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Dear Wayne,

You will find enclosed three student applications for WTS membership, as follows:

- (1) Michael A. Belt, 10 Broadhurst Manor, Wilmore, Ky. 40390
- (2) Bob Nelsen, 614 Seattle Drive, Lexington, Ky. 40503
- (3) Steven Mark Purdy, SPO 566, Wilmore, Ky. 40390

All three of these men bought a set of the WTS Journals, so Michael A. Belt's and Steve Purdy's checks are for \$3.00, since they are entitled to the current issue of the Journal. Bob Nelsen also bought a set, and I will refund \$1.00 out of my WTS Petty Cash fund. I forget to tell him about it when he asked about student membership.

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate your sharing with me some information about your Wesleyan Arminian Beliefs class and its requirements. It is good to know that a course like that is offered to college students. But for a school in the holiness tradition, that course should be a "natural." The book by Greathouse and Dunning, Introduction to Wesleyan Theology, is a good one. Did you read my review of it in the WTS Journal? Alex R.G. Deasley asked me to do so at the Annual Conference in Colorado Springs. I was puzzled by the fact that they (Greathouse and Dunning) had not quoted from the Nazarene Manual on the doctrine of Entire Sanctification when they had done so in their treatment of most of the other doctrines discussed in the book. My surmial is that they are squeemish about using the term, "Baptism with the Holy Spirit," in regard to a second work of grace -- though I may be wrong. It is all the more puzzling when the content of their chapter on that doctrine appears to be fully in harmony with the Manual, apart from the use of "Baptism with the Holy Spirit."

I'm feeling well now, though my feet is still healing. My struggle is to catch up with my work, i.e., getting the grades in for my January Interterm class. There were 43 in the class, and getting around their written assignments, etc., after I had missed the first two weeks of the Spring Semester has been a struggle. But I'm making progress, and hope to be on top in a short while.

Cordially, your friend in HIM,

Bill

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