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HOT SPRINGS NATIONAL PARK, ARKANSAS

November 29, 1958

The Reverend John Allen Chalk
Church of Christ - Northridge
5900 Dixie Drive
Dayton, Ohio

Dear Brother Chalk:

Would you mind writing me your frank evaluation of the program which the Institutional Investment Company of America puts on in a money raising campaign in a local church. Your name has been listed by them as one of their references.

Have you used this company? Do you find them satisfactory? Do you feel that this method of financing a building program is the most satisfactory? Feel free to tell me any other thing that I need to know about this company. For your convenience we are enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Thanking you for this information and with best wishes,
I am

Sincerely yours,

Fred R. Harrison

Fred R. Harrison

FRH/js

December 1, 1958

Dr. Fred R. Harrison
First Methodist Church
Central & Orange
Hot Springs, Arkansas

Dear Dr. Harrison:

This letter is written in reply to your request for an evaluation of the bond program conducted by the Institutional Investment of America.

Our program is now in the process of being completed. Mr. Howard Young, Senior Program Director, is conducting our campaign. This is the second week that we have offered the bonds to the public. At this point we have sold \$43,000.00 of the original \$100,000.00 issue. Previous to this campaign I was in touch with various bonding institutions and other fund raising groups. After careful consideration and personal interviews with representatives of these groups, it was decided to use the program offered by said company.

Of course I cannot give you a complete evaluation due to the fact that our program is not yet completed. I can say truthfully that Mr. Young is a man who does his part of the program successfully. It is my opinion that if you have the man power to sell these bonds Mr. Young and his company can do a successful job.

If you desire further information of a more specific nature please advise me.

Sincerely yours,

John Allen Chalk