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**Sardis Missionary Baptist Church**, County Road 133, Iuka, Mississippi  
Directions: Located at the end of Mt. Gilead Road near TTW

*The following information was obtained from the minute books of the Sardis Primitive Baptist Church for the year of 1892 on pages 53 and 54.*

The Sardis Church met in conference on the Saturday before the first Sunday in June 1892. Prayer was led by Elder J. C. Reed and business proceedings began.

First: Called for the peace of the church. All in peace.

Second: Invited visiting brethren and sisters to seats with us.

Third: Called for reference. No reference.

Fourth: Proclaimed the doors of the church open for the reception of members. None received.

Fifth: By request of the brethren and sisters around Berea Church that want letters of dismissal for the purpose of constituting a church at Berea. The names that requested letters for that purpose are: J. G. Stepp, Milton Hardwick and wife, J. R. Streetman and wife, and F. E. Holder and M. F. Holder.

Sixth: Moved and seconded that the church grant letters of dismissal. Vote taken and letters granted.

Seventh: Closed in peace.

Elder J. C. Reed  
Moderator

J. A. Carter  
Church Clerk