President’s Note

In the life and ministry of the Apostle Paul there was a great variety of men and women that God brought to him as co-laborers. Some of these associations were life long, while others were for shorter periods of time for specific ministry needs. All of them were the outworkings of God’s providential direction and care for the lives of Paul and each of these fellow believers. It is not unlike Mordecai’s perspective on Esther's rise to power in Persia, "... and who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?" (Esther 4:17)

The ministry of Dr. Wayne Knife at Calvary Baptist Theological Seminary parallels these Biblical examples. When Dr. Knife was directed by God’s Spirit to join our ministry team as a professor and then as Dean, it became evident to all that God was using his unique gifts to edify the lives of the students and his co-laborers in the seminary and church. It was in no one’s plans except the Lord’s, that he would be entrusted with a debilitating disease, altering his abilities for continued ministry.

The administration, faculty, alumni, and student body of the seminary greatly appreciate the opportunity God has afforded them to share in the ministry of Dr. and Mrs. Knife. Their personal and professional contributions to the ministry will be permanently valued. Personal inquiries concerning the future plans of Dr. and Mrs. Knife or the ongoing program of the seminary can be directed to Dr. Warren Vanhetloo, acting dean for the 1990-91 academic year, or to Mr. Robert Stitzinger, Registrar.

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