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# Rock Spring Missionary Baptist Church - Butler County, Kentucky (MSS 76)

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*Descriptive Inventory*

**MSS 76      ROCK Spring Missionary Baptist Church, 1838-1964**

½ box. 5 folders. 5 items. 1838-1964. Photocopy.

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***ORGANIZATIONAL HISTORY***

In 1813 a Union Church, for all Protestants, was established near Quality in Butler County, Kentucky. In 1834 the Baptist members of this congregation agreed to organize a Baptist church calling themselves, by 1839, the United Baptist Church of Christ at Concord. In 1842 the members decided to build a church at Rock Spring, although the congregation continued to meet in members' homes until the construction was completed in 1844. Amos Russ was called as first pastor. The current church was constructed in 1870 on land donated by Ephraim and Sarah Knight, replacing the original log structure. It was remodeled in 1975.

***COLLECTION NOTES***

This collection consists of photocopies of four minute books kept by the Rock Spring Missionary Baptist Church, Butler County, Kentucky from 1838 to 1883 and 1908 to 1964.

***SHELF LIST***

<b>BOX 1</b>	<b>Rock Spring Missionary Baptist Church</b>	<b>1838-1964</b>	<b>5 items</b>
Folder 1a	Inventory		1 item
Folder 1	Minute book	July 7, 1838- Oct., 1883	1 item
Folder 2	Minute book	Nov., 1908- Feb., 1925	1 item

Folder 3	Minute book	May, 1925- June, 1953	1 item
Folder 4	Minute book	July, 1953- April, 1964	1 item

### ***BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD***

MSS 76 ROCK Spring Missionary Baptist Church 1838-1964

Photocopy of minute books, 1838-83, 1908-25, 1925-53, 1953-64 (4) of the Rock Spring Missionary Baptist Church of Harreldsville, Butler County, Kentucky. Prior to 1844 the church was known as the United Baptist Church of Christ at Concord and was located near Quality in Butler County.

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### ***SUBJECT ANALYTICS***

Baptists – Butler County  
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