



# Christian Crusade

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Dear r. Schoener,

I have exciting news for you. We are expecting 500 pastors and evangelists to attend our Third Annual Preachers' Convention May 12-15 here in Tulsa, for training in anti-communist leadership. NO SINGLE EVENT PLANNED IN AMERICA THIS YEAR WILL HAVE A MORE FAR-REACHING INFLUENCE ON THE FUTURE OF OUR COUNTRY THAN THIS.

Imagine the possibilities! If we can motivate these men and send them back to their communities, armed with facts about the Communist conspiracy and trained for leadership "for Christ, against communism", their influence will be multiplied thousands of times THIS YEAR. (SEE THE THRILLING TESTIMONY FROM PASTOR RAY BATEMA ON THE ENCLOSURE.)

Paul says in Romans 10:15: "How shall they preach, except they be sent"? Shall we accept this divine challenge?

We will give the preachers free rooms in a local hotel, three meals daily and a 25-book library to take home with them, if they mean business. . . if they really want their lives to count for God and country. It takes \$100 per preacher to underwrite this effort---500 preachers at \$100 is \$50,000.

Requests from preachers are pouring in. I can only accept them as I hear from my friends and receive contributions to underwrite it. Can you give five scholarships . . . two . . . one? I know each of us can contribute at least a part of a scholarship. Shall I say "y<sup>e</sup>s" or "no" to them, r. Schoener?

It all depends upon you. Don't delay. I can only say "yes" as the contributions arrive from concerned friends. Write me today . . . for our children's sake, please write me today. I am,

Yours in Christ,  
*Billy James Hargis*

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