

## **Evangelism**

BECAUSE all the world is guilty before God; and

BECAUSE men's minds are blinded by Satan; and

BECAUSE unbelievers are lost and destined for everlasting punishment; and

BECAUSE it is human nature to grow cold and indifferent instead of being compassionate; and

BECAUSE it is easy to neglect our duty to evangelize;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, the messengers of the churches in fellowship with the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches, meeting in annual session at Des Moines, Iowa, June 27–July 1, 1977, issue this call for concern on the part of our people, and that we dedicate ourselves to soul-winning, public and personal, vocal and by the printed page; and

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we be guided by the Scriptures in our methods so that proper emphasis is given to church planting and Biblical separation rather than an inclusivism which abbreviates the messages; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we emphasize the entire Word for the entire world through entire dedication; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we realize our total dependence upon God in the witness of the Word to the world.

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