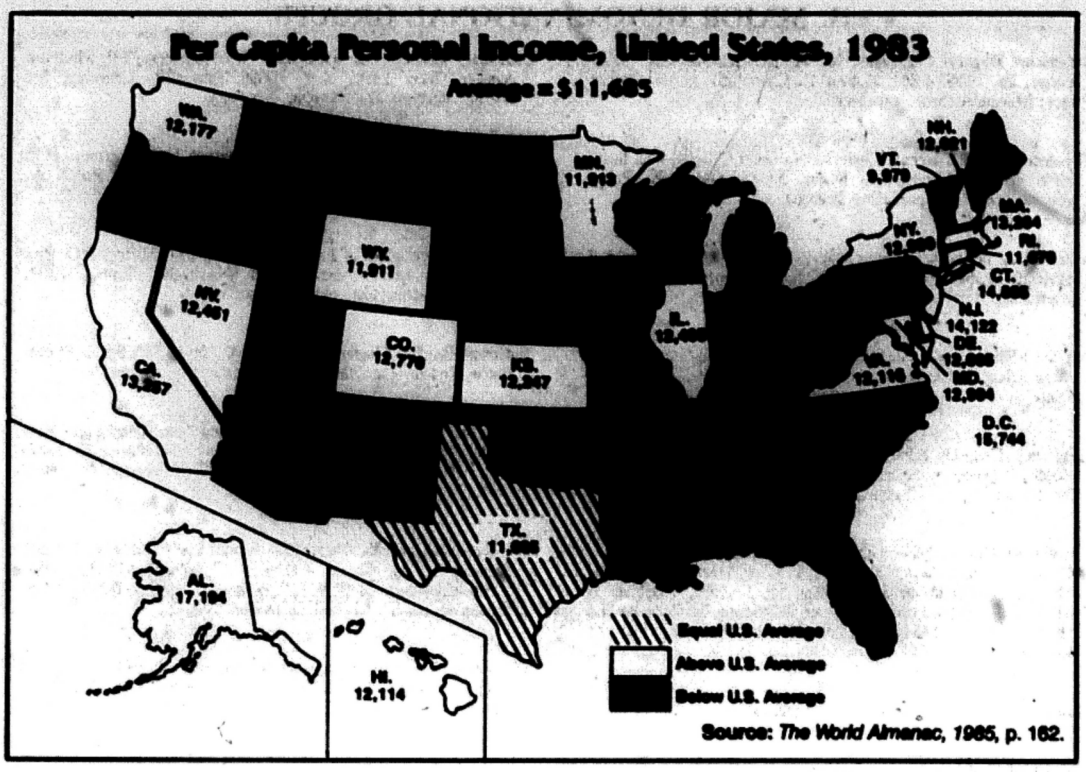

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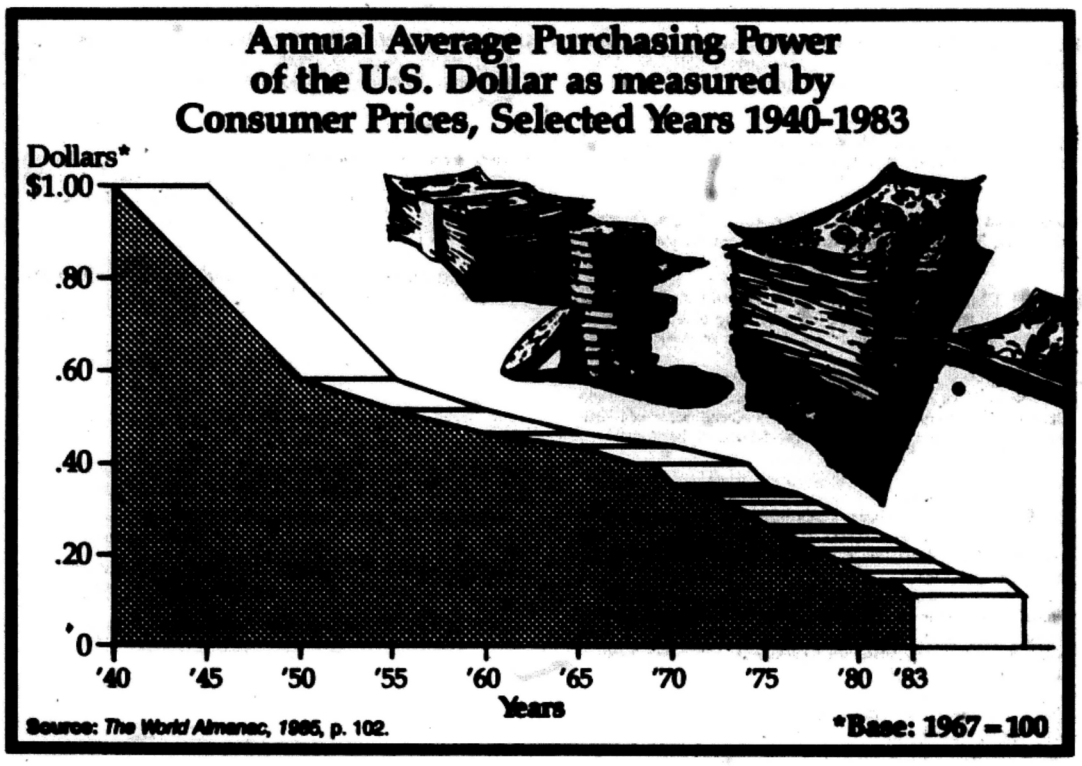

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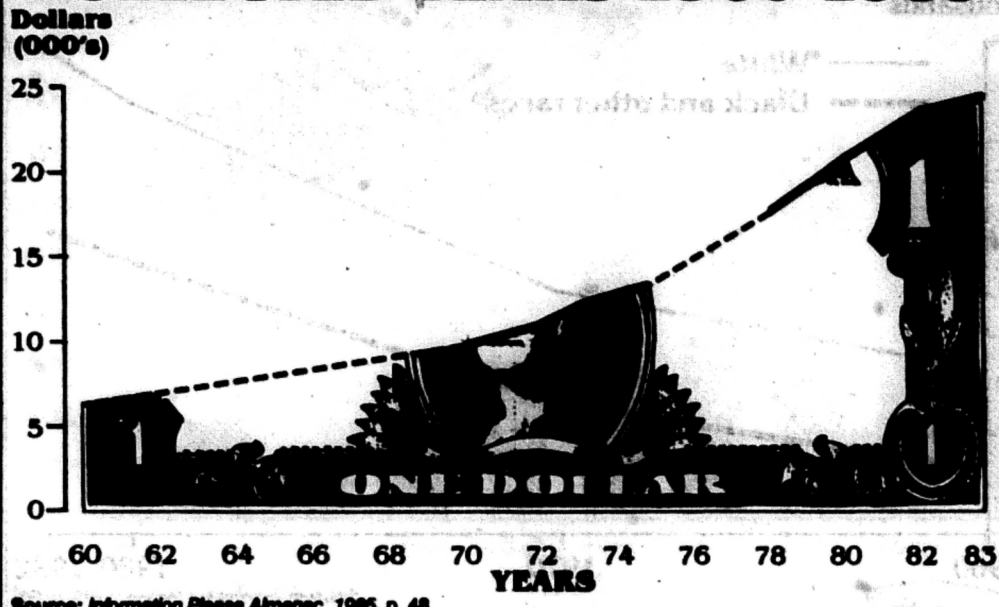
*Base: 1967 = 100

MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME SELECTED YEARS 1960-1983



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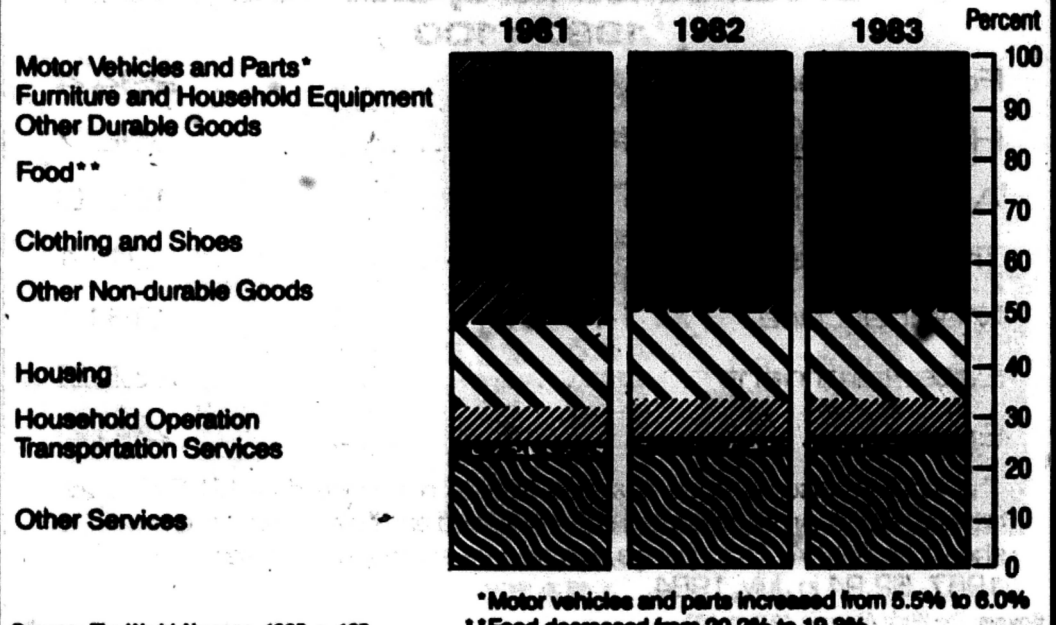
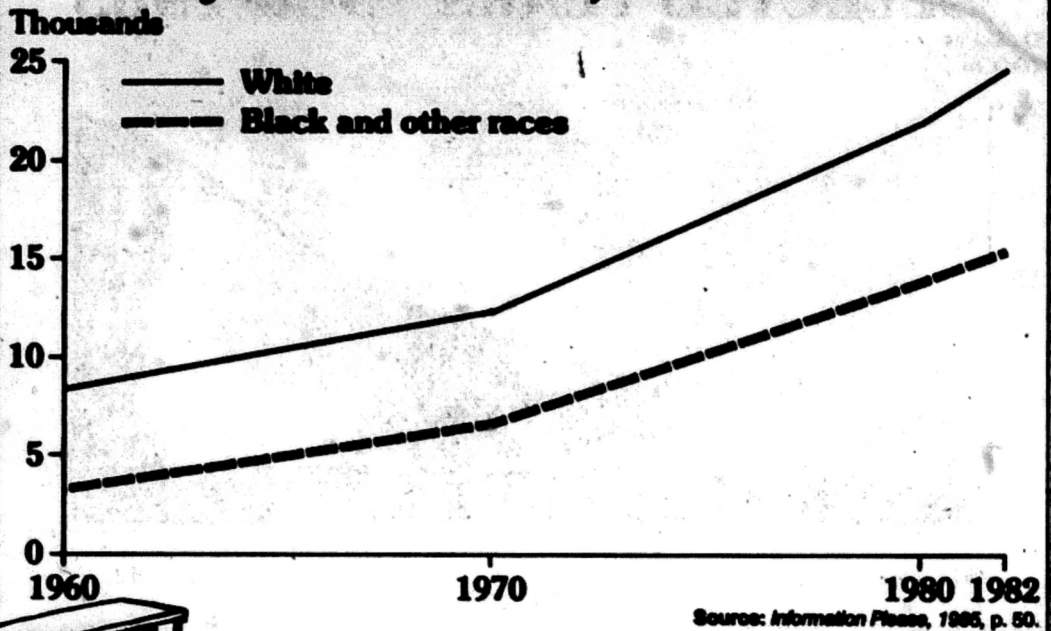
Personal Consumption Expenditures for the United States 1981-1983



*Motor vehicles and parts increased from 5.5% to 6.0%
**Food decreased from 20.2% to 19.3%

Source: *The World Almanac, 1985*, p. 165.

Total Median Family Income, By Race in the U.S., 1960-1982



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Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers, U.S.—July, 1984

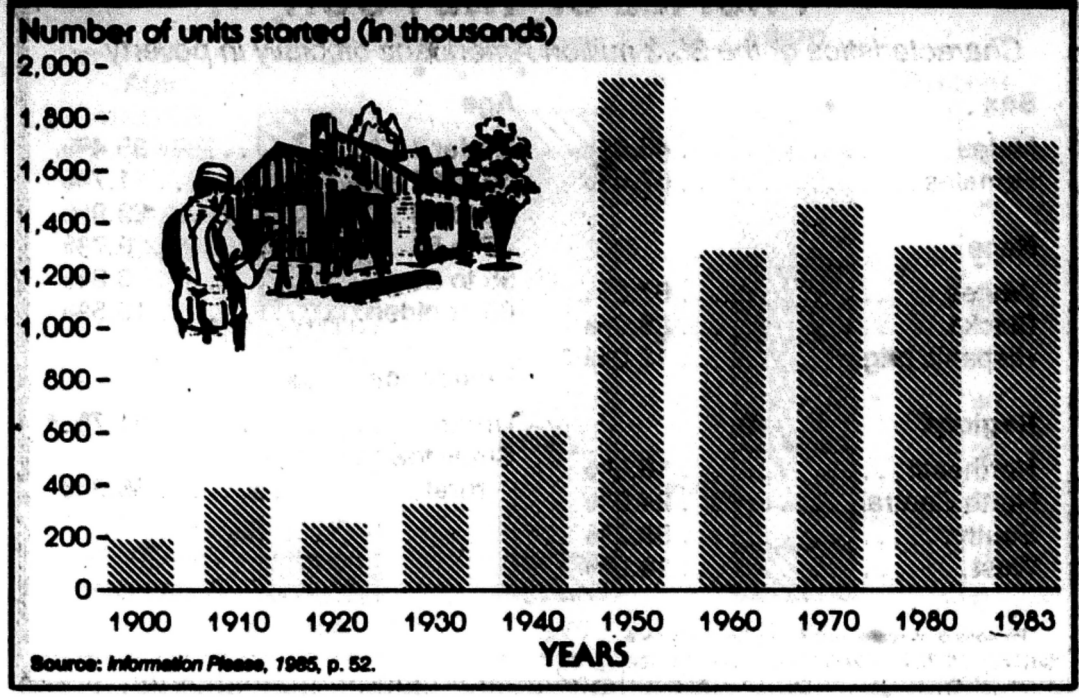
1967 = 100

Food, beverages	294.4
Housing	336.7
Apparel and upkeep	199.0
Transportation	311.1
Medical care	381.1
Entertainment	255.5
Energy	421.2

The index measures price changes from a reference date [1967] which equals 100.0. An increase of 194.4% in food and beverages, for example, is shown as 294.4. This change can also be expressed in dollars—$1.00 in 1967, $2.94 in July, 1984.

Source: *The World Almanac, 1985*, p. 100.

NEW HOUSING STARTS IN U.S., 1900-1983



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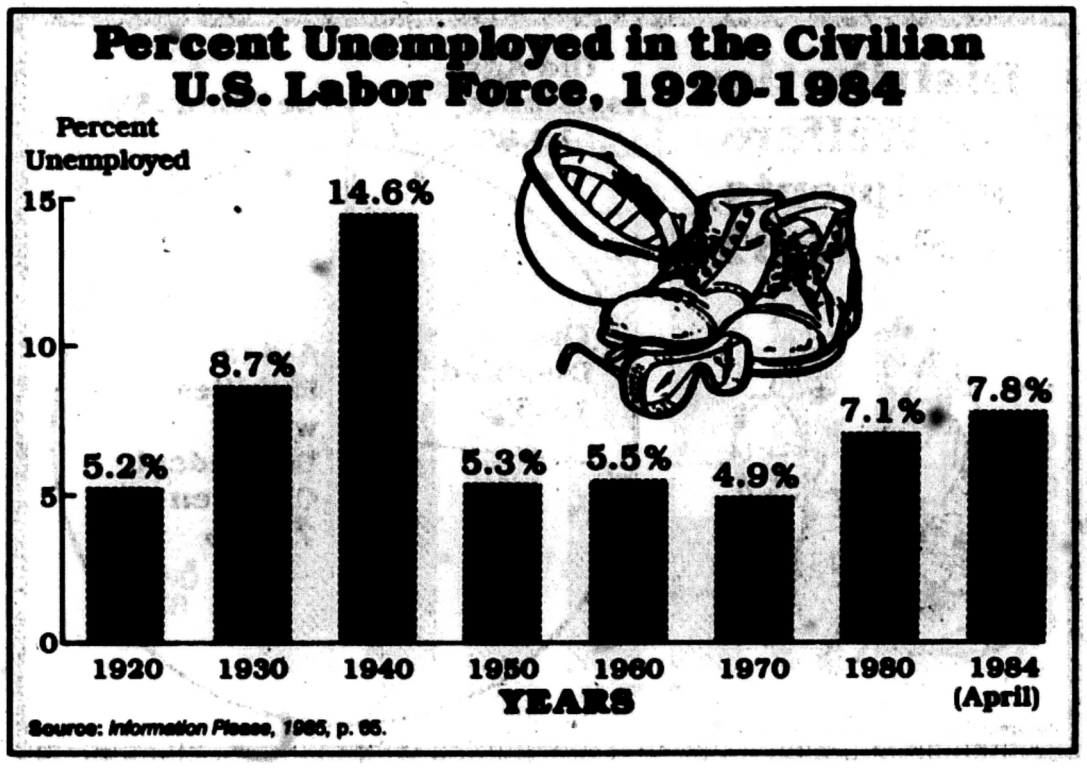
Percent Unemployed in the Civilian U.S. Labor Force, 1920-1984



Source: *Information Please, 1985*, p. 65.

PROFILE OF THE POOR

Characteristics of the 35.3 million Americans officially in poverty—

Sex

Males	43.0%
Females	57.0%

Race

Whites	67.8%
Blacks	28.0%
Hispanic origin*	12.0%

Regions

Northeast	18.6%
North Central	24.2%
South	38.2%
West	19.0%

Age

Under 16	35.4%
16 to 21	11.7%
22 to 44	29.9%
45 to 54	5.7%
55 to 64	6.8%
65 or older	10.5%

Residence

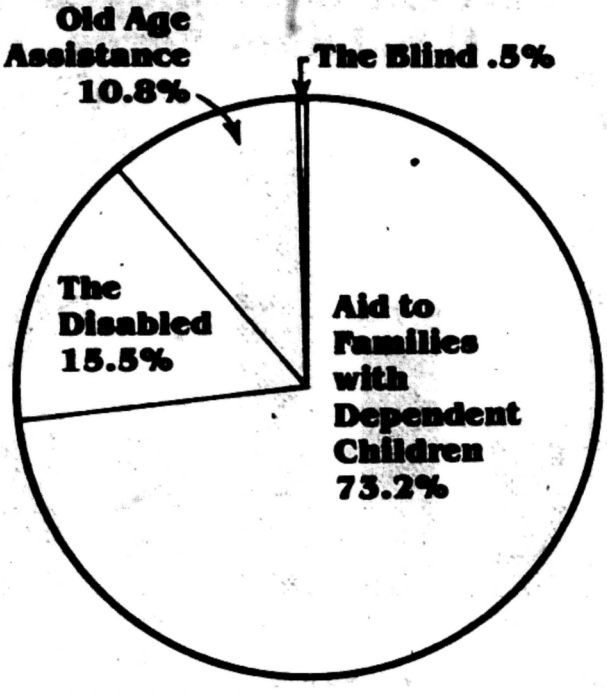
Urban	61.7%
Small town or rural	38.3%

*Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Source: *U.S. News & World Report*, Dec. 24, 1984, p. 41.

Distribution of Welfare Recipients, U.S., 1982





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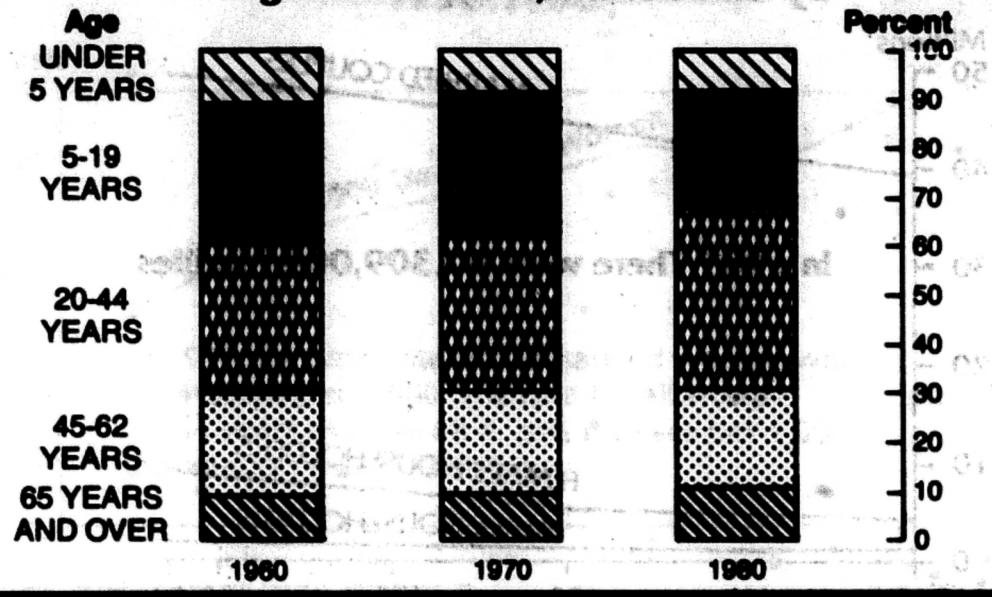
UNITED STATES POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

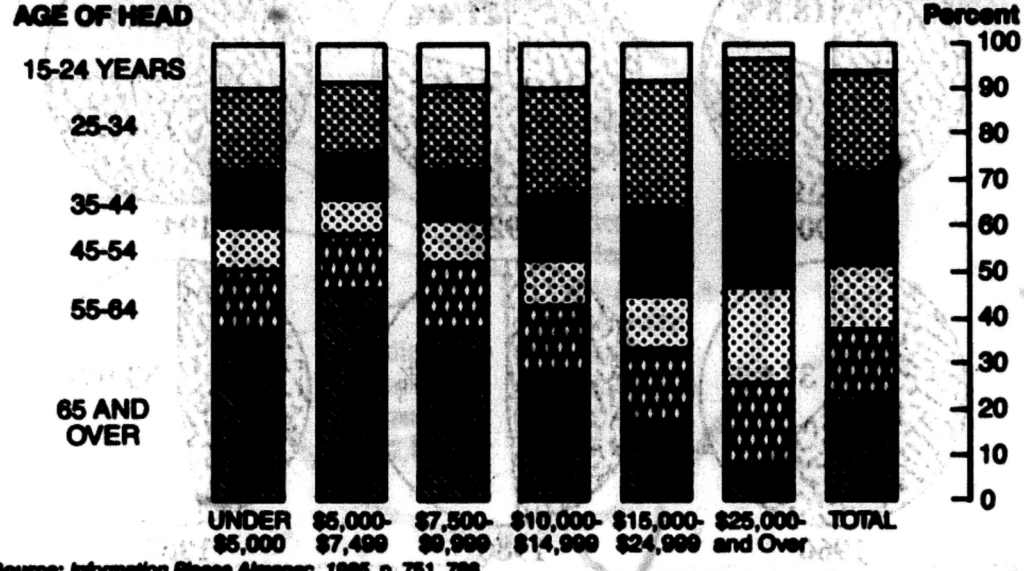
Age Distribution, 1960—1980



Distribution of Households by Age of Head, 1982

AGE OF HEAD	NUMBER	PERCENT
15-24	5,695,00	6.8
25-34	19,104,000	22.7
35-44	16,020,000	19.1
45-54	12,354,000	14.7
55-64	13,074,000	15.6
65 and over	17,671,000	21.1
TOTAL	83,918,000	100.0

Income of United States Households by Age of Head, 1982



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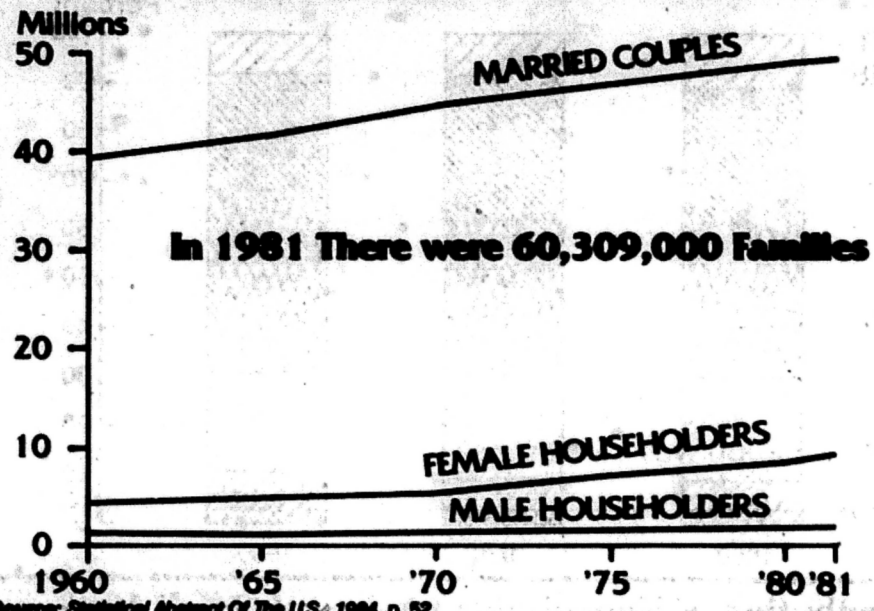
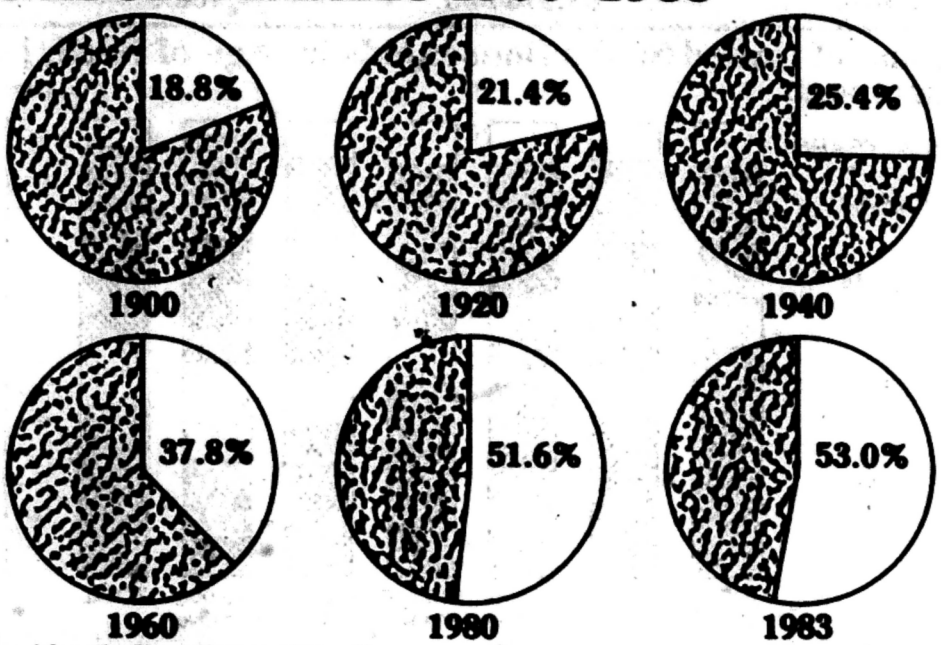
Number of Families in the United States By Characteristic Type, 1960-1981



Source: *Statistical Abstract Of The U.S., 1984*, p. 52.



WOMEN EMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF ADULT FEMALES 1900-1983



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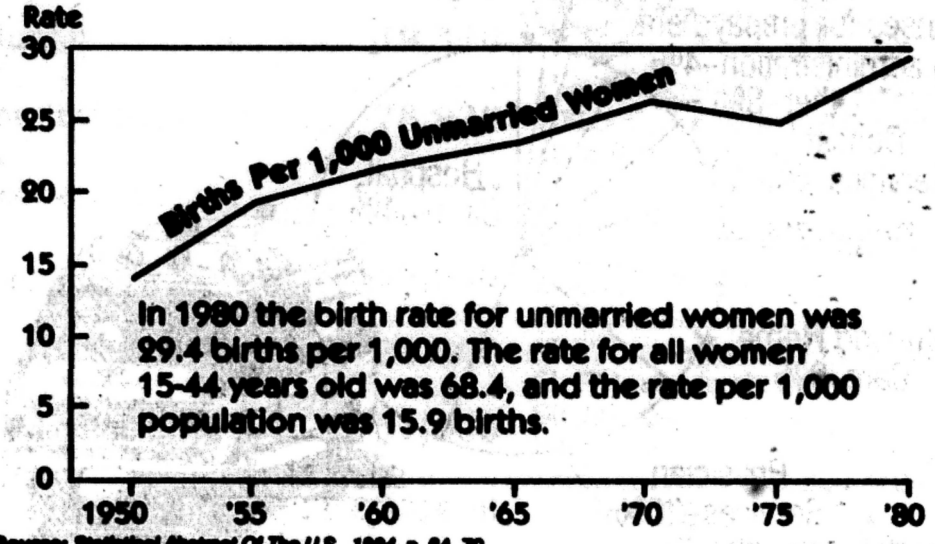
UNITED STATES BIRTH RATE FOR BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN 1950-1980



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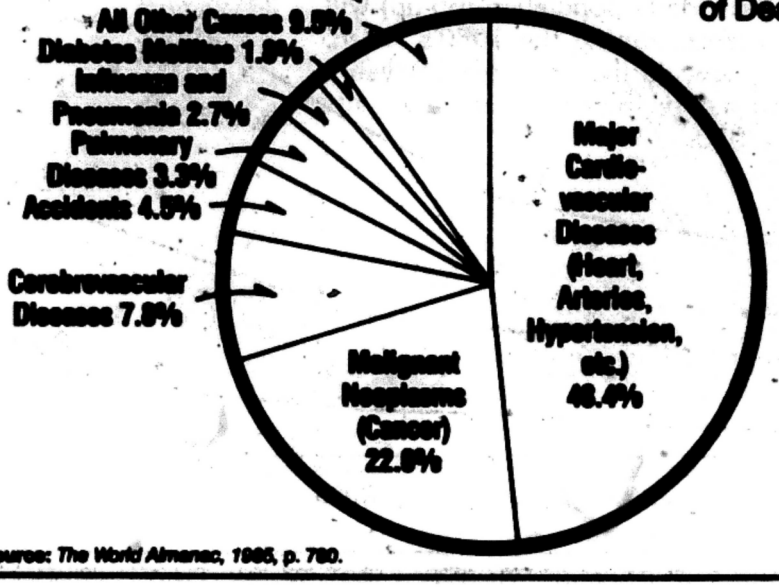
Major Causes of Death in the U.S.A. 1983

(Data Based on a 10% sampling of Death Certificates)



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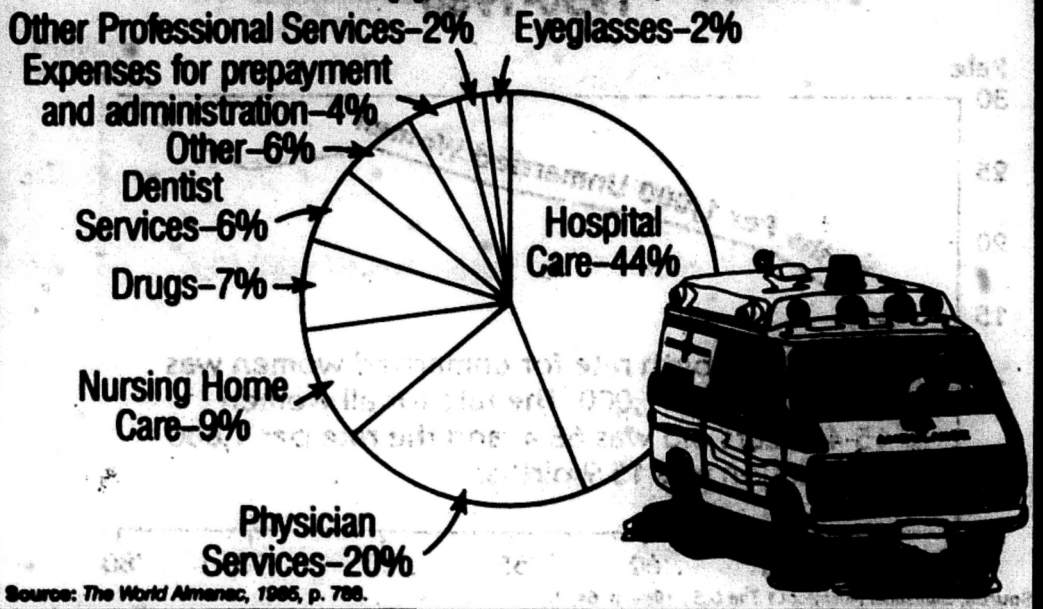
Expenditures for Major Health Services and Supplies in U.S., 1982



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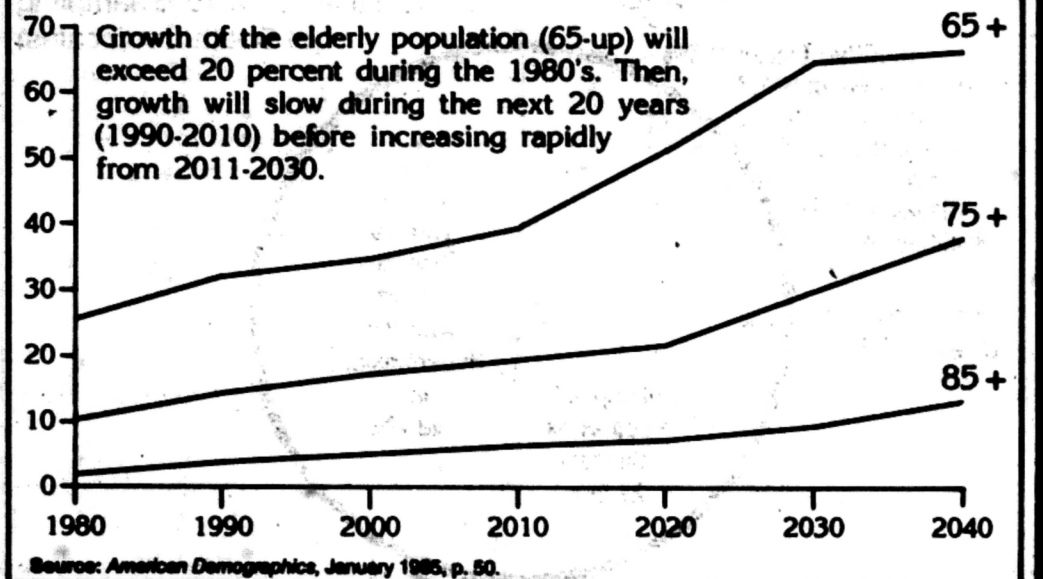
THE U.S. ELDERLY POPULATION—1980-2040

(In millions)

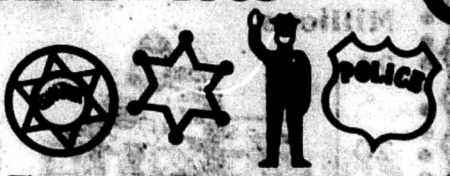


Source: *American Demographics*, January 1985, p. 50.

U. S. SERIOUS CRIME—1983

OFFENSE	NUMBER
Murder	19,310
Forcible Rape	78,920
Robbery	500,220
Aggravated Assault	639,530
Burglary	3,120,800
Larceny-theft	6,707,000
Motor Vehicle theft	1,004,400

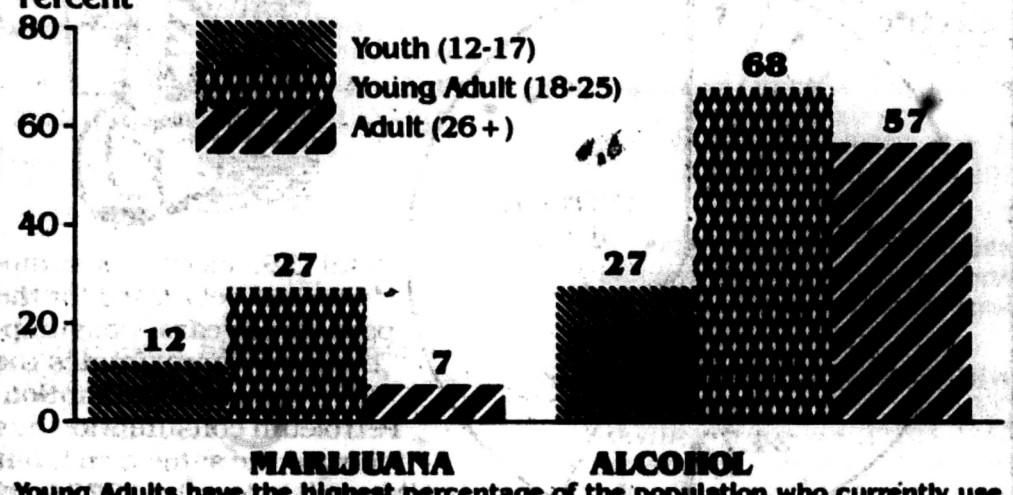
Source: *The World Almanac, 1985*, p. 769.



The crime rate (rate of crime per 100,000 population) declined in all offense categories from the 1982 rates. The declines were led by burglary (10.2%) and robbery (9.4%). These declines were followed by murder (8.8%), larceny-theft (7.0%), motor vehicle theft (6.1%), aggravated assault (3.4%), and forcible rape (1.2%). Slightly over a fourth (27.4%) of the households were touched by crime in 1983—a decline of 2 percent from 1982.

MARIJUANA AND ALCOHOL—1982

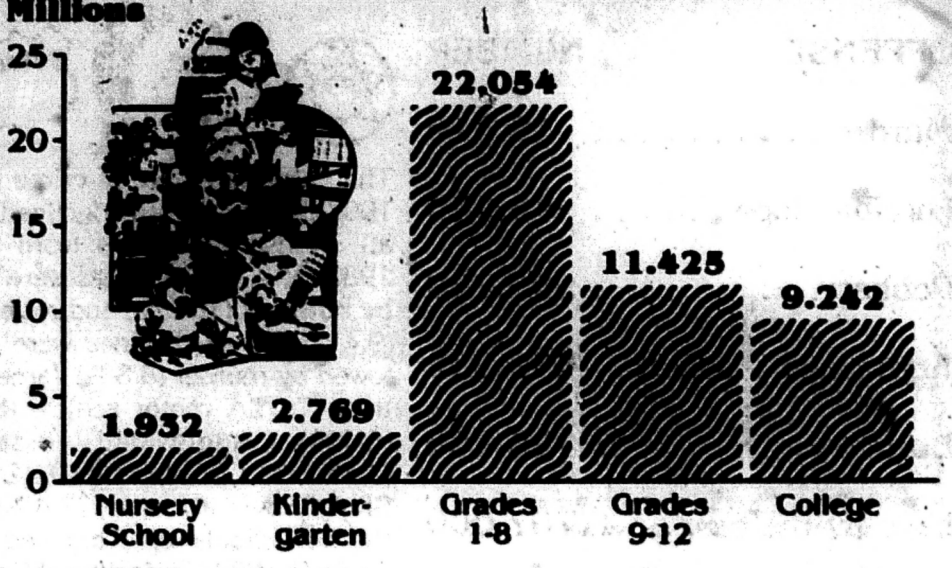
Percent of Population Who Are Current Users



Young Adults have the highest percentage of the population who currently use marijuana and alcohol. Males are greater users of each of the drugs than are women.

Source: *Information Please Almanac, 1985*, p. 791.

U.S. School Enrollment By Grade - 1983



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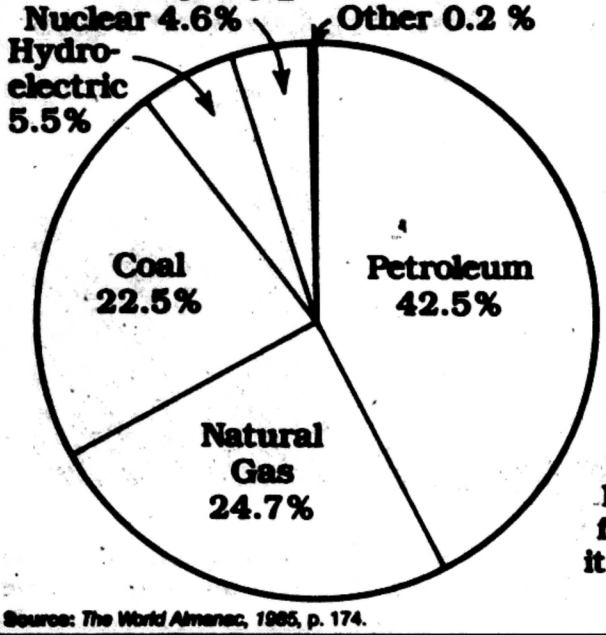
U.S. Energy Consumption By Type-1983





Total U.S. energy consumption has decreased for the past three years. Consumption now approximates the 1975 level of consumption. Petroleum consumption has followed the same trend, but it is well below the 1975 level of consumption.

Source: *The World Almanac, 1985*, p. 174.

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DIRECTORY—STATE CONVENTIONS

State	Name of State Body	Address	Date Founded	Executive Secretary	Assistant, Associate (ts), or Associate Secretary
AL	Alabama Baptist State Convention	P. O. Box 11870 Montgomery 36198	1823	A. Earl Potts Ph. (205) 288-3460	.....
AK	Alaska Baptist Convention	1750 O'Malley Road Anchorage 99516	1946	John H. Allen Ph. (907) 344-9627	.....
AZ	Arizona Southern Baptist Convention	400 West Camelback Road Phoenix 85013	1928	Jack B. Johnson Ph. (602) 264-9421	Wendell F. Freese
AR	Arkansas Baptist State Convention	P. O. Box 552 Little Rock 72203	1848	Don Moore Ph. (501) 376-4791	L. L. Collins
CA	The Southern Baptist General Convention of California	P. O. Box 5168 Fresno 93755	1940	C. B. Hogue Ph. (209) 229-9533	Wendell Fox Ralph Langshore
CO	Colorado Baptist General Convention	7393 S. Alton Way Englewood 80112	1956	Charles E. Sharp Ph. (303) 771-2480	D. G. McCoury
DC	District of Columbia Baptist Convention	1628 16th Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20009	1877	James A. Langley Ph. (202) 265-1526	.....
FL	Florida Baptist Convention	1230 Hendricks Avenue Jacksonville 32207	1854	Dan C. Stringer Ph. (904) 398-2351	J. C. Walters
GA	The Baptist Convention of the State of Georgia	2930 Flowers Road, South Atlanta 30341	1822	James N. Griffith Ph. (404) 455-0404	Edwin L. Cliburn
HI	Hawaii Baptist Convention	2042 Vancouver Drive Honolulu 96822	1943	Dan Kang Ph. (808) 946-9581	.....
IL	Illinois Baptist State Association	Box 3406 Springfield 62708	1907	Ernest E. Manley Ph. (217) 786-2800	Janet S. Crayton
IN	State Convention of Baptists in Indiana	P. O. Box 24189 900 N. High School Road Indianapolis 46224	1958	R. V. Heyrend Ph. (317) 241-9317	B. J. Watts
KS-NE	The Kansas-Nebraska Convention of Southern Baptists	5410 West Seventh Street Topeka, KS 66606	1946	R. Ran Lindsay Ph. (913) 273-4800	.....
KY	Kentucky Baptist Convention	P. O. Box 43433 Middletown 40243-0433	1837	William Marshall Ph. (502) 245-4101	Barry G. Allen A. B. Colvin William H. Rogers Benton Williams
LA	Louisiana Baptist Convention	P. O. Box 311 Alexandria 71309	1848	Robert L. Lee Ph. (318) 448-3402	Truman C. Kerr
MD	Baptist Convention of Maryland	1313 York Road Lutherville 21093	1836	Kenneth R. Lyle Ph. (301) 321-7900	Charles Clark Gilbert South Neil Wilson
MI	Baptist State Convention of Michigan	15635 W. Twelve Mile Southfield 48076	1957	Robert Wilson Ph. (313) 557-4280	.....
MN-WI	Minnesota-Wisconsin Southern Baptist Convention	519 16th Street, S.E. Rochester, MN 55904	1983	Otho Winningham Ph. (507) 282-3636	.....
MS	Mississippi Baptist Convention	P. O. Box 530 Jackson 39205	1836	Earl Kelly Ph. (601) 968-3804	.....
MO	Missouri Baptist Convention	400 E. High Jefferson City 65101	1834	R. L. South Ph. (314) 635-7931	.....
MT ND SD	Northern Plains Baptist Convention	P. O. Box 1878 Rapid City, SD 57709	1968	John P. Baker Ph. (605) 343-5572	Mrs. Charles Highlan
NV	Nevada Baptist Convention	406 California Avenue Reno 89509	1978	Ernest B. Myers Ph. (702) 786-0406	.....
NE	Baptist Convention of New England	P.O. Box 686 5 Oak Avenue Northboro, MA 01532-0688	1983	James H. Currin Ph. (617) 393-6013	.....
NM	The Baptist Convention of New Mexico	P. O. Box 485 Albuquerque 87103	1912	..... Ph. (505) 247-0586	.....
NY	The Baptist Convention of New York	300 South Salina Street Syracuse 13202	1969	R. Quinn Pugh Ph. (315) 475-6173	.....
NC	Baptist State Convention of North Carolina	P. O. Box 26508 Raleigh 27611	1830	Roy J. Smith Ph. (919) 467-5100	.....
OH	State Convention of Baptists in Ohio	1680 East Broad Street Columbus 43202	1954	Tal D. Benham Ph. (614) 258-8491	Orville H. Griffin
OK	Baptist General Convention of the State of Oklahoma	1141 North Robinson Oklahoma City 73103	1906	Joe L. Ingram Ph. (405) 236-4341	Lyle Garlow
OR WA	Northwest Baptist Convention	1033 N.E. 6th Avenue Portland, OR 97232	1948	Cecil C. Sims Ph. (503) 283-4545	.....
PA-SJ	Baptist Convention of Pennsylvania-South Jersey	4520 Fritchey Street Harrisburg, PA 17109-2895	1970	Ellis M. Bush Ph. (717) 652-5856	.....
SC	General Board of South Carolina Baptist Convention	997 Richland Street Columbia 29201-2398	1821	Ray P. Rust Ph. (803) 765-0030	E. C. Watkins James A. Wright
TN	Tennessee Baptist Convention	P. O. Box 347 Brentwood 37027	1874	Thomas J. Madden Ph. (615) 373-2255	.....
TX	Baptist General Convention of Texas	Suite 1539, 511 N. Akard Bldg. Dallas 75201	1848	William M. Pinson, Jr. Ph. (214) 720-0550	Ed Schmeltekopf
UT-ID	Utah-Idaho Southern Baptist Convention	P. O. Box 1039 Sandy, UT 84091	1964	Darwin E. Walsh Ph. (801) 255-3565	Anita Lemke
VA	Baptist General Association of Virginia	5101 Monument Avenue P. O. Box 8568 Richmond 23226	1823	R. M. Stephenson Ph. (804) 282-9751	John C. Ivins
WV	West Virginia Convention of Southern Baptists	801 Sixth Avenue St. Albans 25177	1970	Thomas E. Halsell Ph. (304) 727-2974	.....
WY	Wyoming Southern Baptist Convention	Box 3074 Casper 82602	1984	John Thomason Ph. (307) 472-4087	.....

This Handbook shows for the first time, data for three new state conventions. They are: Minnesota-Wisconsin Southern Baptist Convention, whose churches were formerly affiliated with the Baptist General Convention of Texas; Baptist Convention of New England, whose churches were formerly in the Baptist Convention of Maryland; and Wyoming Southern Baptist Convention, whose churches were formerly in the Northern Plains Baptist Convention.

STATE PAPERS—1964

State Convention	Name of Paper	Editor	Business Manager	Circulation	Subscription Per Year	Frequency Issued	State Founded
AL	The Alabama Baptist 1810 Independence Drive Montgomery 36109	Hudson Baggett	.....	161,330	$5.25	Weekly	1835
AK	Alaska Baptist Messenger 1720 O'Malley Road Anchorage 99516	John H. Allen	.....	3,100	$4.00	Monthly	1945
AZ	Baptist Beacon 808 W. Camelback Road Phoenix 85013	Wendell P. Pease	.....	12,600	$5.00	36 issues annually	1940
AR	Arkansas Baptist Newsmagazine P.O. Box 552 Little Rock 72203	J. Everett Sneed	J. Everett Sneed	60,000	$6.36	Weekly	1902
CA	The California Southern Baptist, P.O. Box 5168 Fresno 93755	Herb Hollinger	Herb Hollinger	24,000	$7.95	Weekly	1941
CO	Rocky Mountain Baptist 7393 S. Alton Way Englewood 80112	Don L. Turner	Virginia May	8,600	$5.00	Weekly	1956
DC	Capital Baptist 1628 16th Street, N.W. Washington 20009	James A. Langley	James A. Langley	8,700	$5.00	Bi-weekly	1954
FL	Florida Baptist Witness 1230 Hendricks Avenue Jacksonville 32207	Jack E. Brymer, Sr.	Jack E. Brymer, Sr.	95,000	$6.00	Weekly	1884
GA	The Christian Index 2930 Flowers Road, South Atlanta 30341	Jack U. Harwell	Jack U. Harwell	100,000	$6.00	Weekly	1822
HI	The Hawaii Baptist 2042 Vancouver Drive Honolulu 96822	Dan H. Kong	Stanley Togikawa	3,200	$4.00	Monthly	1947
IL	Illinois Baptist Box 3405 Springfield 62708	William R. Webb	Elsie M. Taylor (Editorial Asst.)	34,000	$6.00	Weekly	1907
IN	Hoosier Baptist P.O. Box 24189 Indianapolis 46224	David Simpson	David Simpson	8,500	$6.00	Weekly	1959
KS-NE	Baptist Digest 5410 West Seventh Topeka, KS 66606	John F. Hopkins	John F. Hopkins	7,100	$2.50	Twice monthly	1955
KY	Western Recorder P.O. Box 43401 Louisville 40243	Jack D. Sanford	Jack D. Sanford	55,840	$4.50	Weekly	1826
LA	The Baptist Message 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 1085 Lutherville 21093	W. Fletcher Allen	W. Fletcher Allen	18,000	$4.35	Weekly	1849
MI	Michigan Baptist Advocate 13635 W. Twelve Mile Road Southfield 48076	Robert B. Wilson	Robert B. Wilson	9,100	$2.50	Monthly	1957
MS	The Baptist Record P.O. Box 530 Jackson 39205	Donald T. McGregor	Donald T. McGregor	124,000	$7.35	Weekly	1877
MO	Word and Way 400 E. High Street Jefferson City 65101	Bobby S. Terry	Bobby S. Terry	60,000	$5.80	Weekly	1895
NV	Nevada Baptist 406 California Avenue Reno 89509	Michael B. McCullough	Michael B. McCullough	2,500	$3.00	Monthly	1979
NM	Baptist New Mexican Box 485 Albuquerque 87103	J. B. Fowler, Jr.	J. B. Fowler, Jr.	17,000	$4.50	Weekly	1909
NY	The New York Baptist 900 S. Salina Street Syracuse 13202	R. Quinn Pugh	David Lasito	4,000	$2.00	Monthly	1969
NC	Biblical Recorder P.O. Box 26548 Raleigh 27611	R. G. Puckett	R. G. Puckett	105,000	$7.00	Weekly	1833
Northern Plains	Northern Plains Baptist Box 1278 Rapid City, SD 57709	June Highlen	June Highlen	3,900	$3.50	Monthly	1970
North-west	Northwest Baptist Witness 1003 N.E. 6th Ave. Portland, OR 97232	James L. Waters	.....	15,700	$4.00	Semi-monthly	1931
OH	Ohio Baptist Messenger 1680 E. Broad Columbus 43203	Theo. E. Sommerkamp	Theo. E. Sommerkamp	32,900	$3.50	36 issues annually	1952
OK	Baptist Messenger 1141 N. Robinson Oklahoma City 73103	Richard T. McCartney	Richard T. McCartney	117,916	$4.00	Weekly	1912
PA-South Jersey	Penn-Jersey Baptist 4620 Paxtang Street Harrisburg, PA 17109	Ellis M. Bush	Ellis M. Bush	6,500	$5.00	Monthly	1971
SC	Baptist Courier P.O. Box 2168 Greenville 29602	John E. Roberts	John E. Roberts	124,110	$7.00	Weekly	1869
TN	Baptist and Reflector P.O. Box 347 Brentwood 37027	Alvin C. Shackleford	Alvin C. Shackleford	7,900	$5.85	Weekly	1835
TX	Baptist Standard P.O. Box 226330 Dallas 75266	Presnall H. Wood	John A. Welch	354,703	$7.50	Weekly	1888
UT-ID	Utah-Idaho Southern Baptist Witness P.O. Box 1039 Sandy, UT 84091	Darwin E. Welsh	Anita Lembe	3,104	$3.00	Monthly	1965
VA	The Religious Herald P.O. Box 8577 Richmond 23226	Julian H. Pentecost	Julian H. Pentecost	40,000	$7.75	Weekly	1828
WV	The West Virginia Southern Baptist 801 6th Avenue St. Albans 25177	Jackson Walls	.....	6,600	No charge	Monthly	1970

BAPTIST STATE ASSEMBLIES

State Convention	Name	Location	1998 Dates	Telephone
AL	Shoals Springs Baptist Assembly	Talladega	All year	(256) 761-1160
AK	Griffin Baptist Assembly	Wasilla	All year	(907) 344-9627
AR	Johnson Baptist Assembly	Shoals Springs	All year except December, January, and February	
AZ	Paradise Valley Baptist Conference Center	Prescott	All year	(501) 376-4791
CA	Sequoia Park Baptist Assembly	Exeter	All year	(602) 443-8141
CO	Rainbow Lakes Baptist Assembly	Eaton	All year	(209) 966-7735
FL	Blue Lake Baptist Assembly	Lakeport	All year	(303) 481-3482
	Blue Springs Baptist Assembly	Marianna	All year	(904) 526-3676
	Echo Hills Baptist Assembly	Leesburg	All year	(904) 357-3850
	West Florida Baptist Assembly	Panama City	All year	(904) 871-3812
GA	Georgia Baptist Assembly	Toccoa	All year	(404) 886-3133
	Mercer Baptist Assembly	Newnan Park	All year	(912) 765-3811
	Camp Glynn	Brunswick	All year	(912) 265-0379
	Camp Pinnacle	Clayton	May-September	(404) 782-3232
	Camp Tekoa	Toccoa	All year	(404) 886-3133
HI	P. C. Eaton Baptist Conference Center	Waimea	All year	(808) 696-3497
IL	Lake Sallateeska	Shelbyville	All year	(618) 338-5272
IN	Shawnee Camp and Retreat Center	Bloomer	All year	(812) 672-6864
KS/NE	Blackwell Lakes Baptist Center	Mooreville	All year	(317) 996-3787
KY	Webster Conference Center	Dillon, KS		(913) 273-6888
	Cedarmore Baptist Assembly	Bagdad	All year	(502) 747-8911
	Southern Oaks Baptist Assembly	Berlin	All year	(502) 554-8355
LA	Tall Timbers Baptist Conference Center	Ferriday	All year	(318) 445-6797
MD	Bayneuk Baptist Assembly	Middleburg	All year	(301) 293-3282
	Camp WO-ME-TO	Brandywine	All year	(301) 692-8331
MI	Bible Lake Baptist Assembly and Conference Center	Clinton	All year	(517) 275-5844
MS	Camp Garaywa (WMU)	Hawkins Point, Pass Christian	All year	(601) 934-7034
	Gulfshore Baptist Assembly	Biloxi	All year	(601) 452-7281
	Central Hills Baptist Retreat	Brandon	Summer	(601) 289-9730
MO	Wilderness Baptist Assembly	Ozark	All year	(314) 346-2205
NM	Silver Trails Camp	Tijeras	June 6-August 29	(505) 384-3410
NC	Bryan Baptist Camp	Clinton	All year	(505) 687-3538
	Camp Chowning	Asheboro	June 17-August 17	(919) 629-2374
	Camp Hinds Vista	Asheboro	June 17-August 16	(919) 625-4828
	Falls Creek Baptist Assembly	Asheboro	June 17-August 13	(919) 276-9501
	Travis Camp	Hendersonville	June 17-July 19	(704) 309-8828
OH	Geneva Lake Baptist Assembly	Hendersonville	All year	(614) 685-5751
OK	Falls Creek Baptist Assembly	Davis	July 5-August 9	(405) 369-2101
	Camp Shepherd	McAlester	June 3-July 27	(918) 423-6031
	Falls Fifth Grade Assembly	Davis	June 17-21	(405) 369-2101
	Camp Honey Creek	Davis	June 3-July 30	(405) 369-3219
	Spanish Assembly	Davis	June 10-14	(405) 369-2101
	Deaf Assembly	Davis	July 22-28	(405) 369-2101
SC	Camp La Vida (WMU)	White Oak	June 3-August 16	(803) 635-6688
	McCall Royal Ambassador Camp	Bamet	June 7-August 17	(803) 878-6025
	White Oak Conference Center	White Oak	All year	(803) 635-4685
TN	Camp Carson Baptist Assembly	Newport	All year	(615) 623-2764
	Camp Linden Baptist Assembly	Linden	All year	(615) 589-3622
TX	Alto Pelo Baptist Encampment	Leakey	(All Encampments are individually operated by either an association or area. If you would like specific dates for any camp, please call that camp. Most of these camps are open all year.)	(512) 232-5271
	Annandale Baptist Encampment	Chandler, NM		(505) 682-3686
	Big Country Baptist Assembly	Lueders		(915) 228-4542
	Camp Copass Baptist Encampment	Denton		(817) 382-9984
	Crockett Baptist Assembly	Iowa Park		(817) 855-4182
	Circle Six Ranch Baptist Camp	Stanton		(915) 458-3467
	East Texas Baptist Encampment	Newton		(409) 379-2737
	Heart of Texas Baptist Encampment	Brownwood		(915) 784-4821
	Highland Lakes Baptist Encampment	Spicewood		(512) 264-1777
	High Plains Baptist Assembly	Canyon		(806) 499-3429
	Lake Lovon Baptist Encampment	McKinney		(214) 736-2273
	Lake Tonkawa Baptist Encampment	Livingston		(409) 563-4644
	Lakeview Baptist Assembly	Lone Star		(214) 656-3871
	Ladonia Springs Baptist Encampment	Aquilla		(817) 694-3689
	Mineral Baptist Encampment	Quanah		(915) 392-2369
	Mt. Lebanon Baptist Encampment	Cedar Hill		(214) 291-7156
	Palacios Baptist Assembly	Junction		(915) 446-2775
	Texas Baptist Encampment, Palacios	Palacios		(512) 972-2717
	Penfield Baptist Encampment	Wellington		(806) 447-3627
	Piney Woods Baptist Encampment	Woodville		(409) 642-1723
	Plains Baptist Assembly	Floydada		(806) 983-3954
	Texas Baptist Encampment	Glen Rose		(817) 443-0804
	Timberline Baptist Camp & Conference Center	Lindale		(214) 882-3183
	Trinity Pines Conference Center	Trinity		(409) 594-3011
	Zephyr Baptist Encampment	Zavalla		(512) 547-3448
VA	Eagle Rock Baptist Assembly	Lynchburg	All year	(804) 384-2211
	Camp Pinkerton (BA)	Hartfield	June 25-August 11	(804) 776-9552
	Parks of Otter Camp (BA)	Bedford	June 25-August 11	(703) 586-2308
WY	Mountain Top Assembly	Casper	Summer	(307) 472-4887