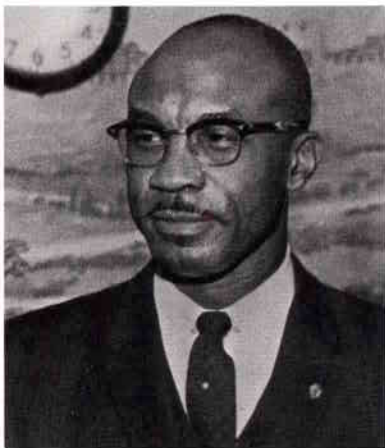


## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES



Dr. Edward A. Freeman: Birthplace, Georgia; Clark College, Atlanta, Georgia, A.B. Degree; Central Baptist Seminary, Kansas City, Kansas; B.D., Th.M., Th.D., Degrees; served churches in Georgia; Principal of High School in Austell, Georgia, 1942-46. He served as Chaplain in U. S. Army, upon discharge was called to First Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas. He is President, Missionary Baptist State Convention of Kansas; serves as a Vice-president of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc.; has served as Vice-President-At-Large of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc. He has written numerous books and articles, among them *The Epoch of Negro Baptists*, is a Trustee of the American Baptist Theological Seminary, is the first Negro to serve as Chairman of the Kansas City, Kansas Planning Commission, after serving on the Commission for a number of years; is active in local, state, and national councils of churches, attended the Executive meetings of Baptist World Alliance, London, England, representing Kansas and National Baptists. He is listed in Marquis—"Who's Who in the Midwest" and Geoffrey Handley Taylor's *Dictionary of International Biography*. He is Vice-Chairman of Gateway Plaza Homes, Inc., townhouse units for moderate income families, 156 units already completed are 100% occupied and 129 more units are now under construction and upon completion of payment of an FHA loan, the Missionary Baptist State Convention of Kansas will assume ownership of the homes.



Dr. Clarence Jordan: Birthday, Georgia; University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, B. S. Degree in Agriculture; Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky, Th.M. and Ph.D. Degrees, majoring in Greek New Testament. His writings include *Translations and Interpretations of the New Testament*. His most recent writing is *The Cotton Patch Version of Paul's Epistles* (published in February, 1968 by Association Press). After finishing the Seminary he served as Supt. of Baptist Fellowship Center, a fellowship of Negro and white Baptists in Louisville, Kentucky. He served as Supt. of City Missions with the Long Run Association of Southern Baptists, Louisville, Ky. He left Louisville with a definite call of God to begin a fellowship of all people (based on Acts 2:41-45). Koinonia Farm is located in a rural area 12 miles southwest of Americus, Georgia. Since beginning the Koinonia Community there have been as many as 80 residents in the fellowship. Christ-like love permeates the ministries of those in the fellowship. Dr. Jordan is a very outstanding Biblical scholar with a continual ministry of reconciliation. He has lectured on many college and seminary campuses throughout the nation.



Dr. A. G. Kendricks: Birthplace, Arkansas; received his high school education in Texas; B.Th. Degree American Baptist Theological Seminary, Nashville, Tennessee; he studied toward his M.A. Degree, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona. He has served as one of the Vice Presidents of the National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc.; at present serves on the Board of Directors of the N.B.C., U.S.A., Inc.; has served as President of the Arizona Narcotics Educational Association; President of Baptist Ministers Union; President of the Baptist Ministers Fellowship and served for 11 years as President of the Paradise Baptist State Convention of Arizona and was Moderator of the Colorado Baptist Association for five years. He was also Chaplain of the Arizona State Legislature. He has pastored in Nashville, Tenn.; Tucson, Arizona; Denver, Colorado; Phoenix, Arizona (where he led in the building of First Institutional Baptist Church). At present he is pastor of Pilgrim Baptist Church, Los Angeles, California, and is Vice Moderator of the Providence Baptist Association of Los Angeles.

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# PROGRAM

## TUESDAY, APRIL 2

11:00 a.m.—Presiding, President C. E. Boddie

Prelude . . . . . Mrs. Anolda Cliffin  
Invocation and Response  
Hymn  
Scripture  
Hymn  
Presentation of Speaker  
Selection . . . . . Seminary Chorus  
Sermon: "Courage to Believe" . . . . . Dr. Edward A. Freeman  
Closing Hymn  
Benediction  
Lunch—12:30 p.m.

1:45 p.m.—Presiding, Prof. Joe M. Conley

1:45 p.m. General Theme: "The God Movement"

Lecture: "The Old Covenant and the New People of God"

2:45-3:30 p.m. Discussion

5:00 p.m.—Dinner

8:00 p.m.—Presiding, Prof. G. B. Coleman

Prelude . . . . . Mrs. Anolda Cliffin  
Invocation and Response  
Hymn  
Scripture  
Hymn  
Presentation of Speaker  
Selection . . . . . Seminary Chorus  
Sermon: "Beyond Our Highest Thought" . . . . . Dr. Edward A. Freeman  
Closing Hymn  
Benediction

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

10:15 a.m.—Presiding, Prof. J. F. Grimmett

10:15 a.m.—Lecture: "Weeds and Wheat in the God Movement"

11:15 a.m.-12:00 noon—Discussion

12:30—Lunch

1:45 p.m.—Presiding, Prof. J. Lewis Powell

1:45 p.m.—Lecture: "The Movement as the New Sabbath"

2:45-3:30 p.m.—Discussion

8:00 p.m.—Presiding, Prof. James A. Campbell

Prelude  
Invocation and Response  
Hymn  
Scripture  
Hymn  
Presentation of Speaker  
Selection . . . . . Seminary Chorus  
Sermon: "The Death of Jesus Christ" . . . . . Dr. Edward A. Freeman  
Closing Hymn  
Benediction

## THURSDAY, APRIL 4

10:15 a.m.—Presiding, Prof. David L. Moore

10:15 a.m. Lecutre: "The Movement as God's Holy Temple"

11:15 a.m.—12:00 noon—Discussion

12:30—Lunch

1:45 p.m.—Presiding, Prof. R. H. Williams

1:45 p.m. Lecture: "The God Movement and Man's Redemption"

6:00 p.m. Alumni-Founders' Day—Lectures Banquet, Seminary Dining Hall

Dr. J. Lewis Powell, Toastmaster

Special Recognition: Alumni, Extension Units, Others

Banquet Message . . . . . Dr. A. G. Kendrick

8:00 p.m.—Presiding, Dr. C. E. Boddie

Prelude  
Invocation and Response  
Hymn  
Scripture  
Hymn  
Presentation of Speaker  
Selection . . . . . Seminary Chorus  
Sermon: "This is the Judgment" . . . . . Dr. Edward A. Freeman  
Closing Hymn  
Benediction

National Alumni Association Sessions . . . . . Chapel

April 2—8:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m., 4:00-5:00 p.m.

April 3—8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m., 4:00-5:00 p.m.

April 4—9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

## COMING EVENTS

Junior-Senior Banquet (7:30 p.m.) . . . . . May 9, 1968  
Senior Class Day Exercises (11:00 a.m.) . . . . . May 17, 1968  
Baccalaureate Service (3:00 p.m.) . . . . . May 26, 1968  
Commencement (8:00 p.m.) . . . . . May 27, 1968