

THE URANTIA BOOK  
FELLOWSHIP  
Cultivating The Spirit of Religion



✧ MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT ✧  
2010

Membership would like to thank: Robert Bruyn, Dale Szejnberg, Tom Allen and Karen Larson for all their years of service to the Membership Committee, and be assured they did indeed serve long and faithfully. They retire, in order to allow others, the golden opportunity to serve.

**Membership Committee Members:**

Bob Buselli (6), Andrea Barns (5), David Tucker (4), Lenny Cowles (3), and Tom Pirie (2). Additionally serving as ad-hoc members are Robert Burns & Charlene Morrow.

**Societies:** This past August we initiated the Society Liaison program. Utilizing 6 committee members, to Liaison with 3 Societies each, 3 times a year. The purpose is to maintain a solid relationship between the Committee & Societies, reinforcing a general dialogue within the Fellowship to help keep information flowing. In addition, this program is designed to help accurately maintain the records of Society Officers and Census Data.

**Members-At-Large (MAL):** We have added 12 Readers to our Fellowship Roster:

Daniel Deocareza of Dubai  
David Liddell of Cleveland, OH  
Verona & Darrell Ellis, Navarre, FL  
Bill & Share Beasley of Brando, FL  
David Tucker of Cypress, CA

Pamela Chaddock of Talent, OR  
Andrea Koller of Murrieta, CA  
Michael Gillespie of Maxwell, IA  
Joseph Lartey of the Bronx in New York  
Tigran Aivazian of Stanmore, Middx, UK

**Affiliate Organizations:** No report

**TDA:** Due to miscommunications, the TDA did not convene this past summer. Plans are currently being favorably discussed to re-convene during IC'11.

**Database Audit:** This past summer we accepted a mission to call everyone in the Fellowship database just to say hello. This then evolved into an audit of our FMS database. With committee members acting as team leaders, volunteers will be auditing 4,672 out of almost 10,000 records. (4,672 represents the records in the US & Canada having telephone numbers.)

The Audit has begun and currently we have distributed approx. 500 names, and have completed \_\_\_\_.

In addition, we are assembling a 2<sup>nd</sup> Milers Missions. These folks are tasked with following through on calls to Urantians, whom the auditors identified as needing just "a little more".

**Special Events:** In joint participation with Outreach & Educations, Membership is organizing a task force representative of the best ideas available for assisting Local Societies in reinvigorating their membership to inspire local activity and growth in readership and study groups. Our first project will be Connecticut.

*As an endnote*, Membership is looking for more help, volunteers to help organize existing areas where large numbers of devoted Urantia Book readers reside, but have yet to form a Local Society. We need your help, please step-up and speak-out if you can assist us in this important task. Organized Societies help stimulate the growth of Study Groups and more Study Groups means more opportunities to introduce the Urantia Book to our spiritually hungry brothers & sisters. You are the Fellowship, to succeed in this work, your leadership is needed.

Thank You,



Lenny Cowles  
On behalf of the Membership Committee  
Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 2010