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Dates (Bulk): 1950-2010

Location: Center for Restoration Studies

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Scope and Content Note: Twenty-three boxes of materials including research files, pamphlets,

Sunday School teaching items, and church bulletins.

**Biographical Note:** Howard Samuel Swann was born April 3, 1923 in Georgia. He attended Freed-Hardeman College and spent his life serving in Churches of Christ congregations in Georgia. Swann and his wife, Mary Alice Hartsfield Swann, had two daughters. The couple moved to Tennessee in 1996. Howard began working at Woodbury Church of Christ and did additional congregational ministry in southeastern Tennessee. Howard Samuel Swann died on January 22, 2013.

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Florida -- Pensacola -- Bellview

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Georgia -- Lagrange

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Georgia -- Marietta -- Piedmont Road

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Mississippi -- New Albany

Mississippi -- Steens

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Africa Slides, January 1973, 5 folders

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Allenhurst (September 13-17 1998)

Allenhurst Meeting

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Angels, A Study on

Asia, Sermons on Churches

Atlanta Christian Schools

Attitudes Determine Our Altitude

#### Box 2

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Baptism, Baptist Preachers on

Baptisms 1964

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Benevolence

Benevolence, Sermons on

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Budget for Dallas Church

Build, Let us Build for the Future

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Byron, June 22, 1991; A Very Special Day

Children's Worship Debate

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Christian Doctrine Instructor: Maurice Lusk III

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A Christian Stimulant

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Christmas

Christ's Cry from the Depth of Sorrow

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Church History from 6th-9th Century

Church Music: Vocal or Instrumentals

The Church of my Dreams

What Does it Take to Make A Strong Church

Cloower, Brother Carl

Cochran Church

Cochran Meeting- Come Home my Children Come Home!

Cochran Meeting; Feb 1990

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Congregational Meeting, Jan. 11, 1987

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Death, Christ's; On What Day did Christ Die?

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Development of the Doctrine of Predestination

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Earth, Peace, Good Will Toward Men

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Elders

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Georgia Mission Work; Adel, GA

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Hazlehurst Vacation Bible School 1989

**Heart Communing** 

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Hebrews, Study Notes on

Highland Elders Statement Concerning "Herald of Truth"

History of Dallas Churches

History of Newman Work

History of Newman Work

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Holy Spirit, A Study of

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Holy Spirit and Word of God; Sermon

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Kingdom Values

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Religious Conditions in Colonial America

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Sad But True Story, A

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Sermon Outlines

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Telephone Survey Tips

Tests on Galatians

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I & II Timothy 2:8, A Study of

Tom Boyette Fund (1984)

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#### **Box 17**

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What Moved Paul

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