

BERRY'S CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST

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RE: Jerrie W. Barber

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

We would like to recommend Brother Jerrie Barber to you. He has faithfully served the Berry's Chapel Church of Christ as our pulpit preacher since June 1, 1993. It is with much sadness for us that Jerrie will be retiring from our pulpit on April 1, 2007; however, he will be pursuing a dream that he has shared with us for the last eleven (11) years.

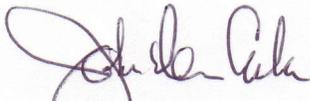
Jerrie Barber has a strong desire to now serve congregations of the Lord's Church as an Interim Minister. He will be helping congregations that have experienced the loss of a long-time minister, congregations that are struggling in conflict, or are dealing with a myriad of other issues. Jerrie has trained extensively with professionals in the field of Interim Ministry and has a wealth of knowledge and wisdom to share with the congregations he will serve. He has spoken on Interim Ministry at many lectureships and is widely recognized as a leader in this area of ministry.

He has a sound understanding of the scriptures and is not "swayed" by the winds of change that have engulfed some in the brotherhood. He, along with his wife, Gail, make an excellent team providing assistance to both men and women of the Church.

During the last few years, he has provided his services in conflict resolution to many individuals, congregations and groups that are in need of his expertise. With his "non-anxious presence" and style of delivery, he puts individuals and groups at ease. It is Jerrie's style to lead you "through the process" and assist you in taking "ownership of the results."

We are confident that Jerrie will be a blessing to you as he has been to the congregation at Berry's Chapel.

In His Service,



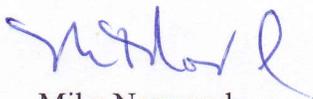
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