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April 1, 1971

Mr. Mike White
Brentwood Church of Christ
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Austin, Texas 78757

Dear Mike:

Sue and I would thoroughly enjoy visiting with your missionaries in Guatemala. Our future plans, especially after June 1, are still indefinite and any trip would have to be planned in view of this. We do have a trip planned to Japan in late October and early November. Other than that, our schedule for the next twelve months is relatively open. (than)

We will continue to pray about God's use of us on such a trip. You can talk with your Mission's Committee and determine what step you need to take next. We understand the conditions mentioned in your letter and would be happy to spend the prescribed time or longer as well as making "a summary evaluation" upon returning and also meeting with you and your committee prior to the trip.

I will wait further instructions from you.

Sincerely yours,

John Allen Chalk

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Mr. John A. Chalk
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Dear John:

It was my pleasure to meet you in Abilene a few weeks ago at George Gurganus' home and as we discussed at that time, Brentwood is very much interested in pursuing with you the possibility of you and Sue going to Guatemala to spend a few days studying with our mission team people.

At this point in time the mission committee is working to formulate a definite proposal regarding this matter to present to our elders. In view of this I should like your response as to whether you and Sue can indeed go, for what period of time, when you could go, and what you would require in the way of support.

As the committee discussed this matter last Sunday the following came to the surface: 1) We feel very strongly the need of both the men and the women of this team to have a period of study ministering especially to their spiritual lives. 2) We would like for you to spend three days with the team. 3) We would like for you to give us a summary evaluation upon your return especially with regard to how Brentwood can minister more effectively to these members of our congregation. 4) We would like for at least some of our mission committee to meet with you prior to the trip. I hope these guidelines are not too cumbersome. They are negotiable so don't hesitate to question them.

I shall look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

Mike White

Mike White
Chairman, Mission Committee

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