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Dear Board Members and friends of FBHS.

Our Florida Baptist Historical Society Spring board meeting will be April 21-22, 2005, on the campus of the Baptist College of Florida. The Board of Directors will meet at 1:30 PM on Thursday, April 21 and then there will be a session on Thursday night and Friday morning where a paper will be presented. We are inviting the Graceville Historical Society to meet with us and others are also invited for the presentation. More details on the presented papers will come next month.

Our February trivia question was: Can you identify the couple from Mississippi who served briefly in Florida and are in the history books because they are the only couple where both husband and wife served as officers of the Southern Baptist Convention? The answer was Carl and Myra Bates. Congratulations to James Hackney of Gulf Breeze who answered the question correctly.

The trivia question for this month is who was the only governor of Florida to serve as President of the Florida Baptist Convention? Call (800) 328-2610, ext. 428 with the correct answer and receive a nifty collectable.

Currently we are studying the possibility of opening up a website and offering a menu of services to our members, churches, and the general public. Details are being researched and information will soon be available as to how you may have ready access to more of our research and general information.

Honoring those who honor Christ,

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The Govenor of the State of Florida who served as Convention president.

Jerry M. Windsor Secretary-Treasurer *Matthew 6:33*