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May 2, 1966

Mr. Wesley Reagan Northside Church of Christ 3330 Walnut Hill Lane Dallas, Texas 75229

Dear Wes:

I am sorry I missed most of your key-note speech at the Seminar last weekend. The sessions proved extremely fruitful, and I believe we will see some action on this "frontier" in the immediate future.

I need to know the full name of the man who is now the Business Manager at the Arlington Youth Center. His last name is Thompson, and I am supposed to know him but cannot remember his first name. Though you are still extremely young to be handling such delicate matters, I am sure I can trust your discretion to not reveal this to the party in question.

Your older brother.

John Allen Chalk

JAC:1c

P.S. I am surprised that a Dynamic Young Evangelist like yourself couldn't figure out those letters. I have definitely scheduled our meeting for May 18-23, 1969. NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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April 28, 1966

Mr. John Allen Chalk Broad Street Church of Christ 521 South Jefferson Cookeville, Tenn. 38501

Dear John Allen:

I'm afraid I have to plead ignorance on the D.Y.E. I have wasted two days trying to figure it out and we devoted one elders meeting to it.

Nevertheless, we are pleased to confirm the dates May 18-23, 1969 for your meeting with the church here. It will surely be strong enough to survive this kind of a shock by that time.

Warmest regards,

Wesley Reagan

WR:sst

NORTHSIDE

CHURCH OF CHRIST

3330 Walnut Hill Lane / FLeetwood 2-3964 / Dallas, Texas 75229

February 3, 1966

Mr. John Allen Chalk P. O. Box 574 Cookeville, Tennessee 38501

Dear John Allen:

We deeply appreciate your making a place for us in the 1969 schedule. By that time we expect this work will be well grounded and able to stand the shock. I will suggest specific dates within a few days, but please reserve a meeting for us.

Warmest regards,

Wesley Reagan

WR:lfm

NORTHSIDE

CHURCH OF CHRIST

3330 Walnut Hill Lane / FLeetwood 2-3964 / Dallas, Texas 75229

January 20, 1966

Mr. John Allen Chalk 521 S. Jefferson Avenue Cookeville, Tennessee

Dear John Allen:

We need you here for a meeting at Northside. Could you possibly include it in your schedule for 19692 We would require a seven day meeting including one Sunday.

It was good to see you in Nashville. That was a great meeting.

If you absolutely cannot make the 1969 date, give us the earliest date possible. However, we do expect you to use a little imagination towork this in before you are to old to have any steam left. At your age we don't like to schedule a man to far in advance.

Warmest personal regards,

Wesley Reagan

WR: lfm

April 13, 1966

Mr. Wesley Reagan Northside Church of Christ 3330 Walnut Hill Lane Dallas, Texas 75229

Dear Wes:

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It is with profound humility that I write one of the brotherhoods "young dialogue seekers" and request his opinion and relevant reaction to the following suggestion.

I will plan to work with you and the Northside church Sunday, May 18, through Friday, May 23, 1969. You understand that I have made a special dispensation to schedule a meeting this close to the present time. Usually I request that such events be scheduled at least ten years in advance. You do understand why I am willing to forego my usual schedule requirement-the sad shape of the Northside church.

Fraternally yours,

John Allen Chalk

JAC:1c

P.S. I will expect a confirmation with profound gratitude at your earliest convenience.

NORTHSIDE

CHURCH OF CHRIST

3330 Walnut Hill Lane / FLeetwood 2-3964 / Dallas, Texas 75229

March 24, 1966

Mr. John Allen Chalk Broad Street Church of Christ Cookeville, Tenn.

Dear John Allen:

In harmony with your letter, we would like to schedule you for a meeting in early May, 1969. It is our policy to encourage young preachers, particularly those who have difficulty getting preaching appointments elsewhere. We feel that in listening to them we make a contribution to their growth and ultimately a contribution to the brotherhood. Therefore, plan to use your best sermons and try hard and we will be very patient.

We just had 170 responses in a meeting in which Stanley Shipp preached.

I look forward with tremendous personal pleasure to working with you in another meeting. I will guarantee you warmer weather and a busy week.

Warmest regards,

Wesley Reagan

WR:sst