



President's Message

THE PURPOSE OF MISSIONARY WORK

"For behold this is my work and my glory--to bring to pass the immortality and eternal life of man." (Moses 1:39) When as missionaries we are obedient, bold, direct and loving, your influence will make a difference with; investigators, companions, other missionaries, stake missionaries and members. As you continue to develop your testimony skills and increase your personal righteousness you will draw closer to the Lord and understand more fully the principles of the gospel. You will become more spiritually in tune and be prepared to magnify your calling--to bring souls unto Christ. You will experience the joys and the rewards of missionary work.

President Spencer W. Kimball has given us an insight to missionary work. "As so your mission is preparation. This is your school for the eternity. You won't forget that, will you? That this mission is not a two year stretch. This mission is not a time when you do just casual ordinary things, this is a time when you cultivate the seeds of Godhood to give them growth and strength and power so that you can attain your end; so you can be exalted yourself; so you can help other people on their way toward exaltation. How small are we to think of this mission as just being a stretch of time, some special things to do, a little studying to do, some praying. This is the most purposeful thing that perhaps you will have ever done in your life and possible the most purposeful thing you will ever do. It is up to you, let it be your prelude to your life and let it be the beginning of a great and glorious program."

President Gordon B. Hinckley has stated our responsibility as a personal representative of the Lord Jesus Christ. "The whole fate of the world depends on us according to the revelations of the almighty we cannot waste time, we cannot be unrighteous in our living, we cannot let our thoughts dwell on immoral things. We have to be the very best that we can be,

you and I because the very relationship of God our Eternal Father to his children on this earth depends on their accepting what we have come to teach according to his magnificent word."

You have been called to serve in the Utah Ogden Mission to do the Lord's work. You are blessed with many attributes and skills. This should give you the confidence to succeed. **YOU DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.**

We Love you,
President And Sister Jones



Assistants Article

Dear Elders and Sisters,

As we all contemplate on what makes this mission so wonderful, one of the big reasons is the members. Along the same lines it is also what makes this mission as successful as it is. Our big responsibility is to assist the members with their responsibility. The Prophet has given special attention in recent months on "There is a better way." It is fresh on all the minds of the members. We know the better way is to work with them. Give all the members the opportunity and encouragement they need to fulfill their role as members of God's Church. We have also just received General Conference which always gives members a new vigor and action of their responsibilities. Help them to see what they can do to make a difference in their ward. Involve the Bishops in the member work. Present the Member program to him and he will be able to lead the way in his ward. As the entire ward gets behind us we will be able to bring more unto Christ.

Keep up your spirits!! Give it all you got!!

With Love and Support,
Elder Anderson and Elder Fletcher

CONVERSION STORY

WORKING WITH THE LESS-ACTIVE

Elders and Sisters,

I would like to share with you an experience my companion and I had in teaching a less-active family. It began in December when one of the bishops in our area gave us the name of a family that he would like us to start teaching by the name of Cameron.

The next day we called on this family. They greeted us with smiles and were very happy to see us. They said they were ready to get active, quit smoking, drinking, coffee, everything. They were very humble and ready to learn, really an elect family.

While we were teaching this family, my companion and I received a referral from a family we had dinner with one night. The girl's name was Jennifer Richards. Her mother was a non-member but really wanted Jennifer to be taught. We called her the next day and set up an appointment.

One day while teaching the Cameron family, they said that they had someone for us to teach. Her name was Lizette Richards, she was Sister Cameron's sister. She had three children, Jennifer, James and Robert who were old enough to be baptized.

We set up a time to begin teaching the Richards' family at the Cameron's home and committed all of them to baptism. This spirit that is in both of these families was amazing. I wish I had the words to describe it.

Another thing that happened, was one night while teaching the Cameron's, their non-member sister who lives with them sat in on the discussion. I talked to her after the discussion, gave her a Book of Mormon and set up a time to teach her. She accepted at first, but later changed her mind. Nevertheless, with the spirit that is in that house, I know it won't be long before she is taught and baptized.

The Cameron's have set a goal to be sealed together as a family in the next couple of months. Brother and Sister Cameron are taking the Temple Prepara-

tion class and Brother Cameron will be receiving the Melchizedek Priesthood very soon. I must say that this is truly one of the most incredible experiences I have had on my mission so far.

Sincerely,

Elder Barry L. Gardner

Memorization Scripture

"Now this is the commandment; Repent all ye ends of the earth and come unto me and be baptized in my name that ye may be sanctified by the reception of the Holy Ghost, that ye may stand spotless before me at the last day."

3 Nephi 27:20
#19

"We Thank Thee O
God for a Prophet."

Art

By: Elder Gardner

Memorization Lyrics



There will always be
Consequences for not
following the rules
and not meeting other
peoples expectations.

-Ghandi



Special Recognition

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☆ High Bapt. Stake	Evanston South	7	☆
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☆ Zones			☆
☆ Highest Baptizing:	Willard Bay	26	☆
☆ Highest Teaching:	Layton	191	☆
☆ Most BOM's Placed	Ogden	232	☆
☆ Most Adds	Roy	58	☆
☆			☆
☆ Companionships			☆
☆ Highest Baptizing	Elders Holmes & Hoilog	8	☆
☆ Highest Teaching	Elders Lewis, Tieru-Hatu	55	☆
☆ Most BOM's Placed	Elders Torrie, Haentges	72	☆
☆ Most Adds	Elders Osmun, Bolinger	14	☆
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Companionships Baptizing 4 or more

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☆ Elders Holmes, Hoilog	8	☆	☆
☆ Elders Clayton, Hatley	7	☆	☆
☆ Elders Ferro, Harden, Laura	6	☆	☆
☆ Elders Wilde, Sanchez	6	☆	☆
☆ Elders Saunders, Espenschied	5	☆	☆
☆ Sisters Lawlor, Becker	5	☆	☆
☆ Elders Camp, Jimenez	4	☆	☆
☆ Elders Osmun, Bolinger	4	☆	☆
☆ Elders Rorie, Pruitt	4	☆	☆
☆ Elders Konosky, Gardner	4	☆	☆
☆ Sisters Studer, Chao	4	☆	☆
☆ Elders Ala, Meyer	4	☆	☆
☆ Sisters Adams, Hoover	4	☆	☆
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Action of The Month

Assist Members in doing their part.



5 days since the last preventable accident



High Teaching Car

Elders Lewis and Tieru-Hatu Rock Layton!!
they set a goal for the car and achieved it!



Study Schedule

- Week 1 Apr 4 Repentance
- Week 2 Apr 11 Baptism
- Week 3 Apr 18 Gift of the Holy Ghost
- Week 4 Apr 25 Obedience

Classified Ads

1. Manitou X Shock \$75
1 1/8 --Elder Soderholm
 2. Elder Hugh's bike is missing from the mission office. Please contact office if you know anything.
 3. Missionaries get 20% off at the Franklin Covey store in the Layton Hills Mall.
 4. Elder Fletcher is missing his quad scriptures. Please call office if found.
- Send ads to Elder Clegg

New Zone Leaders**New Traveler****New District Leaders****May Birthdays**

Elder Barry Gardner	2 May
Elder Dragos Tiera-Hatu	2 May
Elder Corey Waggoner	3 May
Elder Ekufre Eduok	8 May
Elder Rocky Espenschied	9 May
Sister Tana Majeroni	11 May
Elder Doug Woffinden	12 May
Elder Steve Brenneman	15 May
Elder James Stevens	15 May
Elder Matt Leonhardt	16 May
Elder Ronell Hugh	19 May
Elder Creg Empey	22 May
Elder Willard Vanfleet	24 May
Elder Joseph Wright	25 May
Elder Seth McKinney	31 May
Elder Robert Knowlton	31 May

**Trainers****April Arrivals**

Elder Lehi Demas	Raymond, AB Canada
Elder Darrol Fluckinger	Benton City, WA
Elder Kevin Kite	Bixby, OK
Elder Craig Miller	Kelsyville, CA
Elder Jared Salisbury	West Chester, OH
Elder Zachary Smith	Kingbury, TX
Elder Matthew Wallace	Cottonwood, CA

Elder Daniel Johnson
Elder Steven O'neal
Elder Ronell Hugh
Elder Jason Butler
Elder Andrew Witt
Elder John Hayes

**April Departures**

Elder Barnabas Brown	Coldwater, MI
Elder Jarom Stradling	Gilbert, AZ
Elder David Gurney	Prince George, Canada
Sister Melanie Hansen	Wilcox, AZ
Elder M. Hendrickson	Riverside, CA
Elder Richard Mack	Provo, UT
Elder Joseph Mayes	Memphis, TN
Elder Ron Nunley	Safford, AZ
Sister Heather Puett	Marion, NC
Elder Michael Root	Spanish Fork, UT
Elder L. Snowden	West Chester, OH
Sister Emily Turley	Pleasant Grove, UT

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**Remember
our GOAL:**

**2000
by
2000!!!**



PRESIDENTS REMINDERS
ONWARD & UPWARD



ACTION OF THE MONTH

"ASSIST MEMBERS IN DOING THEIR PART"

REMINDERS:

- BE HONEST IN ALL STATISTICS.
- ***NO SKATEBOARDING - IF YOU HAVE ONE, SEND IT HOME!***
- NO TV'S OR VIDEOS IN APARTMENTS!!
- MUSHY LETTERS TO AND FROM HOME AND FREQUENCY.
- ***PROPER USE OF SUN GLASSES.***
- NO WALKIE-TALKIES
- PLEASE BE REVERENT IF YOU MUST COME TO THE OFFICE ON MONDAY MORNINGS!!
- ***DO NOT GIVE OUT PHONE NUMBERS OR ADDRESS OF OTHER MISSIONARIES!***
- ***DREAMS DON'T COME TRUE BY SLEEPING IN!!!***
- ***BE BOLD & SMILE***
- ***OBEDIENCE IS COOL !!!!***



LET'S GET SPECIFIC:

- ***NEVER BE ALONE WITH CHILDREN, NEVER BABYSIT, DO NOT HOLD ON LAP.***
- ***NO WEAPONS (CAP GUNS, KNIVES, ETC.)***
- ***NO MAGIC CARDS (LIKE DRAGONS, ETC.)***
- ***YOU CANNOT CALL OUT OF AREA - P-DAY CALLS ARE MAXIMUM 5 MINUTES AND ONLY TO ARRANGE P-DAY ACTIVITIES WITHIN APPROVED AREA.***

ATTABOYS - ATTAGIRLS

- ***WOW! GREAT 1ST QUARTER OF THE YEAR (A RECORD).***
- ***HIGH TEACHING CAR - ELDERS TIERU-HATU AND LEWIS.***
- ***MANY MORE POSITIVE COMMENTS ON YOUR DINNER DECORUM AND NOTES YOU LEAVE.***

STATISTICS

Mission baptisms for	Mar 99 =	165	Mar 98 =	158	Last Mo. =	182
Mission baptisms YTD 1999	=	560	YTD 1998 =	471		
Discussions taught	Mar 99 =	1643	Discussions taught last month	1582		

WHAT WILL YOU ADD THIS MONTH????

MEMORIZATION: 3 NEPHI 27:20

HYMN WE THANK THEE, O GOD, FOR A PROPHET #19 4/99

Baptismal Recommends Received Through March 31, 1999

Kazuo Abe
 Johanna Adams
 Althea Adams
 Jeff Akester
 Christina Allred
 Glouanna Alvarado
 Casey Archibald
 Jack Arnel
 Joseph Arnoldus
 Dorothy Balderas
 Kylee Bambrrough
 Chase Bate
 Michelle Bchunin
 Carrie Benson
 Joshua Borges
 Kasey Braun
 Russ Brown
 Toby Brown
 Vanessa BryantGunter
 Jenifer Butler
 Krista Butters
 Jesse Cabrera
 Veronica Cabrera
 Troy Carlson
 Travis Carr
 Craig Clark
 Darcy Clark
 Anthony Cluff
 Ande Colby
 Daniel Cox
 Gordon Crocker
 Michael Davis
 Jamie Detro
 Carlos Duban
 Jose Duban
 Norma Duban
 Laurel Elbert
 Charles Emmett
 Karen Emmett
 Katherine Emmett
 Hall Erickson
 Kristen Erickson
 Sidney Fackrell
 Scott Feeney
 James Files
 Trillis Fleming

Robert Flynn
 Anjanette Foster
 Ashley Frecker
 Jose FuentesGarcia
 Kally Gallegos
 Christopher Galvin
 Gloria Garibay
 Rodolfo Gentil
 Candice Gepford
 Jose Gonzalez
 Chelsea Gorder
 Clayton Green
 Michelle Hall
 Jamie Hammerle
 Jerrica Hart
 William Haslam
 Morey Haymond
 Paul Hertzberg
 Shane Hill
 Holly Hill
 Sydney Hill
 Nathan Hjorten
 Brandon Hoesch
 Cody Holbrook
 Dawn Huilet
 Brandy Insko
 Sinisa Ivanovic
 Justin Jacobson
 Preston Jensen
 Daniel Johnson
 Christopher Jones
 Bronson Jones
 Megan Jones
 Randy Jordan
 Jessica Jordan
 Benjamin Kelly
 Julie Kidwell
 Kimberly Kitto
 Allen Kopp
 Danica Larsen
 Lakeith Lee
 Susan Lefever
 Dustin Leyba
 Krystle Linger
 Tarren Lloyd
 Casha Mangel

Shaylynn Martinez
 Jenette Mason
 Branson Mathis
 Latisha Matue
 Tammy McColloch
 Renee McFarland
 Dustin McTee
 Larry Million
 Jennifer Monington
 Elvia Morales
 Jonathan Murray
 Bradley Myers
 Laurance Nabor
 Mary Nelson
 Colton Nelson
 Cheryl Olsen
 Garrett Olson
 Michael Pacheco
 Brittanie Parkinson
 Devin Parkinson
 Samantha Pena
 Shane Pena
 Eduardo Perez
 Joann Pestka
 Naomi Phillips
 Andy Phitsnoukanh
 Jaimie Phitsnoukanh
 Tanisha Phitsnoukanh
 Omar Poveda
 Jamie Powell
 Brandon Price
 Mark Puryear
 Lindsay Rainford
 Christopher Redman
 Aura Revoloria
 Ann Reynolds
 Allyse Richards
 Ashley Richards
 Brian Riley
 Beatriz Robles
 Nicolas Robles
 Robert Robley
 Charleda Romero
 Brooke Ross
 Stephanie Ross
 Stephen Rowe

James Saffell
 Brittney Salinas
 Julie Sase
 Bobbi Schwint
 Allison Sharples
 Christine Sherman
 Samantha Shipley
 Stacey Silversmith
 Brittany Simms
 Lena SittingEagle
 Kristal Smith
 Nicholas Smith
 Steven Smith
 Jason Sollis
 Dustyn Sorensen
 Angela Sorenson
 William Speer
 Brittni Stokes
 Richard Suter
 Tyler Sutton
 Thomas Taren
 Lucia Taylor
 Natasha Thompson
 Paul Underwood
 Preston Vail
 Ann Vallancourt
 Logan Vandelhel
 Frances VanHoy
 Cody Weaver
 Richard Webbers
 Kacee Wheatley
 Barbie Wheeler
 Jessica Whiteplume
 Travis Williams
 Call Williams
 Jerrill Wilson
 Leroy Wilson
 Richard Wilson
 Kamil Wood
 Neil Wyler
 Mark Yamamoto
 Kevin Yarrington
 Emma Young
 Joshua Young
 Colton Young
 William Young