

# **BFT Update–Feb,Mar,Apr, 2011**

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**The WAITES & the FREEMANS at Race Street Baptist in Catasauqua, Pa., Feb 6, 2011**

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## **CONFIDENCE IN A GOOD WORK**

**DECIDED TO POSTPONE WRITING TO YOU UNTIL OUR SUNDAY SERVICES (February 6, 2011) AT THE RACE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH WERE OVER!** The church is located at 610 Race Street, Catasauqua, Pennsylvania 18032. The phone number is 610-266-9716. PASTOR GARY FREEMAN asked my husband to give a sermon to commemorate the church's thirty-fifth anniversary. DR. WAITE SPOKE ON THE THEME ENCOURAGEMENT IN THE LORD! (BFT #4000 @ \$5.00 + \$2.00 S&H) It was a message based on Philippians 1:6. It was a word of joy, encouragement, and keeping on keeping on! It was good for me to hear it—as we all need encouragement!

**WHAT A DELIGHT TO BE WITH THOSE DEAR PEOPLE. We have been there before, and for me, it is something like going “home.”** The singing was good! The pastor is most enthusiastic. The pianist is the pastor's son, Jason Freeman. He plays with his own distinctive piano style that keeps the auditorium humming. **IT WAS THE 35<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY** of the church—a church which Pastor Freeman started in a storefront in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, THIRTY-FIVE years ago!

**Being confident of this very thing,  
that he which hath begun a good work in you  
will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ . . .**

## A DAY IN CATASAUQUA, PENNSYLVANIA

Perhaps you are wondering where CATASAUQUA is. Well, that small borough of about 6,588 souls, give or take a few, is situated near ALLENTOWN & BETHLEHEM PENNSYLVANIA. It is very easy to find.

### GEORGE TAYLOR & THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

I WAS TOLD BY PASTOR FREEMAN THAT THIS TOWN (IN THE HEART OF THE STEEL MILLS COUNTRY) WITH THE FUNNY INDIAN NAME IS DISTINGUISHED BECAUSE ONE OF THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE LIVED THERE. His name was GEORGE TAYLOR, an Irish immigrant who became a wealthy ironmaster. His house is a NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK. We did not have time to see his worthy home!



### A DELIGHTFUL DINNER WITH THE FREEMANS

EVEN THOUGH WE ARE ONLY ABOUT ONE HOUR-AND-A-HALF FROM HOME (Collingswood, NJ), WE STAYED IN A MOTEL SATURDAY & SUNDAY NIGHTS. It makes it easier for us to set up our book table and Dr. Waite's recording equipment the day before the actual meeting. We had a *delightful* dinner with Pastor & Mrs. Freeman in an Italian restaurant near the church where I had a *kanole* for the first time. The food was good—YES!—but the visit with the Freemans was most enjoyable, and we were so comfortable with each other that we could talk together like family.

PERHAPS SOME OF YOU REMEMBER THAT MY HUSBAND INTRODUCED THE FREEMAN'S DAUGHTER, RACHEL TO HER HUSBAND, MARK RENO, A FEW YEARS AGO. They have been married for several years now, have a darling little boy, and another one to be born any minute at this writing. I think it is going to be a girl!

### PASTOR FREEMAN TOOK A TEXTUAL STAND IN SEMINARY

WE LEARNED THAT PASTOR FREEMAN, WHEN IN SEMINARY, TOOK A STAND FOR THE TEXTUS RECEPTUS AGAINST THE UNTIED BIBLE SOCIETY or THE NESTLE/ALAND GREEK TEXT. I did not know this until our visit. His Greek teacher permitted him to use the *TEXTUS RECEPTUS* (the Greek that underlies the King James Bible) in Greek class. The teacher said there would be very few changes between the two texts—but that was not true. Almost every day the students and Pastor Freeman found discrepancies and differences between the two texts!

### BY REQUEST, DR. WAITE GAVE HIS TESTIMONY

Both Dr. Waite and I were asked to give our testimonies. Now the unusual part of this was that we were given twenty minutes each to do this. WHAT WOULD I SAY TO FILL IN TWENTY MINUTES? I was saved as a child and didn't have an outwardly sin-filled life! Never drank or smoked, or robbed a bank, or committed adultery! My husband was saved in OHIO, as a teen age lad, in the boiler room of our Berea High School. He was sixteen. When asked, our high school janitor told him how the stars were made and how the earth was created by God. Even though my husband had attended Sunday School all his life, he did not know this. It was a modernistic church.

### THE BOILER ROOM BECAME A HOLY ROOM

THEN DR. WAITE LEARNED ABOUT CALVARY AND WHAT JESUS HAD DONE THERE FOR HIM. My husband heard that there was a Hell and that he was headed right for it when he died. Always, he will be thankful to Uncle Charlie Allen for his *ready witness* to an inquiring high school boy! My husband was born-again right there in the BOILER ROOM of BEREA HIGH SCHOOL! What a day that was! What a change in Dr. Waite's life! I had known him as a class member since eighth grade, but not until I saw him put a Bible into his school locker, and learned of his salvation, did I really get to know him! There was a minnie revival in our senior class that year. All because a faithful janitor knew who made the stars! (Genesis 1:16)

And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day,  
and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also.

### DR. WAITE SOLD HIS DANCE BAND

My husband told Race Street Baptist how he had the Waite dance band while in high school.

**Saxophone & clarinet were his instruments.** After his salvation, young Waite became convicted that he should not be leading such a band, and gave that band to a friend. This was a great change for my husband and everyone in school saw the change in his life!

## MY PERSONAL TESTIMONY

**I HAVE GIVEN SHORT TESTIMONIES AS TO MY SALVATION IN CHURCHES, IN RESCUE MISSIONS, AT STREET MEETINGS, TO INDIVIDUALS, ON MY RADIO PROGRAM, ETC, BUT I WAS NEVER ASKED TO GIVE A TWENTY MINUTE TESTIMONY BEFORE.** So it was a mystery what I should say to our friends at Race Street for twenty minutes.

## SAVED AT AGE TEN!

**Though I was a good girl and always obeyed my parents to the best of my ability, one day my mother explained to me from the Bible that I was a sinner.** So as a nine or ten-year-old child, I understood I was bound for Hell because the Bible said that. *ALL HAVE SINNED AND COME SHORT OF THE GLORY OF GOD!* (Romans 3:23) I confessed with my mouth and believed in my heart that God had raised Jesus from the dead. I WAS SAVED. I remember this very well and have rejoiced that I was kept pure and separated unto God, being spared from a sinful life. *My heart was strangely drawn to the Saviour! He has been my Lord and Saviour ever since. Though I have failed HIM, He has never failed me.*

## EARLY YEARS

**IN MY PERSONAL TESTIMONY, I DECIDED TO TELL THE FOLKS AT RACE STREET ABOUT MY EARLY LIFE'S ILLNESS.** It molded my life! I told them of my three hospitalization years--from three years of age until almost six--in a hospital bed tied to a frame in traction. I had TB of the bone from drinking unpasteurized milk. By the way, there was no other milk to drink in those days. I told them of my innocence & ignorance of the outside world. All I knew was my bed, the ward I was in, and the green grass outside the ward's door. I became a permanent fixture at RAINBOW HOSPITAL FOR POOR AND CRIPPLED CHILDREN situated, at that time, in East Cleveland. (I think it was Euclid.) The large cottage is gone! Now, RAINBOW is a part of the Cleveland Clinic. I went back to visit twenty years later, and the secretary recognized me!!

## MY PRESENT SENIOR YEARS



**AS I AM NOW IN MY SENIOR YEARS, I HAVE COME TO REALIZE THAT THOSE EARLY DAYS, CONFINED TO A CRIB, HAVE MOLDED AND SHAPED MY LIFE IN WAYS I AM JUST BEGINNING TO UNDERSTAND AFTER ALL THIS TIME!** Those days and the early training from my mother and father, my sixty-two year marriage, and my children, with the guidance of the Holy Spirit in my life, have molded me for who or what I am --good or bad--depending on who is judging me.

## BOTH DR. & MRS. WAITE'S TESTIMONIES ARE ON AUDIO TAPE

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN HEARING THESE TWO TESTIMONIES, CALL OR WRITE OUR OFFICE FOR THEM. (856-854-4747). ASK FOR "THE TWO TWENTY MINUTE TESTIMONIES OF DR. & MRS. WAITE." (BFT #4002 & 4003 @ \$6.00 + \$3.00 S&H ).** Though these words are on audio tape presently, we can transfer them to a CD, if you like. I am not sure if the video turned out or not; otherwise that would be available, too.

## FANNY CROSBY CAME TO RACE STREET

**THAT SUNDAY EVENING AT RACE BAPTIST WAS UNIQUE.** The first half hour was dedicated to THE TRIBUTE TO FANNY CROSBY (1820-1915). Usually *THE TRIBUTE* takes one hour or more, but I cut it down as much as I dare for my Catasauqua friends. I told that she was born March 24, 1820, in East Putnam County in New York state. **She was not born blind but a doctor's blunder left her basically blind --and soon completely so.** She was educated at the New York Institution for the Blind, taught there upon graduation, married to ALEXANDER VAN ALSTYNE for 44 years, knew DWIGHT L. MOODY and his songster, IRA SANKEY, personally. She wrote the words to hundreds of songs that we all sing all the time like REDEEMED, PASS ME NOT & BLESSED







*ASSURANCE*, etc. It is always a joy for me to put on a white wig and dark glasses and “become” that *Great Lady of Gospel Song!*

## DR. WAITE TAUGHT THE DEFENSE OF THE KJB

AFTER THE TRIBUTE WAS OVER, DR. WAITE TAUGHT THE CHURCH HIS TEACHING ON DEFENDING THE KING JAMES BIBLE. It was a whirlwind of the teaching found in his PRIMER BOOK called **DEFENDING THE KING JAMES BIBLE.**

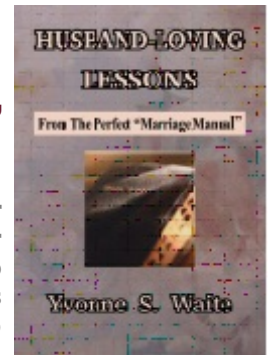
(BFT #1594 @ \$12.00 + \$7.00 S&H). If you want this very teaching, order 3483DVD @ \$15.00 + \$5.00 S&H. That particular DVD teaching is not the videoing that was done at RACE STREET, but it is the same teaching. Pastor Freeman did video that morning & evening, but, at this writing, I do not know how it turned out.

### A NEW PUBLISHED BOOK

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“Always remember that GOD’S instructions to woman, a wife, are for her and her only. She should not be concerned with the instructions given to the man, her husband. It is her duty to follow the wife’s rules and it is her husband’s duty to follow the husband’s rules. If her mate does not respond to God’s commands, this is not her fault, nor should she throw the fact up to the husband. Her concern is to keep her part of the bargain.” (Pg. 21, LESSON #1)



## CONTENTMENT IS A LEARNING PROCESS

DEAR READER. Godliness WITH CONTENTMENT is great gain!

This makes me realize that some can be godly–YET NOT CONTENT! What a rebuke! (I Timothy 6:6-8)

But godliness WITH CONTENTMENT is great gain.

For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out.

And having food and raiment let us be therewith content.

When blind Fanny Crosby was a child, she feared she would never be educated. The one room school house teacher (nearby their cottage) did not seem to know how to educate a sightless child. Even at her young age, she could feel a certain “discontent,” a certain “depression” begin to overwhelm her person. She figuratively shook herself and said, “To weep and cry because I’m blind, I cannot and I won’t!” What a determination for a child!

It was then that she took–what she called–a “SEED OF CONTENTMENT” and planted it deep within her being. So in her older years, she related that “seed” grew to be a large tree in her life with **BLOSSOMS OF CONTENTMENT** blooming on each branch. When the winds of adversity came–and they did come–she could smell the fragrance from those blooms, FOR SHE HAD LEARNED, LIKE THE APOSTLE PAUL, THAT IN WHATSOEVER STATE SHE FOUND HERSELF, SHE WAS CONTENT. Can you and I honestly say that?



### FIVE RADIO PROGRAMS ON CONTENTMENT: JFWCD/136

Recently I made five radio programs on the subject of *contentment* that are airing now as I am writing this UPDATE. William S. Plummer (1802-1880) wrote:

“Learn, in whatever state you are, therewith to be content (Phil 4:11).

‘You are the borrower, not the owner of created comfort.’

**Suppress the first risings of ambition, covetousness, self-will,  
restlessness, and the spirit of murmuring.**

**REST QUIETLY IN GOD.**

THE FUTURE WILL BRING A FULL EXPLANATION OF THE PRESENT.

**Treasure up in your heart the blessed promises of God."**

**MR. PLUMMER'S WORDS PROVOKED ME TO CONTEMPLATE THE SUBJECT.**

**On my "JUST FOR WOMEN" radio program, I talked about five aspects of CONTENTMENT.  
WITH FANNY CROSBY AND THE APOSTLE PAUL, I REALIZED WHAT CONTENTMENT WAS:**

- (1) CONTENTMENT IS A LEARNING PROCESS (Philippians 4:11)
- (2) CONTENTMENT SHOULD BE REAPED IN OUR HARVEST YEARS (Matthew 6:25)
- (3) CONTENTMENT VS COVETOUSNESS: AN EVER-PRESENT CONFLICT (Luke 12:15)
- (4) CONTENTMENT IS HUMILITY'S MOTHER (Psalm 37:16)
- (5) CONTENTMENT IS OUR REASONABLE DUTY (Psalm 104:14)

## **ANOTHER NEW BOOK!**

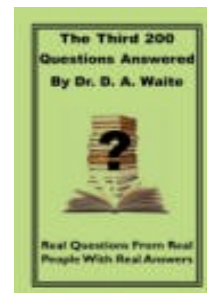
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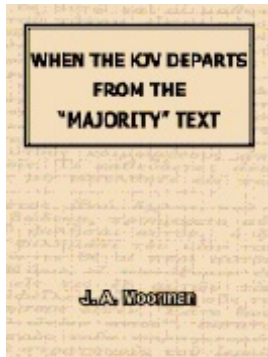
ON FEBRUARY 2, 2011, WE CLICKED ON A TELEVISION STATION FROM JOLLY OLD ENGLAND. We witnessed what was advertized as a "debate" between two men—OUR FRIEND & SCHOLAR J. A. MOORMAN and THE PROFESSIONAL CONTENDER JAMES WHITE. Each man was supposed to present his side of the King James Bible issue for twenty minutes. Dr. MOORMAN did a masterful job presenting his case. SAD TO SAY, in my opinion, **JAMES WHITE did not present his side in a debate form AS REQUESTED.** Instead, he began his rebuttal IMMEDIATELY! (Not according to the debate rules.) **As he did this, he began to BRAG.** When he wasn't bragging, he was attacking. He made fun of Dr. Moorman's points to the delight of most of the studio audience.

**IT WAS NO MORE A CIVIL DEBATE THAN THE MAN IN THE MOON, in my opinion.** As I said, instead of

presenting a reasonable case **FOR** his anti KJB position, **WHITE BEGAN BRAGGING** about his so-called "debate" with **BART EHRMAN**, some Muslim man, a "Jesus Seminar" man, etc. WHO CARED ABOUT HIS OTHER DEBATES?? All that self-aggrandizement had nothing whatsoever to do with the subject. It's a wonder he didn't mention his meeting Santa Claus or the Easter Bunny recently.

**IT IS A SHAME THAT THE TIME WAS NOT USED FOR MORE ACTUAL SCHOLARLY "GIVE & TAKE" INSTEAD OF "GOTCHA" ATTACKS FROM WHITE, the studio audience, and e-mails from viewers.**

**DR. MOORMAN WAS DRESSED IN A BUSINESS SUIT.** JAMES WHITE's apparel was a vest and a bow tie--reminding me of Mickey Mouse. Though White tried to brow-beat him, Dr. Moorman held his own. **I think one of the best clashes was when Dr. Moorman asked Mr. White, "WHAT BIBLE DO YOU USE?"** That question has yet to be answered.



## **WHEN THE KJV DEPARTS FROM THE "MAJORITY" TEXT**

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## **THE WAITES – Berea, Ohio – REUNION TRIP CONTINUED: Part #3**



## **FOUND BILL CLEMENTS AT HIS HOUSE**

**AFTER OUR 65<sup>TH</sup> BEREA, OHIO HIGH SCHOOL REUNION LUNCHEON, Dr. Waite and I SEARCHED OUT OUR FRIEND AND CLASSMATE, BILL CLEMENTS.** Though he graduated with us, he has never attended one high school reunion! I wonder why!! **Time has been good to him--by the looks of him.** Only lives a few streets away.

**WE WERE TOLD THAT HE IS A KIND MAN.** He must be, for he drives CLARENCE JANDECKA places (remember I wrote about Clarence in the last *BFT UPDATE*) for appointments. He also drives CLASSMATE JOANNE MICHAELS MADISON to her doctor's appointments. **WE WANTED TO SEE HIM.** I recalled in those long-ago days that my husband and I and Bill and my friend, Rose Weiss Durham, would double date. Can't remember where we went or what we did--but I remember.





**SO WE HUNTED DOWN BILL AT HIS HOME NEAR THE OLD HOUSE WHERE HE WAS BORN OVER EIGHTY YEARS AGO.** It is still there! The trees are taller and the bushes fuller—but it was there. Like Clarence's house, it is in the midst of other smaller more modern houses on the street, claiming its place in history! Bill was born there. Trees were hugging the house, keeping it hidden from the eyes of those passing by. Bill lived in a smaller dwelling behind the big house.

**MY HUSBAND BROUGHT BILL TO THE CAR WHERE I HAD BEEN WAITING. WE THREE TALKED. He appeared to be in good health, happy, and busy. He loved the Lord.** It was evident in his talk. Years ago his wife had divorced him—so he was alone. He remembered how he and my husband had to clear the HIGH SCHOOL TRACK so they could practice running for track practice. Those were the years!

## **A SONG LEADER FOR THIRTY-EIGHT YEARS**

**WAS INTERESTED THAT BILL LED THE SINGING IN A NEAR-BY BAPTIST CHURCH FOR THIRTY-EIGHT YEARS (I think he said thirty-eight).** Now, he attends a huge CMA (Christian Missionary Alliance Church) where they sing those repetitious choruses that he doesn't like, and where the congregation has to stand up *forever* when all he wants to do is sit down.

**I WISH THAT BILL LIVED NEAR US HERE IN COLLINGSWOOD, NEW JERSEY. THE BIBLE FOR TODAY BAPTIST CHURCH sings the old gospel songs and hymns that he knew as a young man. I ENCOURAGED HIM TO CLICK ON [biblefortoday.org](http://biblefortoday.org), the brown box at ten o'clock Sunday mornings—eastern time—and be a part of our Sunday morning service.** In fact, if he goes to his own church on Sunday morning, he can click on the **YELLOW BOX ANY TIME** and VIEW THE SERVICE ALL WEEK FOR ALL THE CHURCH PREACHING & TEACHING FROM THE PRECIOUS WEEK THAT ARE AIRED! **One of those Bible classes is Dr. H. D. William's UPPER ROOM BIBLE STUDY at seven o'clock (eastern) every Tuesday night.** He is developing a following there in GEORGIA!

## **DROVE TO NORTHFIELD TO SEE THE ROGERS**

**WE WANTED TO SEE PASTOR LYNN ROGERS! SO, ON MONDAY AFTERNOON (September 20, 2010), WE DROVE TO NORTHFIELD, OHIO from our motel in Brook Park. Northfield is also called SAGAMORE HILLS. It took some effort to get there, but when we saw the beautiful huge NORTHFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH building, we knew their house was nearby.** Pastor Rogers came to NORTHFIELD BAPTIST when it was a small church in a small building in a small community. With much prayer and work, HE, HIS WIFE, & HIS PEOPLE developed a congregation full of people and a Christian school—all housed in a huge building. No doubt, most of the people there, including the present pastor (whom I do not know) do not realize the sacrifices that had to be made to build that church. I am not talking about the building—for we all know the expense of that—but I mean the "people." The tears and prayers to build Christians into growing believers is a life's work on the part of a pastor.



## **A WOMAN WITH DEEP SPIRITUAL DISCERNMENT**

**I DON'T KNOW IF YOU KNOW LAVERN ROGERS. SHE IS A MOST GRACIOUS WOMEN IN HER EARLY EIGHTIES. She has an affliction, too. Yet she continues!** Besides caring for herself, her great concern is for her husband who has had two open-heart surgeries. Here is a woman with deep spiritual discernment and empathy! Yet, I detected the church, in which her husband and she served for forty years, has almost abandoned her and her husband. I may be wrong.

**LYNN ROGERS, WHOM I HAVE KNOWN SINCE HE WAS A BOY, AND HIS BROTHER, BOB, ARE LIKE "FAMILY" TO DR. WAITE AND ME. (Bob, the older, sang in our wedding. He died a few decades ago.) Pastor Lynn also was in our wedding . WHEN WE LEFT NORTHFIELD, MY HUSBAND TURNED TO ME AND SAID, "It was like visiting a brother!"** He did not mean a "brother" in the Lord (though Pastor Lynn is one), but a brother in the flesh. *I am so glad we stopped by.*

## **WHERE IS THE CHARITY OF HEART ?**

**AFTER BEING WITH OUR BEREIA CLASS OF 1945—all of us in our 80's! AND AFTER VISITING THREE OF OUR FRIENDS FROM THE PAST WHO HAVE GREAT PHYSICAL AFFLICTIONS, I WONDERED IF THERE SHOULD NOT BE AN ORGANIZATION WITHIN THE LOCAL CHURCH ITSELF THAT SPECIALIZES IN HELPING**

**ELDERLY CHRISTIANS WHO NEED PHYSICAL AND EMOTIONAL ASSISTANCE.** I do not mean an “old folks” home –a politically incorrect term in today’s parlance–but a ministry of **GOING, TALKING, LISTENING, & PRAYING** with those who are not able to get about as they used to do. I have no idea what I am talking about exactly–but each church should develop such charity. I am not talking about money. **I AM TALKING ABOUT TRUE CARE!!**

**HOW WELL I REMEMBER WHEN MY EIGHTY-FOUR-YEAR-OLD FATHER AND EIGHTY-THREE-YEAR-OLD MOTHER, living in Florida, WOULD BE VISITED ONCE A WEEK BY A CHURCH DEACON.** Weekly, he came for my father’s “offering.” Would they have visited him so often, if he had nothing to put in his church envelope? Who knows? I do know that when my mother suffered from strokes and my father needed help, NO ONE came to help him from the church! When I called from New Jersey, the pastor and a deacon came **ONCE** that I know of. WHEN MY DAD SAID HE DIDN’T NEED HELP. THEY BELIEVED HIM, AND NEVER HELPED THAT I KNOW ABOUT. Here was **AN ELDERLY MAN IN A WHEELCHAIR WITH ONE LEG,** with a **BRAIN DAMAGED ADULT DAUGHTER** to care for, and **A WIFE SICK FROM A STROKE!** HOW COULD THEY BELIEVE HIM WHEN HE SAID HE DIDN’T NEED ANY HELP?

## **THE DEAN BURGON SOCIETY MEETS**

### **July 27-28 in COLLINGSWOOD, NJ**

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## **THE BIBLE FOR TODAY BAPTIST CHURCH**

**CELEBRATE WITH US THE 400<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY**  
**of THE AUTHORIZED KING JAMES BIBLE**

BECAUSE THE WAITE’S COLLINGSWOOD, NJ, 900 PARK AVENUE HOUSE IS NOT LARGE ENOUGH FOR THE DBS JULY CROWD, THE COLLINGSWOOD BIBLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HAS BEEN KIND ENOUGH TO OFFER THEIR LARGE AUDITORIUM TO US FOR OUR DBS CONFERENCE. Because the Executive and Advisory Committee of the DBS wanted the Society to meet in Dr. Waite’s own home territory for the 400<sup>th</sup> birthday of the Bible they defend, the DBS accepted the kind offer of the BP Church. To do otherwise, would have cost the Society a fortune to rent a meeting place for two days & many hours.

**LET US NOT FORGET THAT THE DEAN BURGON SOCIETY IS A ONE ISSUE SOCIETY.** WE STAND “*IN DEFENSE OF TRADITIONAL TEXTS.*” its doctrinal statement is available for the asking. Also, the statement is written on the July 2011<sup>th</sup> meetings brochure for all to read.

Let us recall that most of the translators of the King James Bible were ANGLICANS. That is similar to the Episcopal Church in the United States. It is because of the Church of England, and some Anglican separatist, that we have the Authorized Bible that the DEAN BURGON SOCIETY defends!

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**IN GOD’S WISE CARE,**

**Yvonne S. Waite (for Dr. Waite, too)**





## **WE VISITED AUDREY'S GRAVE**

**SO, AFTER BREAKFAST AND A SLOW MORNING, PASTOR WAITE DROVE OUT PAST THE**

**HIGH SCHOOL ON BAGLEY ROAD TO MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS ON ENGLE ROAD TO WOODVALE CEMETERY. That is where my sister is buried. It had been ten years since I'd honored her memory at her grave site! ~~No one that I know ever stopped to visit her grave site. SHE WAS TWENTY YEARS OLD WHEN SHE DIED~~**

**AUDREY SANBORN DIED WHEN SHE WAS TWENTY YEARS OLD OF THAT DREADFUL CANCER CALLED HODGKIN'S DISEASE! There are certain events in life that we never get over. We accept them, but we never forget them, and we carry a pocket of sorrow deep within our souls. The sound of those words, HODGKIN'S DISEASE, was like a death sentence in those days! Our family had never heard of that cancer until then. Decades later my husband, Dr. Waite had the same disease. I thought he would die because I knew that when Audrey lived there was no "cure" at all! But God, in His graciousness to me and our family (and my husband) kept him alive. That was around 1985 or '86.**

### **I WAS HER BIG SISTER**

**AUDREY WAS A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN WITH THE BLUSH OF YOUTH IN HER MANNER AND THE WISDOM OF THE AGES IN HER SOUL! I loved her and still do. I miss her and always will. I WAS HER BIG SISTER! I remember when I first saw her through the glass walls between her and me at RAINBOW HOSPITAL FOR POOR & CRIPPLED CHILDREN in East Cleveland. (It has now a part of the Cleveland Clinic.) I remember her riding her tricycle up and down the sidewalk in Lagrange. Her long blonde curls blew in the breezes--a beautiful child! I remember her as a flower girl in Naomi and Albert Spieth's wedding at the Baptist Church at the end of our road. I remember when she was in the seventh grade and I, a senior, as we passed each other in the halls of Berea High. I remember the day that we sang "WHEN THE SAINTS GO MARCHING IN" to the whole high school.**

### **BECAUSE OF THE EASTERN GATE**

**MY HUSBAND AND I PUT FLOWERS AND A LARGE PINWHEEL AT HER FOOT STONE. (I like pin wheels.)**  
**We did not know it was a foot stone until the cemetery's guide, in her golf-cart, led us there.** It was most interesting. She explained to us that all the bodies buried in Woodvale Cemetery were put in the grave so that, when the resurrection would come, the dead would sit up, facing *THE EAST*, as they arose from the dead. She lay back in her golf cart demonstrating this to us. It was vivid to me! I never heard or saw this before! I asked my husband WHY they were to face the "EAST," and he was not sure. "Maybe," he said, "Because of the *EASTERN GATE!*" (I remembered that MRS. HOLLOWOOD said she would meet her grandchildren at the "EASTERN GATE!")

## **CLARA & HENRY CRUVER REST THERE, TOO**

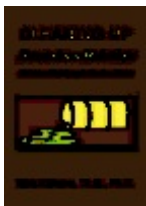
**BURIED TO THE RIGHT OF MY SISTER, AS SHE LAY THERE WAITING FOR THE RESURRECTION, ARE THE CRUVERS.** I put flowers on their graves, too. These people had been a part of my families' lives since our LaGrange, Ohio days. He had been our pastor. The friendship continued until their deaths. Often the Cruvers, CLARA & HENRY, would visit my parents in Florida. Mrs. Cruver would detail the happenings of her children—HARTLEY, ESTHER, & WILLIAM, to Mother, in detail; And MOTHER WOULD RELATE THEM TO ME. I felt I knew them like I knew Matthew, Mark, Luke & John in the Bible. I have tried to convey this feeling of "family" to their adult children to no avail. I still wonder why the "year" of Mr. Cruver's death has not been carved on to his foot stone right there after his "dash" that represents his life.

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