

## A Message from the President's Desk

I greet you, my Brothers and Sisters, in the name of our risen and exalted Savior and Lord, Jesus the Christ.

The Mid Winter Board Meeting, in February, exceeded my expectations. There was great participation and fellowship. I thank and praise our Lord for those of you who made the trek to Reading. The transformation begins...

As you know, we are now just a few weeks away from the first Mid Year Session, of this administration, which will take place in Washington, PA. Our Logistics person, Sis. Kim Fleming, has been in constant touch with the Western Regional VP, Dr. Richard Wingfield, and the host Pastor, Dr. Richard White. I have been assured that all things are in order. By now, you should have made your reservations at the host hotel, the Hampton Inn. Information is posted on our website: thepbsc.org. We have much work to do...the transformation continues...

As I bring this message to a close, please allow me to once again say thank you, to everyone for your support. From the election back in October, the Installation Service in November, to the Mid Winter Board Meeting in February, your prayers and words of encouragement have been my source of inspiration and determination to lead us through transformation.

Despite any differences that existed before the election, I still believe that, that which unites us (the blood of Jesus) is far greater than anything that would divide us. We are the **Pennsylvania Baptist State Convention**. Whether National, Southern, American, Full Gospel, Lott Carey, Progressive, or Primitive Baptist, (just to name a few) there is room at the Lord's table for us all.

Thank you, again, for your support and I look forward to seeing you at the Mid Year Session in Washington, PA.

Shalom,

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"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is —his good, pleasing and perfect will."

—-*Romans 12:2 (NIV)* 

Transformational Leadership for a Transformational Convention