

## Biographical Sketches

### Rev. James A. Roberson, Jr.

Rev. James A. Roberson, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church of Interlachen, Florida, was born in Palatka, Florida. He graduated from Palatka High School in 1961. He graduated from Baptist Bible Institute (now Florida Baptist Theological College) of Graceville, Florida, in May 1976. He graduated from William Carey College, Hattisburg, Mississippi, in 1978 with a B.S. Degree in Psychology, and he received his Master's Degree in Psychology there in 1985.

He was licensed and ordained by the Southside Baptist Church of Palatka in 1973. He has pastored the following churches: the New Providence Baptist Church of Paul, Alabama, 1973-1974; the Calvary Baptist Mission of Samson, Alabama, 1974-1976; the Mt. Horeb Baptist Church of Collins, Mississippi, 1976-1981; the Phalti Baptist Church of Prentise, Mississippi, 1981-1985; the Bellevue Baptist Church of Hattisburg, Mississippi, 1985-1989; and presently is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Interlachen, Florida.

Brother Roberson is married to the former Miss Sonja Ramey of Palatka. They have two sons, Jim and Jerry.

His hobbies are golfing and fishing.

### Rev. Bob Taylor

Rev. Bob Taylor, pastor of the Lemon Heights Baptist Church of Palatka, Florida, was born in Cool Springs Township, outside Forrest City, North Carolina. In 1951 he graduated from Dana High School, Hendersonville, North Carolina. He spent four years in the Navy, 1951-1955. Much of this time was spent abroad the heavy cruiser, U.S.S. Helena.

He graduated from Tennessee Temple College of Chattanooga, Tennessee, and has a doctorate degree from Universal Bible Institute of Atlanta, Georgia. In 1956 he was ordained to the Gospel Ministry by the Ebenezer Baptist Church of Hendersonville, North Carolina.

He has served the following churches as pastor: the Mountain Home Baptist Church of Hendersonville, North Carolina; the First Baptist Church of DeLeon Springs, Florida; the Englewood Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Florida; the Whitehouse Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Florida; the Kings Grove Baptist Church of Hendersonville, North Carolina; the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church of Mountain City, Tennessee; the Central Baptist Church of Mayo, Florida; and presently, the Lemon Heights Baptist Church of Palatka, Florida.

He is married to the former Miss Mary Feagan of Centerview, Polk County, North Carolina. They have three sons, Kenneth, James, and Jonathan.

His hobbies are hunting and fishing.