

## **The Baptist World Alliance**

WHEREAS historically Baptists have been characterized by fidelity to a divinely inspired and therefore inerrant Bible as well as to those other Biblical doctrines commonly known as the fundamentals of the faith; and

WHEREAS the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches was established in 1932 to bear witness to these great doctrines and to defend the Biblical principle of separation from those who repudiate or question them; and

WHEREAS in July, 1975, the Baptist World Alliance will convene in Stockholm, Sweden; and

WHEREAS the Baptist World Alliance is based upon the concept that agreement with the essential doctrines of the Christian faith is not necessary as a basis for Christian fellowship and service, and thus the Alliance is an amalgamation of people and groups of widely differing theological views ranging from evangelical to liberal;

BE IT RESOLVED that we, the messengers of the churches in fellowship with the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches, meeting in Annual Conference at Winona Lake, Indiana, June 23–27, 1975, declare that the Baptist World Alliance does not represent the historic position of Baptists, and that Bible-believing Baptists everywhere be urged to refrain from fellowship with, or support of, the Baptist World Alliance, but rather seek fellowship with Baptist associations that honor God's Word.

*Winona Lake, Indiana,  
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