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Stewart, Joe served as pastor of Braden River Baptist Church, 1980.

Manatee Southern 1980

	Campus Ministries	Rev. Tony Chastain
	Community Needs Report.	Dr. J. Guy Saunders
	Stewardship (Budget Presentation)	Tony Chastain
	Youth Committee Report	Rev. Larry Pritchett
	Publicity Committee	Rev. Jim Sibley
3:35	Moderator's Report	Rev. C. N. (Skeet) Bryan
3:45	Christian Education Report.	Charles Granger
	Director of Church Relations, Stetson University	
4:05	Time, Place & Preacher Committee	Jim Sibley
4:10	Memorial Service.	Rev. Virgil DeVore
4:20	Miscellaneous Business	
4:30	Congregational Hymn No. 35.	Rev. Robert Walker
4:35	Special Music	Gary Ballard
4:45	Florida Baptist Convention Emphasis	Phil Maxwell,
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5:05	Benediction and Supper	Rev. Marvin Spivey
7:00	Mass Choir from Associational Churches	Rev. Ward Weaver
	Congregational Hymn No. 335.	Rev. Victor Hayes
	Ministers of Music in Concert.	Rev. Ward Weaver, Directing
7:20	Report of Casino Gambling Issue	Rev. Tony Chastain
7:40	Personnel Committee Presentation of Job Description for	
	Director of Missions & Recommendation	
	Mrs. Geraleen Anderson, Personnel Committee Chairman	
8:00	Vote on Budget	
8:05	Miscellaneous Business and Resolutions	
8:15	Congregational Hymn No. 33.	Rick Cobb
8:25	Special Music - Mass Choir	
8:35	Key Note Address	Rev. Robert Allen
9:05	Benediction	Rev. Sterling Forrester

MINUTES

1. The First Anniversary Meeting of the Manatee Southern Baptist Association was called to order at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 19, 1978, at the West Bradenton Baptist Church. The Moderator, C. N. Bryan, presided at the meeting. Tony Chastain presented the Moderator with a gavel for continuing use in the life of the Association. Gary Ballard, Minister of Music and Youth, Gillette First Baptist Church, led in the opening hymn.
2. Dr. Guy Saunders presented the devotions with scripture reading from Ephesians 4 and led in prayer.
3. Mrs. Linda Hughes, Clerk moved that the messengers already registered and those that would subsequently register from the member churches constitute the working body of the First Anniversary Meeting of the Manatee Southern Baptist Association. The motion was seconded and carried.
4. The Program Committee Chairman, Tony Chastain, recommended that the order of business as printed in the Program be adopted and used for the entire Associational meeting. After a second, this passed.
5. New pastors and staff members of churches in the Association during the year were introduced and welcomed:
Mr. Robert Thompson, Associate Pastor*. Bethany Baptist Church
Rev. Joe Stewart, Pastor. Braden River Baptist Church
Rev. Richard Lloyd, Interim Pastor. Bradenton First Baptist Church