

The Inspired Word of God

WHEREAS the Holy Scriptures are the sole ground of our faith, the special revelation of God to man of His will and redemptive plan; and

WHEREAS the Bible declares itself to be inspired of God and profitable to man in understanding and interpreting doctrine, reproofing him in his sin, correcting him in error, and instructing him in practical righteousness; and

WHEREAS the Bible is denied to be the eternal and authoritative Word of God by many so-called spiritual leaders; and

WHEREAS the veracity and trustworthiness of the Scriptures are the focal point of Satanic attack upon Bible-believing fundamentalism;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, the messengers of the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches, meeting in annual conference in Winona Lake, Indiana, June 27-July 2, 1971, reaffirm our declared conviction that the Bible is the divinely inspired Word of the living God, verbally, plenarily inscribed by holy men who were miraculously used by the Holy Spirit to be the bearers of infallible truth and who were so protected by divine aid in their writings that the Bible is a full and trustworthy revelation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we stand, unchanged, on the conviction that the Bible is the final authority in the churches and in our lives in all matters of faith and practice.

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