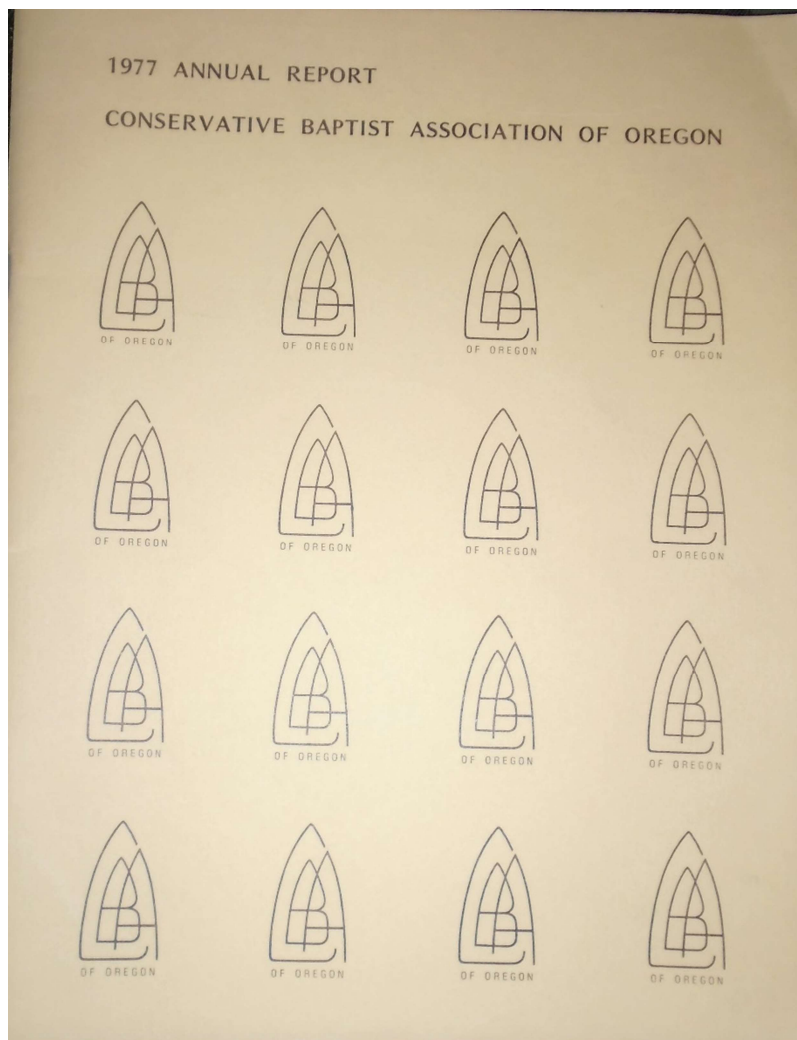


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Summary

Main Entry: Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon Collection

Date Span: 1949 – 2009

Abstract: Materials document the work and ministry of the Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon. The collection contains correspondence, reports, directories, and statistical data on the CBA of Oregon. The majority of materials in the collection cover the years 1963-1978. The majority of correspondence include letters to/from Richard V. Clearwaters.

Size: .5 linear ft. (1 document box)

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Historical Sketch

The Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon was organized in 1948, one year after the Conservative Baptist Association of America (CBAmerica) organized in Atlantic City, New Jersey. CBAmerica formed during the Fundamentalist-Modernist Controversy of the Northern Baptist Convention (NBC). In 1943 Conservative Baptists within the NBC formed the Conservative Baptist World Mission Society. In 1946, the NBC determined a competing missions organization could not exist within the organization. Conservative Baptists left and formed their new organization. The 1977 CBA of Oregon annual report listed church ministries, associational representatives, mission aid and pioneer pastors, ethnic ministries, and camping ministries as areas of focus for the Association. The 1977 CBA of Oregon annual reported 32,844 members in 11 associations, and 174 churches.

Scope and Content Note

The Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon Collection consists of 19 folders in one document box, spanning the years 1949-2009. The collection contains correspondence, reports, directories, and statistical data on the CBA of Oregon. The majority of materials in the collection cover the years 1963-1978. The majority of correspondence include letters to/from Richard V. Clearwaters. The collection includes one “dear friends” letter from Billy Graham. Reports include directors’ reports, reports to pastors, and reports on Christian education and church ministries.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged in alphabetical order.

Provenance

Gift from Albert W. Wardin, Jr., 2019.

Preferred Citation

Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon Collection, Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee.

Access Restrictions

None

Subject Terms

Clearwaters, Richard V.

Losie, Charles F.

Wardin, Albert W., Jr.

Baptists – Oregon

Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon

Northwest Conservative Baptist Association

Container List

Box 1

- 1.1 Annual Report, 1977
- 1.2 Brochure – Conservative Baptist Association of Oregon
- 1.3 Correspondence – Clearwaters, Richard V., 1949-1961
- 1.4 Correspondence – Clearwaters, Richard V. / Hinson Memorial Baptist Church, Portland, Oregon, 1954
- 1.5 Correspondence – Clearwaters, Richard V. / Pillsbury College, Owatonna, Minnesota, 1960
- 1.6 Correspondence – Clearwaters, Richard V. / Woodcrest Baptist Church, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 1961
- 1.7 Correspondence – Graham, Billy, 1952
- 1.8 Correspondence – Losie, Charles F., 1973-1974
- 1.9 Correspondence – Pearson, Arnold
- 1.10 Director of Church Ministries Report, November, 1977
- 1.11 Directors' Report, ca. 1977
- 1.12 Directories, 1963-1971
- 1.13 Directory – Northwest Conservative Baptist Association, 2009
- 1.14 General Director's Report, 1977-1978
- 1.15 Report of the Christian Education Director, 1977
- 1.16 Report to the Pastors, 1973
- 1.17 Report to the Pastors, 1974
- 1.18 Report to the Pastors, 1975-January, 1976
- 1.19 Statistical Report (compiled by Albert W. Wardin, Jr.), 1962