

Purpose of the GARBC

It is proposed that General Association of Regular Baptists

FIRST, become an Association of Baptist churches to maintain a testimony to the supernaturalism of Christianity as opposed to the anti-supernaturalism of modernism; and

SECOND, determine to do its work independent of, and separate from, the Northern Baptist Convention and all its auxiliaries; and

THIRD, not in any way preserve a denominational order, but [to preserve what is] historically believed by Baptists and expressed by the Baptist Confessions of Faith of London 1689, the New Hampshire Confession of Faith, the Philadelphia Confession of Faith, the Baptist Bible Union Confession of Faith, or any such which enunciates the truths though in other words;

FOURTH, promote a missionary spirit amongst Baptist churches for the spread of the Gospel in all the world and to contend earnestly for the faith once for all delivered to the saints;

FIFTH, assist churches to secure safe, sound, and satisfactory pastors for the promotion of the Gospel and the work of the ministry, and to assist churches in needy places as much as in them is.

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