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**Martha Fletcher Named Executive Assistant to FWBBC President**

NASHVILLE, TN—Mrs. Martha Fletcher, a 1978 Free Will Baptist Bible College graduate, has been named executive assistant to the president and begins her new duties January 2, 2009. She succeeds Melissa Lewis who resigned in the spring of 2008 after serving eight years at the college.

President Pinson said, “Mrs. Fletcher will begin initially in a dual role, as executive assistant to the president and as relocation assistant. In addition to working closely with the President’s Office, she will assist with various aspects of relocation, including giving assistance to Bob Bass (relocation project consultant) and to FWBBC fundraisers Melvin Worthington and Bill Evans as they interact with donors regarding funds for the Gallatin land and ongoing relocation effort.”

For the past nine years, Mrs. Fletcher has worked as front desk coordinator at Nashville Vision Associates, serving as liaison between patients, doctors, insurance groups, and more. This will be her second employment at FWBBC, having served as women’s dormitory supervisor 1975-1978.

Martha was converted at age nine at youth camp. A member of Cross Timbers Free Will Baptist Church in Nashville 34 years, she served seven years as church secretary. She logged more than 30 years as Junior Sunday School Class teacher. She also served as Vacation Bible School director and chaired the church’s Christian Education Board. Her brother, John Carter, chairs the General Education Department at FWBBC.

Mrs. Fletcher said, “I love Free Will Baptist Bible College, have long-term connections with the school, and feel that I’ve come full circle. Since my best skills are in the area of organization, that’s where I hope to make a difference. I see my first duty as keeping the President’s Office organized so he can be successful and accomplish his goals for the college.

I look forward to helping the school transition to a new campus through fundraising efforts, special events, and whatever else needs to be done to make the dream of a new campus a reality.”

The mother of three grown children (Bethany, Mary Beth, and Nathan), Martha enjoys mowing her four-acre yard, sewing, and cooking. She likes lighthouses and collects tea cups.