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Hillsdale College to Host 2011 Theological Symposium

NASHVILLE, TN—The 2011 Theological Symposium will meet October 17-18 on the campus of Hillsdale Free Will Baptist College in Moore, Oklahoma. The symposium begins at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, October 17, and will end at 9:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 18.

The symposium will be a time for presentation of papers and lively discussion of important issues facing the church today. This year's program features nine papers, four of which focus on specific areas of Jonathan Edwards's theology: sin and depravity, atonement and justification, perseverance, and divine foreknowledge and human freedom. The Commission plans to publish the papers in a book.

For more information on the symposium, contact Leroy Forlines (leroyf@fwbbc.edu) or Matt Pinson (president@fwbbc.edu).

The symposium is an annual event sponsored by the Commission for Theological Integrity of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.

Theological Symposium Presenters and Papers

Matthew Bracey: "Christianity and the Philosophical and Religious Influences on America's Founding"

Timothy Eaton: "The Rise of Spirituality and Christian Higher Education"

Leroy Forlines: "Let's Preach the Essentials of the Gospel"

Paul Harrison: "Sin and Depravity in the Theology of Jonathan Edwards"

Kevin Hester: "The Atonement and Justification in Jonathan Edwards's Theology"

Ryan Johnston: "Church Growth and the Sufficiency of Scripture"

Matthew McAfee: "Jonathan Edwards's Doctrine of Perseverance"

Robert Picirilli: "Divine Foreknowledge and Human Freedom in the Thought of Jonathan Edwards"

Matthew Pinson: "Musings on Church Elders"