The Importance of Doctrinal Teaching

WHEREAS the New Testament contains a major emphasis upon the importance of sound doctrine to the spiritual health of the individual Christian as well as each local church; and

WHEREAS effective Christian service springs from the hearts of believers who are well taught in the doctrinal truths God's Word;

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, do hereby encourage all of our pastors and churches to give special attention to the regular and systematic teaching of the great doctrines of Scripture, not neglecting those which are unique to Baptists, so that our people may be sound in the faith, thoroughly furnished unto all good works (2 Tim. 3:17).

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