

THE JOURNEY OF A DOLLAR THROUGH THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM







- Other Ministries

45¢

SIX SEMINARIES





Our Nation



- Baptist Messenger
- BCM
- Church Relations & Resources
- CrossTimbers
- Disaster Relief
- Falls Creek

OKLAHOMA®
BAPTISTS

- GoStudents
- Haskins School
- Next Generation

15¢

OKLAHOMA BAPTISTS AFFILIATES

- Baptist Village Communities
- OK Baptist Homes for Children
- OK Baptist University
- WatersEdge

GIVING THROUGH THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM IS THE ONE THING WE CAN ALL DO THAT IMPACTS EVERYTHING WE DO!

How does it work?

It all starts with your tithes and offerings given through your church. Let's say, for example, that a church designates 10 percent of the general offerings received toward the Cooperative Program (CP). That means when an individual in that congregation gives \$10 in the offering, then \$1 is sent through the CP to reach the world.

Here's the amazing journey of that dollar bill:

The first **45 cents** of that dollar remain in Oklahoma for vital state ministries. No doubt you or someone you know has been to Falls Creek or CrossTimbers. Your CP giving is at work through the programs offered at these camps. There are Baptist Collegiate Ministries on 40 campuses in our state that are supported by the CP. If you have seen Oklahoma Baptist Disaster Relief in action after a crisis, you can know your CP giving helped provided for the leadership and coordination of the response. And this is only a small sample of

the ministries in our state that you support through the CP. There are many valuable ministries to children, youth, adults of all ages as well as church planting, pastor equipping and more!

Another **15 cents** is distributed to our state affiliates. The important ministries of Oklahoma Baptist University, Oklahoma Baptist Homes for Children, Baptist Village Communities, and WatersEdge are all undergirded through your CP giving.

And your CP dollar doesn't stay in the state, Oklahoma Baptists send the remaining 40 cents to the Southern Baptist Convention (SBC). Other SBC state conventions have similar allocations. Money from Oklahoma is combined with gifts from churches across the SBC.

The SBC sends **20 cents** of that 40 cents to the International Mission Board, and about **9 cents** to

the North American Mission Board. About **9 cents** are divided out to our six SBC seminaries and the remaining few cents are allocated to other SBC ministries, including the SBC Annual Meeting.

Because of your faithful obedience in giving through your church, the CP provides more than \$450 million each year for missions and ministries.

Thank you for giving through the Cooperative Program!





For more information about the Cooperative Program, visit **OklahomaBaptists.org/CP**