

## **SUMMIT TEACHERS RECEIVE SWORD & TROWEL AWARD**



Three of the four men, who received the Sword and Trowel Award bestowed for the year 2012, have affiliations with Summit Theological Seminary.

The awards were given by the Christian Restoration Association (C.R.A.).

H. Lee Mason, Executive director, on behalf of their trustees, gave awards to Reggie Thomas, Glenn Bourne, Jerry Paul, and George L. Faull.

The latter three men have been affiliated with Summit for many years.

Brother Bourne has taught in the extension department while Jerry Paul continues to teach in the residence program.

George L. Faull is the founder-president of both the Seminary and the School of Preaching.

When one is shown the prior 20 recipients of the Sword and Trowel awards since the year 2000, it is truly humbling to be the recipient of such an award.

We are all very thankful for the confidence CRA has shown in us to grant the Sword and Trowel award. Reggie Thomas has long been admired by all us for his evangelistic fervor.

Brother Faull said "It is not everyday that one gets to be honored with those he has long considered his heroes.

I have known and admired both Reggie Thomas and Glenn Bourne since my days in High School.

I have known Jerry Paul for 32 years and found him to be a man of wisdom and expertise. Without his guiding hand, I would have never been bold enough to announce the opening of the School of Preaching."