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Monthly Mission Report
October 2020

BEGINNING BALANCE:	**$2,243,568.42**
RECEIPTS:	
Interstate Salaries	$ 59,356.07
Foreign & National Salaries	$ 54,727.32
Designated	$ 36,675.21
Undesignated	$ 13,724.50
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	**$ 164,483.10**
BALANCE FOR SALARY/EXPENSE	**$2,408,051.52**
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Interstate Salaries	$ 74,529.80
Foreign Salaries	$ 22,746.24
National Salaries	$ 24,389.20
Designated	$ 36,675.21
Sal/Exp of Sec-Treas Office	
Office Salaries	$12,441.80
General Office	$ 6,955.71
Automobile Exp	$ 149.19
Sec/Treasurer Exp	$ (238.20)
	$ 19,308.50
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS:	**$ 177,648.95**
BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD:	**$ 2,230,402.57**
DEFICIT FOR OCTOBER	**$ (13,165.85)**

Role Reversal:
Visit with Landmark MBC, Vilonia, AR,
On behalf of ABA Missions, where Dr. Randy Cloud,
Former Secretary-Treasurer of Missions, is Pastor

Dr. Roger & Gena Stewart and Dr. Randy & Sandra Cloud

Dear Churches of the American Baptist Association,

News: October was another busy month for Gena and me. Early in the month we found ourselves back in Theodore, AL, with Magnolia Springs MBC, for a *Revival on Missions and Soul-Winning*. The middle of the month found us at Landmark MBC (Vilonia, AR), First Baptist Church (East Camden, AR) and Bethel MBC (Tatum, TX) while the end of October took us to Calvary MBC (Minden, LA) where we learned that National Missionary, Alwin Malaza, sponsored by Calvary in Minden, organized a new church in the Philippines on October 24th. Praise the Lord! Even a world-wide pandemic cannot stop the work of the Lord. I might also mention that during October I was invited to speak in two ZOOM meetings in Colombia – one with National Missionary, Carlos Julio Mendoza, and another with National Missionary, Gilberto Pinzon and most of the pastors and missionaries in the South American country.

Names: Unfortunately, I have more sad news to report: Interstate Missionary, Rusty Denny, sent to the Navajo Nation by Salem MBC (Judsonia, AR), lost his wife, Nora, on October 26th and his mother on October 31st. Additionally, at the writing of this report, National Missionary, Jesus Lansangan, sponsored by Landmark MBC (Pine Mountain, GA), is in a hospital in the Philippines with COVID-19.

Numbers: For the month of October 2020 the recommended missionaries of the American Baptist Association reported ***266 Professions of Faith*** and ***37 Baptisms***. For each of these gloriously saved souls we are incredibly thankful! *Praise God from whom all blessings flow*!

Notes: As we prepare this report *Associational Season* is winding down but not before we attend the *State Association Messenger Meetings* for Arkansas (Benton), Texas (Alvin) and Louisiana (Folsom). Pray for as we travel and stop by the booth if you attend any of these meetings.

Needs: It is *Thanksgiving Mission Offering* season! The Standing Missionary Committee is asking you and your church to aid the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions' Office in funding the recommended missionaries of the American Baptist Association with an offering to meet the **$300,000.00 goal** for this year. We would be happy to send you a DVD or a YouTube link to play in your church which will promote this year's offering.

Furthering the Gospel,
Dr. Roger Stewart
Philippians 1:12