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## DBS at Grayling, Michigan, July 22-23, 1998

### Missing Dr. Dennis

Before talking about anything else, we would like to inform our Dean Burgon Society Family of the "Homegoing" of Dr. Russell Dennis. Dr. Dennis was a valued member of our DBS Advisory Council and for many years the President of the Heritage Baptist University in Greenwood, Indiana. Russell Dennis, Jr. has been appointed President of the school in his father's place. Please continue to pray for Mrs. Dennis, the family, and this fine school. We will all greatly miss this dear man of God!

### Meeting Location

We want as many of you as can to attend our 20th Annual Meeting of the Dean Burgon Society. It will be held at **Calvary Baptist Church in Grayling, Michigan**. The church is located at 6504 West Kalkaska Road, Grayling, MI. Phone Pastor Barnett for more details at 517-348-2264. Meetings are Wednesday and Thursday, July 22-23, 1998. The Executive Committee meets at 9-12 a.m. on Wednesday. The DBS Women meet Wednesday, 10-12 noon.

### D.B.S. Women

This year the **Dean Burgon Women** will be meeting Wednesday, July 22, 1998 from 10 to 12 noon. All ladies are welcome. Here is the basic program:

"Welcome" . . . . . Mrs. Barnett  
"Student Essay Contest" . . . Mrs. Reno  
"KJB Influence in Life" . . Mrs. Cassidy  
"Testimony" . . . Mrs. M. J. Hollowood  
"KJ-21 Impressions" . Mrs. D. A. Waite  
Invite your ladies to come to the meeting.

### 1998 Program

#### Wednesday, July 22, 1998

- 8-9 a.m. Breakfast at the church  
9-12 a.m. DBS EXEC. COMMITTEE  
10-12 a.m. DBS WOMEN'S MEETING  
12-1:15 p.m. LUNCH at the church  
1:30-1:55 p.m. Dr. Thomas Cassidy (CA)  
*"Textual Position of Dean Burgon"*  
2-2:50 p.m. Dr. M. J. Hollowood (WI)  
*"The Precious Blood of Christ"*  
3-3:25 p.m. TESTIMONIES  
3:30-4:20 p.m. Mr. John Krinke (IN)  
*"Faith vs. No Faith--God & Man"*  
4:30-4:55 p.m. Pastor Bill Hendricks (IL)  
*"From Imagination to Reality"*  
5-6:15 p.m. SUPPER at the church  
6:30-6:55 p.m. Questions & Answers  
7-7:50 p.m. Dr. Gary Lamore (CAN)  
*"How Should We Translate?"*  
8-8:25 p.m. Dr. Edward DeWitt (IL)  
*"What Happened to the 380?"*  
8:30-8:55 p.m. Dr. Don Jasmin (MD)  
*"Illustrations on Bible Text Issue"*

#### Thursday, July 23, 1998

- 8-9 a.m. Breakfast at the church  
9-9:25 a.m. Mr. Harvey Bieber (IL)  
*"Christ's Deity & the NIV"*  
9:30-10:20 a.m. Dr. Bob Barnett (MI)  
*"Preaching on Problem Passages"*  
10:30-10:55 a.m. TESTIMONIES  
11-11:50 a.m. Dr. Kirk DiVietro (MA)  
*"Westcott & Hort Greek Changes"*  
12-1:15 p.m. LUNCH at the church  
1:30-1:55 p.m. Pastor Tim Spitzbergen  
*"Translation 'Errors' & Detroit Sem."*  
2-2:50 p.m. Dr. Bob Steward (IL)  
*"Autographs/Apographs/Translation"*  
3-3:25 p.m. TESTIMONIES

- 3:30-3:55 p.m. Dr. Gary E. LaMore (CAN)  
*"How Should We Translate?"*  
4:00-4:50 p.m. Dr. Clinton Branine (IN)  
*"Dispelling the Myths"*  
5-6:15 p.m. SUPPER at church  
6:30-6:55 p.m. Pastor Paul Reno (MD)  
*"Effects of Courage vs. Compromise"*  
7-7:50 p.m. Dr. James Sightler (SC)  
*"Politics & the E.R.V. of 1881"*  
8-8:50 p.m. Dr. D. A. Waite (NJ)  
*"The Causes of Textual Corruption"*

### 16 Speakers

As you can see from the 1998 program, we have 16 speakers for this year's 20th Annual DBS meeting. I look forward to hearing from these servants of the Lord as they speak "IN DEFENSE OF TRADITIONAL BIBLE TEXTS." Some themes are very technical and others of a more general nature, but ALL are necessary for a well-rounded emphasis.

### Thanks, VP Barnett

I wish to thank Dr. Bob Barnett once again this year for contacting all of our Executive Committee and Advisory Council men to get the titles of their messages. This took much work, and often repeated calls to these men before he could get an answer. He has done a good job as he always does and I thank him for all of us.

### Audios & Videos

As in other years, Mrs. Waite and her helpers will make VIDEO recordings of all of the messages. You will want to get your order in EARLY, even before the meetings to be avoid delay. We always have good messages from our men!

THE DEAN BURGON SOCIETY, INC., proudly takes its name in honor of John William Burgon (1813-1888), the Dean of Chichester in England, whose tireless and accurate scholarship and contribution in the area of New Testament Textual Criticism; whose defense of the Traditional Greek New Testament Text against its many enemies; and whose firm belief in the verbal

## DBS New Books

The DBS has been reprinting many of Dean Burgon's books these past few years. You should get all of them for your study and use in the issues of Bible Translation today. Here are the titles and prices: (1) *The Last Twelve Verses of Mark* (#1139 @

instead of about 9 point type. It will also contain a complete index of words and phrases as well as a complete Scripture index. It can be ordered as #595 @ \$4+\$2 S&H. Recently I read an article praising the **ORTHODOXY** of Bishop Westcott. This article was written by a professing fundamental Baptist leader. How wrong

in on this, you will have to act **FAST**. You may use your credit card and call **1-800-JOHN 10:9** to place your pre-publication order.

## Message Book '98

Lord willing, we will be compiling all of the messages that are given to us at the

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## One More Book

There is yet one more book by Dean Burgon that might be published by the Dean Burgon Society. It is entitled, *Inspiration and Interpretation*. Dean Burgon held clearly to the verbal plenary inspiration of the Bible and defended it against all error, even within his own church. Should the DBS reprint this volume, you will want to add it to the other four of Dean Burgon's books on the Bible.

## New Edition of Heresies

There will be coming off the press shortly a new edition of *The Theological Heresies of Westcott and Hort* by DAW. It will be a little larger print (10 point

is this assessment! Bishop Westcott as well as Professor Hort were masters of "double-speak." They had the facility of making evil look like good. Get his new edition when it comes out. You can use it effectively with those who are deceived about Westcott and Hort's theological beliefs.

## The Defined KJB

Some of our DBS Executive Committee and Advisory Council members have been working for many months on *The Defined King James Bible* in which the uncommon words are defined in the footnotes. It will be published by the BFT Press. Until December 15, 1998, there is a Pre-Publication offer for this Bible for only **\$35 post paid for one copy**. It is large print, genuine leather, 3/4 inch margins, easy on the eyes and certainly a bargain for that price. It will be arriving around the first week of December, 1998. **For a case of 12 copies, the price comes down to only \$28 each + S&H.** Almost 1,500 of the 3,000 printed have already been sold. If you want to get

1998 DBS meeting into one large **DBS Message Book** which will be available as the other five or six have been each year for several years. This would enable you to capture the exact words used in the messages so you could study more on the subject at your leisure. You will have access to the videos, the audios, and also the Message Book.

## Pray for DBS

Those who know the Lord Jesus Christ as your Savior are urged to continue to intercede for our Dean Burgon Society. We have been in existence for 20 years now, and are entering our 21st year. That is the year of maturity is it not? May God give us the wisdom to continue to serve His cause in the defense and propagation of His Word in the King James Bible and its underlying Hebrew Masoretic and Greek Received texts. As Psalm 127:1 says:

*"Except the LORD build the house, they labour in vain that build it: except the LORD keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain."* **May our Lord keep us!**

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