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May 23, 1961

Mr. Ronnie Gibson
187 S. Jefferson Avenue
Cookeville, Tennessee

Dear Ronnie,

We were all made to rejoice Sunday night at your decision to become a Christian. I am sure that you are already aware that it is and will continue to be the greatest decision in your life. The members of this congregation take this opportunity to warmly welcome you into our fellowship as a fellow worker and citizen in the Kingdom of God.

Enclosed you will find a baptismal certificate which gives the date and place of your baptism. This is simply a record of your action.

The Christian life is a life-long undertaking. It is a life of continual growth spiritually. I would suggest a few simple steps that will aid you in this growth. First, read and study the Bible everyday, II Timothy 2:15; second, Exercise your privilege as a Christian to pray, I Thessalonians 5:17; third, attend all the services of the Church, Hebrews 10:25. There are many other suggestions that you could be offered but these three are the foundation for your service to God. If I can be of help at any time and in any way, please feel free to call on me.

Your Brother in Christ,

John Allen Chalk

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Enclosure