

I appreciated your comments HOMES FOR THE HOMELESS. However, I am still not satisfied as to how we are to know where such homes are conducted, unless we have a HOME FINDING DEPARTMENT that is operated by the Conference, and a list of these homes are given to the churches. I know of a lady from St. Paul who died leaving a threeyear old boy without a home. Efforts were made to find a home in the Chicago area. And out of the 30 churches in the Chicago area, no home could be found for this boy. Another case, was in Battle Creek. A father lost his wife, and not a single home was offered to this man in Battle Creek for the 3 homeless children. The Welfare took them and placed them in unbelievers homes. Another lady in Calif. needed a home for her homeless child. She wrote to all 48 states in the USA to locate an Adventist orphan home, but not a single one was listed. Scores of other denominations were listed - also the name of their church, but no SDA Foster Home or Child Care Home was listed. So she went to The General Conference in Wash. D.C. to find a home for her homeless child while she was working, but found none. The mother and daughter lived in a garage until they got on their feet. Volume 6, 286 says: "The institutions that have been established by our people to care for orphans and the infirm and aged among us, should be sustained. Let not these be left to languish and bring a reproach upon the cause of God." If we have only a few homes scattered in the USA can we expect them to travel thousands of miles to find a home?