

May 21, 1985

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

We are fast approaching the first Sunday in June and our annual Mt. Ebal Association Homecoming. I am very pleased to inform you of this year's speaker, Reverend David L. Tucker. David attended high school in High Point, North Carolina. He completed two years of instruction from Brevard Jr. College, Coco, Florida, received his undergraduate degree from the University of South Florida in Tampa, and received his Masters of Divinity from Southeastern Baptist Seminary. David is a Captain in the United States Air Force where he serves as Chaplain. He is presently the pastor of Rocky Hill Baptist Church in Cedar Mountain, North Carolina where he lives with his wife and four children.

I felt a real kinship with David while talking with him on the phone. We both expressed the desire that this homecoming should first and foremost be a worship service where God's Word is uplifted. I pray that this will be a meaningful time to sing praises, give thanks, and renew our spirits. Please pray for David as he prepares his sermon, for the service, and that each person present might grow in the knowledge of Jesus Christ as our personal Savior.

Just to update you on the progress of the shelter, enough funds were received to begin this project. In fact, thanks to a group of able bodied cheap laborers, the shelter and outhouses have been completed. But I would still encourage those who feel lead, to contribute to this valuable addition. Contributions can be placed in the offering and should be marked "Shelter" or given to myself or Pete Sexton.

It was suggested last year to bring pictures of interest to Mt. Ebal, be it family or otherwise. We will set aside a place in the church where these pictures can be displayed.

Our worship service will begin at 11:30 AM on June 2nd and will be followed by a brief business session. Dinner will be held under the old oak tree immediately after services. I encourage each of you to set aside this day and make a special effort to attend.

I look forward to seeing you at Mt. Ebal on Sunday, June 2nd at 11:30 AM.

Mt. Ebal Association President

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Paul Sexton".

Paul Sexton