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**VIA EMAIL ADDRESS: [kroach@wbs.edu](mailto:kroach@wbs.edu)**

Ken Roach  
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Re: Woodville Methodist Church

Dear Mr. Roach:

Pursuant to my conversation with Elijah Friedeman yesterday, the following is information about the Woodville Methodist Church.

1. The Woodville Methodist Church is a global Methodist church located in Wilkinson County, Mississippi, approximately 35 miles South of Natchez and approximately 50 miles North of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, in extreme Southwest Mississippi. We worship in the oldest Methodist structure in the State of Mississippi (built 1824).
2. At present we have somewhere between 35 to 45 people attending Sunday morning service, which is down significantly since prior Covid years.
3. We would entertain the idea of a new seminary graduate or seminary student presently in school.
4. We have a 3 bedroom, 2 bath parsonage updated and remodeled in the last 5 years.
5. Our budget has been in recent years somewhere around \$150,000.00 to \$160,000.00 per year.
6. Salary package will be negotiable. At present we have a salary package between \$59,000.00 - \$65,000.00. However, considering insurance, retirement, etc. this is certainly negotiable.
7. We provide tuition payment for a Pastor's children to attend the local private school (Wilkinson County Christian Academy).

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If you have any questions about this, please let me know. If further information is needed, please let me know and we will attempt to provide the same.

My phone numbers for contact are as follows, 601-888-3102 (office), 601-807-9533 (cell) or 601-888-3977 (home).

Thank you for your assistance in locating a Pastor.

Yours very truly,



Shep Crawford

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