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Dear Bro. _____

Thank you for your letter; it was good to see you the other day and I am glad God is blessing your church. I am typing this letter myself so please excuse the mistakes.

Now let me briefly answer your questions:

1. Yes, I do believe Dr. Jack Hyles has done wrong, has sinned, and there has been a cover-up. I have recently been given some information that proves his wrong doing and sin. One of his own children has stated all of it is true. I have been told his wife has said it is true also. Financial improprieties? Yes. Immorality? Yes

2. No, I will not ask him to resign from the Sword Board. I believe it is a local church issue and evidently First Baptist Church has decided not to discipline Dr. Hyles. Dr. Hyles has told me he has confessed his sin and wrong doing, he is now right with God, and feels his resignation or public apology would do more harm than good for Fundamentalism, young preachers, and churches across America. We here at the Sword concur with him. Am I a part of the cover-up, you will have to answer that question.

3. Yes, I do believe that all the good Dr. Jack Hyles and Dave Hyles have done does indeed out-weigh their wrong. I believe they have many rewards waiting for them in Heaven.

4. My fellowship with Bill Rice, Voegtlin, Handford, Lee, Nelson Van Impe, Kelly, and others has been strained and even broken. I believe they have done much more harm to Fundamentalism and this ministry than Hyles. They have sinned just as much, if not more, as Dr. Jack Hyles. No, I will not preach with them or for them and I will not have them preach for me. Yes, I will have Dr. Hyles preach for me...

5. Yes, Dr. Roberson knows of Hyles' sin; I have talked to him about it.

6. Yes, I have been asked to resign. No, I will not.