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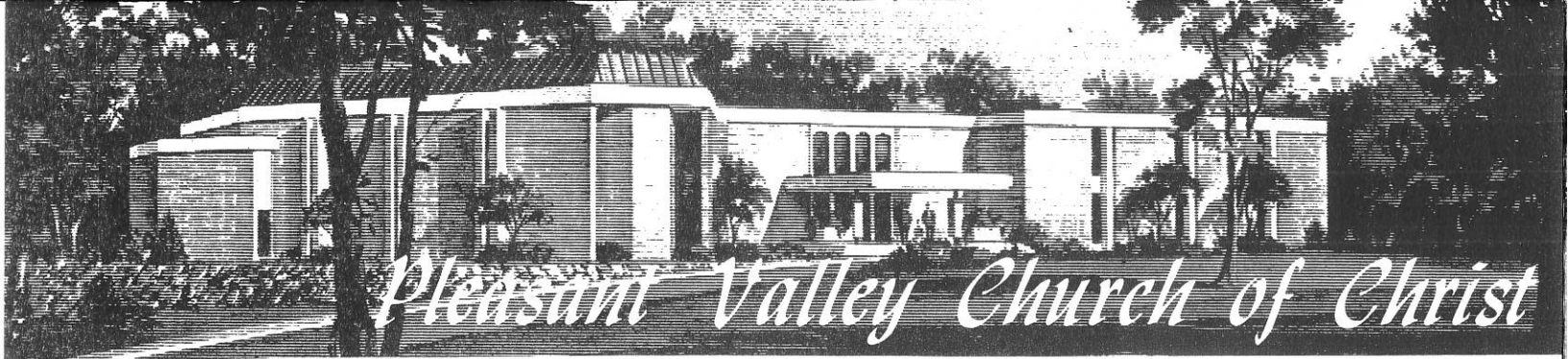
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April 16, 1971

Mr. John Allen Chalk
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Dear Brother Chalk:

Because of an accident, a car accident in which I hit a mule last September in Tennessee while engaged in a gospel meeting, I was unable, still being under doctor's care, to attend the preachers' workshop which was held in Abilene on January 11-13, 1971. I was truly interested in the workshop and my heart's desire was to attend, but there are some things in life to which we must adjust ourselves.

Since the preachers' workshop was conducted, I have read numerous articles about it. I read the article that Bro. Roy Lanier wrote in Christian Times and in almost every church bulletin I receive, if the preacher attended, he had something to say about the workshop. Also, several have told me personally about their impressions of the workshop and the material delivered during same. I wrote to Bro. J. D. Thomas earlier in the year and he answered me on February 19, 1971. I asked Bro. Thomas if it were possible for me to receive a copy of the paper that each one read and he said this was impossible because they would certainly be keeping their commitment about not publishing the workshop materials. However, knowing this almost to be the case, I also asked him for a copy of the names and addresses of those presenting the papers and he was very cordial in sending them to me.

If at all possible, I would like to receive a copy of the paper you read during the preachers' workshop. If you have, at your disposal, a copying machine I will be more than glad to reimburse you for any expense involved therein. Since I did not have the privilege of attending, and since I do believe in staying abreast of what is happening, I thought the next best thing for me to do was to write to see if I could secure a copy of the paper. I would appreciate this very much and certainly do hope you can comply with this request. If you cannot comply with this request, perhaps you have had your paper published in some brotherhood magazine and if so, I would appreciate very much receiving the title and the date of that publication.

Let me thank you now for your kind cooperation in this matter, and whether

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you can fulfill the request or not, I would deeply appreciate receiving some word from you. God bless you both now and forever.

Gratefully yours,

Goebel Music (not signed due to being out of office)

GM/cw

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