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ABSTRACT

The rancour and ineffectiveness of the Royal Ambassadors Organization is admitted by all. While some churches ban the group, others prefer not to have any and many are battling to keep the Organization.

Some have concluded that the Organization is not needed. They declare it as a repetition and they are contented to have other Organizations like Boy Scouts for their boys.

My long stay with the Royal Ambassadors increased my desire to search for what is wrong with the Organization and what may be done to improve such an Organization formed and dedicated to the Baptist Denomination. A look was taken into the historical aspect of the Organization. It was discovered that the aims and objectives of the originators were superb. A standard form of setting up the Organization was set down. For one reason or the other, we in Nigeria missed the steps and so what we have does not meet the standard. To reach the standard, we have to be back to the basics.

This work is set up to help the Churches reform their Royal Ambassadors Organization and assist those who desire to set up one avoid the pit-falls of the past. The Royal Ambassadors Organization is presented to the individuals so that as parents they can know what goes on in the Royal Ambassadors and offer the much needed help. As Church members, they will know how to decide and what they are deciding about the Organization.

On the whole, it will be clear that all Baptist Churches need Royal Ambassadors Organization and can have one that will aid Church growth. Mission is the main

emphasis of the Royal Ambassadors. The Royal Ambassadors therefore changes the Church to practicalise the “catch them young” philosophy.