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Matthew 18:21-35, "The Parable of the Unforgiving Servant"

Luke 11:5-13 [NLT], "The Parable of the Persistent Widow"

Luke 5:33-38, "The Parables of New Cloth & New Wine"

Matthew 13:44-46, "The Parable of Hidden Treasure"

Luke 6:37-42, "The Parable of The Speck and The Plank"

Matthew 21:13, "The Parable of the Wedding Feast"

Ephesians 4:32, "The Power of Forgiveness"

Luke 12:13-21, "Parables: The Rich Fool"

Luke 16:19-31, "Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus"

Luke 10:25-37, "Parable of the Good Samaritan"

Matthew 13:24-30, "The Parables of Jesus/The Wheat and The Tares"

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I King 17:8-16 [NLT], "God Will Provide"

Matthew 15:21-28, "Lord Have Mercy"

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Ruth 2:5-12, "Praying for Power"

Romans 8:31-37 & 39, "God is on our Side"

"There's a Famine in the Land"

Luke 1:45-55 [NLT], "Born to be Blessed"

John 5:2-9 [NKJV], "No More Excuses"

Luke 13:10-13, "Unbroken and Unstoppable"

Ephesians 6:18-20, "Please Pray for Me"

Ephesians 2:14-19 [NLT], "Welcome to the Family"

I Kings 17:8-16 [NLT], "God Will Provide"

Romans 12:1-2, "Get Your Mind Right"

Romans 5:18-21, "If it Wasn't for Grace"

I & II Peter bible study guides, Rev. Clyde Ruffin (Pastor)

Bible study guides, "The Sermon on the Mount," Rev. Clyde Ruffin (Pastor)

Scripts

History of Mt. Carmel Baptist District Association, "A Legend of Promise," 1978

"A Descriptive Survey of the Negro Churches in Columbia," Wilbur D. East, 1938

Music & Fine Arts presentations scripts, written & produced by Rev. Clyde Ruffin

(Pastor)

Historic pastors info

Rev. Johnathon Lyle Caston

Church history

Special occasions: Men's Day, 1993-2002 Special occasions: Women's Day, 1988-1999

150th Anniversary Sermon scripts

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155th Anniversary & Homecoming Celebration, 2021 (Scrapbook)

Church anniversary

Pastor's anniversary

Special occasions: installation services (1999-2004) Special occasions: Pastor's anniversary (1998-2000)

Pastor's installation, 2004

Second Chronicles, 1989 (Newsletters)

Administrative file: Church bulletins

Special occasions: Male Chorus Day, 1992

Second Baptist in the news

Church histories, programs, publications, photos, & articles (2 folders)

Black History Month

Bruce Goebel

Sermons

"Don't Believe the Hype"

"Come on in the Room"

"He Did it All Just for Me"

"God is Not Finished with Me Yet"

"The Storm is Passing Over"

"I Am Determined"

"God's Timing" (A Funeral Oration for Dan Springer)

"Affirming America's Promise"

"Are You Read to Have Church?"

"Armed and Dangerous"

"Let Your Will Be Done in Me"

"Stretch Out"

"More Than You Can See"

"Is There a Doctor in the House?"

"First Things First"

"It's All About the Trees"

- "The Power of Believing"
- "When Church is Not Enough"
- "Don't Get it Twisted"
- "Can I get a Witness?"
- "All the Way"
- "Is Jesus Real to You?"
- "God Can/God Will"
- "No More Shame"
- "I Need a Blessing"
- "More Than a Fish Sandwich"
- "It's Not About Where You Have Been, But Where You Are Going"
- "Have You Found a Resting Place?"
- "Lord Take Us Higher" (Mt. Carmel district meeting)
- "Don't Take Grace for Granted"
- "Something to Shout About"
- "Created to Worship"
- "Who Can You Trust?"
- "No Shame in My Game"
- "Stay in Position"
- "Fix Me Jesus"
- "Give Me Jesus"
- "The Sunday Morning Blues"
- "When Sunday Comes"
- "I Ain't Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me Around"
- "That's What Friends are for"
- "It's All in His Hands"
- "I Want to Take You Higher"
- "Overcoming the Wilderness"
- "I Am My Father's Child"
- "Is There a Word from the Lord?"
- "I've Got Something to Shout About"
- "Check In, Check Up, And Check it Out"
- "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"
- "Are There any True 'Praiser's' In the House?"
- "Are You the One That God Can Use?"
- "I Will Trust in the Lord"
- "It's Only a Test"
- "What are You Going to Do?"
- "What Goes Around"
- "What's Your Excuse?"
- "When All God's Children get Together"
- "When Heaven is Silent"
- "When Mercy Speaks to You"
- "When the Chicken's Come Home to Roost"
- "When Right Seems Wrong"
- "Where is Your Treasure?"

- "Who Are You Going to Call?"
- "Who's Rocking Your World?"
- "Working on a Building"

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- "Working Together"
- "Worship Unplugged"
- "Why?"
- "Expect the Unexpected"
- "Get Real, Get Ready, Get Right"
- "What Are You Going to Tell Your Children?"
- "No More Free Lunch"
- "Remember, It's Already Done"
- "It Is Well with My Soul" (Funeral Rahmah Hill)
- "Don't Knock it Until You Try it"
- "God Has Not Forgotten"
- "I'm Going Back to Get My Stuff"
- "God Can Handle it"
- "That Was Then, this is Now"
- "If It had Not Been for the Lord"
- "Yes Lord"
- "You Can't Find Water in a Dry Well"
- "You Don't Know Like I Know"
- "You Don't Have to be a Fool"
- "You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet"
- "You're Looking at a Miracle"
- "You Never Miss Your Water"
- "You Ought to Tell Somebody"
- "Your Arms are too Short to Box with God"
- "Your Feets too Big"
- "Walk Softly and Carry a Big Stick"
- "Watch Night Service"
- "What Does God Expect" (Nathan R. Williams)
- "What God has for You; it is for You"
- "What's Love Got to do with it?"
- "What Will You Believe?"
- "We Are One" (Mary Brown)
- "Wedding Vows"
- "Unleash the Praise"
- "Unlocking the Mystery of the Seed: The Seed of Destiny" (2 folders)
- "What Do These Stones Mean?"
- "What's Going on in Your Father's House?"
- "Real Men/Real Change"

- "Real Power: A Message for Men"
- "Release to Increase"
- "Roots"
- "Transformation of the Cross"
- "Building up the Vision"
- "I've Got a New Home" (Betty Ganaway Funeral)
- "Great is Thy Faithfulness"
- "Push for the Promise"
- "Broken but not Busted"
- "Don't Take My Praise for Granted"
- "A Trumpet at Midnight"
- "Empty Pitchers"
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- "He Say, She Say, But What Does God Say?"
- "God's Truth is Marching On"
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- "Every Tub Got to Sit On its Own Bottom"
- "Lord, Give Us Peace"
- "Giving God Our Best"
- "With God on our Side, We Will Win in 2010"
- "Truth: The Greatest Gift"
- "Enough is Enough"
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- "Thank You for Grace"
- "God Said it and I Believe it"
- "Do You Know What Time it is?"
- "Trapped in the Closet"
- "Nevertheless"
- "No Greater Love"
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- "No Room"
- "No More Victims"
- "No Pain, No Gain- No Cross, No Crown"
- "No More Victims"
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"Preparation Process and Power:"
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"Real Men/Real Change"
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"Redemption of a Roughneck"
"Remember the Time" (Funeral Oration for Alice Jean Grant)
"Remember the Time" II Peter 1
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"Secret Places"
"Service of Dedication 1"
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"Shake it Off"
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"Speak it, Believe it, and Receive it"
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"Something Worth Dying For"
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"Staying in Position"
"Standing on the Porch"
"Standing on the True Foundation" (Funeral for Lila Stemmons)
"Stand Up and Be a Man"
"Standing in the Gap: Pray for Me"
"Stay in the Ship"
"Stretch"
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"Take a Look in the Mirror" (2 folders)
"Take the Shackles off My Feet"
"Thanksgiving"
"The Crucifixion"
"The Gift that Keeps on Giving"
"The Lord is in This House"
"The Seed of God"
"The Seed of Healing"
"The Seed of Man"
"The Seed of Faith: Dead Man Walking"
"The Power of Foolishness, Part 1"
"The Power of Forgiveness"
"The Power of Love"
"The Purpose of the Pit"
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"The Reward of Humility"

"The Miracle of Perfected Parise"

- "Three Steps to Spiritual Maturity: Real Love"
- "Three Steps to Spiritual Maturity: I Know I Been Changed"
- "That was Then, this is Now"
- "This Call has Been Disconnected"
- "This Ain't Your Mama's Revival"
- "This Joy I Have"
- "This Is the Season of Preparation"
- "This is War"
- "This May Be the Last Time"
- "This Party is Over"
- "Time to Make a Change, Parts 1, 2, and 3" (3 folders)
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- "To Be Holy or Not to be Holy"
- "Total Forgiveness"
- "Tough Love: The Courage to Speak"
- "140th Church Anniversary Sermon"
- "A Child is Born; A Son is Given"
- "A Cry at Midnight"
- "A Father's Day Blessing"
- "Ain't Nothing Like the Real Thing"
- "Are You Ready to Live for God?"
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- "A Lesson in Obedience"
- "Almost is not Enough"
- "A Sheep in Wolves Clothing"
- "Are You Ready to Live for God"
- "Are You Ready to Pay the Price?"
- "Allow the Lord to Prepare you for the Position"
- "Are the Stones Crying Out?"
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- "Ain't Gonna Study War No More"
- "A New Anointing"
- "A Sheep in Wolves Clothing"
- "A Trip to the Potter's House"
- "A Weapon of Mass Destruction"
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- "Building House II: Through the Fire"
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- "Christ, The Solid Rock"
- "Christmas Day in Glory" (Revised)
- "Church Folks"
- "Conquering Giants: The Grasshopper and the Giant"
- "Come Here Child, Let Me Tell You Something"
- "Comfort Ye My People"
- "Choose Your Weapons"
- "Do You Know What Time it is?"
- "Don't Let My Good Looks Fool You"
- "Don't Let Nobody Turn You Around"
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- "Enough is Enough"

Constitution of Second Baptist

Box 4

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- "Fill My Cup"
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- "Fruit of the Spirit: Faith Basics II"
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- "Fruit of the Spirit: Joy (Keep on Steppin)
- "Fruit of the Spirit: Love & Restoration"
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- "Great Expectations"
- "God if Working it Out"
- "God Will Do It Again"
- "God's Been Good"
- "God's Grace is Sufficient"
- "God is Able"
- "Good Bread Don't Need No Butter"
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- "In A Moment" (Sherry Falls)
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- "I Have Come to Claim My Inheritance"
- "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"
- "I Just Want to do God's Will"
- "I Need a Lifting"
- "I Never Shall Forget"
- "Ignorance Will Kill You"
- "If God Be for Us, Then Who Can Be Against Us?"
- "If You Can Take it, You Can Make it"
- "If You Want it, God's Got it"
- "I Know Who You Are"
- "Increase, Increase, Increase"
- "I've Come to Glorify the Name of the Lord"
- "I Will Not Fear"
- "I Will Not Fall"
- "I'm Going to Leave it In God's Hands"
- "I'm Just Going to Use What I've Got"
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