

O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out!

—Romans 11:33

OUR PRESIDENT

On March 14, 2009, Rev. Jack Finch was appointed by the Board of Directors to lead the college forward. He holds degrees from Marshall University,



Luther Rice Seminary (NC), Bethany Bible College, University of Rio Grande, and Ohio University Athens with plans in progress for entrance into Luther Rice Seminary's D. Min. Program. He served thirty-eight years in secondary and vocational education, served as the Rio Grande University Alumni Board President, is currently a Rio Grande University Trustee Board Member, served as an adjunct faculty member at Tri-State Bible College, is an ordained minister, and a former pastor. With his educational experience and love for the Lord, Rev. Finch is well qualified to lead Tri-State Bible College into the future.



CIA

In March, 1999, the college received the **Certificate of Institutional Authorization** from the **Ohio Board of Regents** to grant degrees. The college now grants the Bachelor of Arts in Bible/Theology and the Associate of Arts degrees.

Tri-State Bible College does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, sex, nationality, handicap, or ethnic origin.

ABHE

On February 20, 2004, **The Association for Biblical Higher Education** granted Tri-State Bible College "Accreditation" after the institution successfully satisfied all requirements. It is the culmination of nine years of dedication by our faculty and staff. This achievement allows our graduates to pursue advanced degrees at the seminary level.

ECFA

At TSBC we believe in sound financial stewardship. That's why we are a member of the **Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability**. As a student or financial supporter of the college, you can rest assured that your finances are being handled in a manner that glorifies the Lord and promotes financial stability for the school.



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"TRAINING FAITHFUL SERVANTS FOR TOMORROW - TODAY"

"What is Tri-State Bible College?"



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"WE'RE GLAD YOU ASKED!"

To put it simply, Tri-State Bible College is the area's "best kept secret."

Founded in 1970 by the late Walter E. Staten, the college is nestled in the foothills of Southern Ohio. The mission



of the school is to train the men and women

of the Appalachia area in the truths of God's word and to equip them for daily living. At TSBC, the lives of students are challenged as they are provided with the training and tools that will enrich their individual ministries in the local churches.

THE CHALLENGE

... is to provide professional, college-level training for Christian workers within local churches. Early in our history, representatives of supporting churches became Board members of TSBC. This gave the school a direct relationship with

the local churches which is a relationship that continues to this very day.



The Tri-State Bible College opened its doors for the first time to students desirous to study the Scriptures on August 28, 1970. The initial enrollment of fifty-five students exceeded expectations. A small 26 foot square building was given to a supporting church in South Point, Ohio. This building was remodeled to contain two offices, two rest rooms, a bookstore, and a single classroom. It was used by the college until the spring of 1974.



During the summer of 1974, it became necessary for the college to purchase its own facilities. The school moved to its current location during the Christmas holidays of the same year. A large house provided room enough for three classrooms, a library, offices, a



bookstore, and came with its very own kitchen! In 1975, a large 36' x 80' classroom building was

erected. This structure now houses our 15,000 volume library which will eventually contain 20,000 books. This is a much needed facility when you consider that over 1600 students have already passed through the doors of Tri-State Bible College. We expect that many more students will do the same as Christians recognize the need for a quality based Bible education.

THE GOAL



... is to raise the awareness of Tri-State Bible College's presence, scope, and depth of ministry in the local region. How we do this is by sharing our ministry with people just like you who desire to know the Lord in a deeper more meaningful way. If you desire to search the riches of God's word, then Tri-State Bible College is for you!

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