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LA MISION DE GUATEMALA-EL SALVADOR 3A. Ave. 11-57, Zona 9 Guatemala, Guatemala Telefono 60-4-78 Apartado 587 Dear Missionary Companion,

At this time of the year let us pause, review, and rededicate ourselves to our Lord and Savior and the great missionary assignment to which we are called.

What a glorious season this is in which we celebrate, remember, and are thankful for the resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ and the restoration of His Gospel, in its fullness in this dispensation with What a great blessing to be engaged in this latter-day work! What a great blessing and opportunity to bear testimony of Jesus Christ and to know that he lives and directs His Kingdom here on earth in our time as He said:

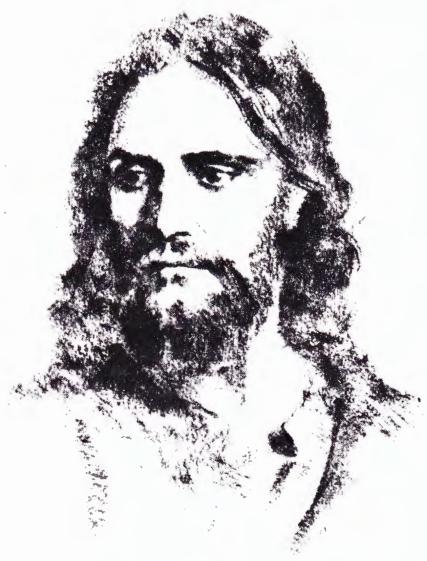
"Wherefore, be of good cheer, and do not fear, for I the Lord am with you, and will stand by you: and ye shall bear record of me, even Jesus Christ, that I am the Son of the Living God, that I was, that I am, and that I am to come.

D & C 68:6

Let us always remember, know, love, and serve Jesus Christ, even our Lord and Savior.

Con Amor,

President Glade and Family The Assistants and Office Staff



# Our Lord and Savior

By President David O. McKay • As Jesus Christ, our Elder Brother, was born at Bethlehem, "suddenly there was . . . a mulitude of heavenly host praising God, and saying:

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men." (Luke 2:13-14.)

As Easter approaches, let us consider three principles enunciated at his birth that have marked his mission here upon the earth: first, reverence for God; second, peace; and third, goodwill toward all men—or expressing it another way, godliness, happiness, brotherly kindness.

The first principle, godliness, Jesus exemplified every hour of his earthly existence. On the banks of the Jordan, as he was seeking baptism at the beginning of his ministry, we hear him say to John, the fore-runner: "Suffer it to be so now: for thus it becometh us to fulfil all righteousness." (Matt. 3:15.)

On the mountain where he was tempted with carthly power and the riches of the world thrown at his feet, we hear him say in sublime majesty, "Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve." (Luke 4:8.)

Before choosing the Twelve he spent the night in prayer, supplicating his Father in heaven for guidance.

When he taught the disciples to pray, he included in the first petition godliness, saying, "Hallowed be thy name." (Matt. 6:9.)

After the miracle of feeding the five thousand, he retired in solitude to pray. In Capernaum the next day we see him grieved because he said the multitude had not seen the glory of God, but had eaten of the loaves and were filled, to satisfy the physical hunger.

At the Last Supper, addressing the Twelve, he said: "And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent." (John 17:3.)

In the Garden of Gethsemane Jesus prayed: "Father, . . . not my will, but thine, be done." (Luke 22:42.)

And after the resurrection he cautioned, "Touch me not; for I am not yet ascended to my Father: . . . and your Father; and to my God, and your God." (John 20:17.)

The second principle, peace, has been defined as the happy, natural state of man, the "first of human blessings." Without it there can be no happiness. The Prophet Joseph Smith said: "Happiness is the object and design of our existence; and will be the end thereof, if we pursue the path that leads to it; and this path is virtue, uprightness, faithfulness, holiness, and keeping all the commandments of God." (*Documentary History of the Church*, Vol. 5, p. 134.)

Jesus said in his Sermon on the Mount: "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God." (Matt. 5:9.)

As fundamental to peace, he recognized the rights of every man. When asked, "What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar, or not?"—he replied, "Shew me the tribute money. And they brought unto him a penny.

"And he saith unto them, Whose is this image and superscription?

"They say unto him, Caesar's. Then saith he unto them, Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's." (Matt. 22:17-21.)

Toward the closing scenes of his mortal life, he said to his disciples: "These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world." (John 16:33.)

On the same occasion he said: "Peace I leave with you, . . . not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid." (John 14:27.)

All through his life peace was on his lips and in his heart, and when he came forth from the tomb and appeared unto his disciples, his first greeting was "Peace be unto you." (John 20:19.)

Peace as taught by the Savior is exemption from individual troubles, from family quarrels, from national difficulties. Such peace refers to the person just as much as it does to the community. That man is not at peace who is untrue to the whisperings of Christ, the promptings of his conscience. He cannot be at peace when he is untrue to his better self, when he transgresses the law of righteousness, either in dealing with himself, in indulging in passion or appetites, in yielding to the temptations of the flesh, in being untrue to trust, or in transgressing the law of

righteousness in dealing with his tellowmen.

The third principle, goodwill, may also be expressed as brotherliness.

Though Jesus gave his message particularly to the chosen house of Israel, he knew no nationality; neither was he a respecter of persons. When the Syro-Phoenician woman came to him in faith, pleading for a blessing for her daughter, he answered, "O woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt." (Matt. 15:28.) He healed the helpless at the pool of Bethesda. The woman taken in sin was told to go her way and sin no more.

He manifested brotherliness not only toward the poor and helpless but also toward the rich. To the well-to-do but despised publican Zacchaeus, he said: "Zacchaeus, make haste, and come down; for today I must abide at thy house." The Master was made welcome, and Zacchaeus, inspired as he had never been with a desire for brotherliness, said: "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold." Seeing that the spirit of the gospel had entered his heart, Jesus answered: "This day is salvation come to this house, forsomuch as he also is a son of Abraham." (Luke 19:5, 8-9.)

This is the Lord and Savior who is the center of our lives.

Jesus defeated the lawyer in argument, healed the sick where medicine failed, inspired the greatest music ever written, inspired hundreds of thousands of books, inspired missionaries to go to all the world; yet, in none of the realms in which men and women ordinarily win their laurels do you find historians referring to Christ as having succeeded. But in the realm of character he was supreme!

Jesus the Christ is our Savior, our Mediator with the Father. As the Apostle Peter preached, "Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." (Acts 4:12.)

#### The Touch Of The Master's Hand

'Twas battered and scarred, and the auctioneer Thought it scarcely worth his while To waste much time on the old violin, But held it up with a smile. "What am I bidden, good folks," he cried "Who will start bidding for me? A dollar, a dollar"—then, "Two!" "Only two? Two dollars, and who'll make it three? Three dollars once; three dollars, twice; Going for three-" But mo. From the room, far back, a gray haired man Came forward and picked up the bow; Then, wiping the dust from the old violin, And tightening the loose strings, He played a melody pure and sweet As sweet as a caroling angel sings.

The music ceased, and the auctioneer, With a voice that was quiet and low, Said, "What am I bidden for the old violin?" And he held it up with the how.
"A thousand dollars, and who'll make it two? Two thousand! And who'll make it three? Three thousand, once; three thousand, twice; And going, and gone!" said he.
The people cheered, but some of them cried, "We do not quite understand What changed its worth?" Swift came the reply: "The touch of the member's hand.

And many a man with life out of tune,
And battered and scattered with sim,
Is auctioned cheap to the thoughtless crowd,
Much like the old violin.
A "mess of pottage," m glass of wine!
A game-cnd he travels on.
He's "going" once, and "going" twice
He's "going" and almost "gone."
But the Master comes, and the foolish crowd
Never can quite understand
The worth of a soul, and the change that's wrought
By the touch of the Master's hand.

Myra Brooks Welch



# HOLA WITH A CHALLENGE:

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# FELIZ CUMPLEAÑOS FOR MARCH AND APRIL

Bowen, Larry William	March 7,	1951	Balls, Garth Morrell	April 3	, 1951
Bunderson, Ben Claire	March 8,	1951	Brimhall, Chris Tanner	April 3	, 1951
Martinson, Niel Ray	March 10,	1951	Dewaæl, Craig Martin	April 7	, 1951
Palmer, Darryl H.	March 10,	1951	Whipple, Don William	April 9	, 1951
Bingham, Michael Wayne	March 15,	1950	Strong, Richard Kline	April 11	, 1951
Havdator, David Les	March 15,	1950	Cornish, John Devn	April 12	, 1951
Soward, Paul Davis	March 15,	1950	Cosper, Jeffrey Max	April 14	, 1951
Nye, Dorian Call	March 17,	1951	James, Frederick James	April 15	, 1950
Norberg, William Victor	March 18,	1950	Jeffrey, Doyne Clason	April 16	, 1950
Weierman, Wayne Stewart	March 26,	1950	Marsh, Judith Ida	April 23	, 1946
Cheney, Duane Dee	March 26,	1951	Fairbanks, Jonathan Lee	April 24	, 1 <del>9</del> 50
Graham, Daniel Watkins	March 28,	1948	Melville, John Gerald	April 24	, 1949
Martino, James Boyd	March 28,	1951	Clark, Darrel Roger	April 27	, 1950

# ADIOS WITH LOVE AND APPRECIATION

James Russell King	Wendell, Idaho	March 1,	1971
Douglas Kirk Drussel	Euereka, Utah	March 8	1971
Rickie La Dell Harris	Eagle, Idaho	March 8,	1971
Lee Randol Kupfer	Cedar City, Utah	March 8,	1971
Timothy Meal Byrne	Garden Grove, California	March 12,	1971
Steven Albert Ray	Winston Salem N.C.	March 12,	1971
Frederick William Palmer	Montezuma, Iwoa	March 13,	1971
Gail Weaver	St. Anthany, Idaho	March 13,	1971
Merk Lane Hales	Magna, Utah	March 16,	1971
John Andrew Turley	Phoenix, Arizona	March 24,	1971
Bruce J. Ottley	Elba, Idaho	April 14,	1971
Robert George Poole	Preston, Idaho	April 26	1971
Dale Irving Swertfeger	Colton, California	March 26	1971
Gwen Kay Ashbaker	Grace, Idaho	April 23,	1971
Kenneth Benjamin Carter	Provo, Utah	April 23	1971
Glern Gull Curtis	Simi, California	April 23	1971
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### SO YOU HAVE A CHURCH ASSIGNMENT by Marion D. Hanks

Suppose you've been called to be Sunday School secretary, or an assistant Scoutmaster, or a member of the youth committee. Would you like to succeed?

One who has an assignment in the Church, and studies and prays but does not work, is not happy and not successful. One who really works with all his heart, might, mind, and strength will soon know his need for study and prayer and will seek them.

Over the years most of us have heard the basic formula of missionary success: study, work, pray. The same principles are fundamental in any other service opportunity for the Lord or his children. And work is certainly not the least among them.

Work is the key to full joy in the plan of the Lord. A young person who learns to work is laying for himself a foundation upon which all future achievement can rise. He will never lack for opportunity and sweet experience in the years ahead.

#### How shall we work?

ANXIOUSLY: Of our own free will.

CHEERFULLY: "Let cheerfulness abound with industry."

DILIGENTLY: "There is no excellence without labor."

HONESTLY: "Thou shalt not idle away thy time."

EFFECTIVELY: "What e'er thou art, act well thy part."

COURAGEOUSLY: "Be not afraid of their faces....."

PERSISTENTLY: Steadiness and consistency and resoluteness win!

PATIENTLY: "Learn to labor and to wait." He who works

while he endures will prevail.

WITH THE LONG VIEW: Work where you are, "as for years"

FAITHFULLY: Be true to trust. It is a tribute to be trusted.

WITH THE SPIRIT: No labor for the Lord can succeed without his

Spirit

#### WHY?

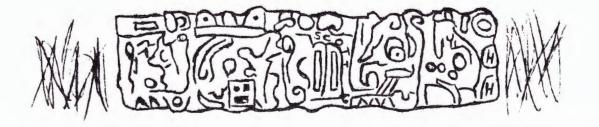
Because the Lord has commanded it. Because you agreed to. Because you want to. Because it is right.

#### WHERE?

Where you are, in your present assignment. "Happy Valley" is not someplace else, doing someth ng else. "Cast down your bucket where you are."

#### WHEN?

Now! Today! The field is white, all ready to harvest! There are few virtues so holy or glorious or important as work.



# OFFICE (7)

# XELA ZONE #1 (34)

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2nd Assistant
Mission Secretary
Membership
Finance
Commissarian
General Secretary
Avante Printer

Brunnette Dent Monson Lunceford Gillespie Hatch Fryar S. Glade

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Peterson-Larson Phillips-Marquez Rice-Heaton Tafoya-Rowley Mazatenango 2 Pearson-Cacuango Thompson-Pappleye Solano-Kusch Williams-Martino Crosby-Cannon Farmer-Miller Gardner-Park Purdy-"right James-Martinson WERSTER-BOYACK Punsaker-Platt Myers-Palmer "atts-"atts

# GUATEMALA ZONE #2 (48)

Jocotales
Cinresales
Zacana
Chiquimula
Florida 1
Florida 2
Milagro
Chimaltenango
Antigua
Florida 2
Ward 3
Ward 5

Wade-Cook Jutiana Galbraith-Jolley D. Davis-Mahoney Call-Abrams Bingham-Bowen Simmons-Moulton Beutler-Lemus D.Palmer-L.Davis J. Reed-Heaps R. Johnson-Sc. Wright Ward 6 Swallow-Cooper Morris-Ball

Jalana Branch 5 Ward 2 Ward 4 Villa Nueva Escuintla Ward 2 Ward 6 Ward 1

Graham-Sanders Cornish-Shelley Bundy-Stanley Hernández-Koelliker Chavez-Valle Brimhall-Adamson Santa Lucia C Ardmore-Torres Rohrer-Mackay R. Reed-P. Nielson EVERSON WILCOX Crest-De "aal Gamero-Young

# EL SALVADOR ZONE #3 (24)

Ahuachapán
Atiquizaya
Chalchuapa
Modelo 1
Modelo 2
Centro 1

Clawson-Gonzales Balls-Kellett Francis-Strong Bushman-Bennion Betenson-Jones Benning-Nielson

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Wallace-Lippincott Harvey-Wierman Boydston-Farnsworth Duerden-McDonald SOWARDS-UILL Mortenson-Whipple

# EL SALVADOR ZONE #4 (50)

Monserrat 1
Monserrat 2
Cuscatlan
Santa Anita
Central
Chaparrist
Belén
La Merced
Usulután
Santa Lucia
Lourdes
San Jacinto
Zacatecoluca

Clark-Cuff Melville-Sainsbury Lanenga-Lloyd Hoenshell-Young Saunders-Moodman Hawkins-Bunderson Lowry-Andelin Fairbanks-Burk Callan-Paulson Machula-Stuart Jackson-Nye Mangum-Adams M. Peterson-Quantz

Santa Lucia Delgado 1 Delgado 2 Atlacatl Mejicanos Soyanango Layco Layco Zacamil Zacamil

Fugal-Ross Norberg-Golden Taylor-Keate Osborne-Lamareaux Reed Johnson-Diehl Cheney-Haack BECK-CLASON Santa Tecla 1 Sorenson-Marsh Santa Tecla 2 Cluff-'agyar Carbine-Zollinger Blacker-Matheson Tanner-M.C.Peterson

# THE CHALLENGE COMPLETED



DL Everson DLC Graham

Simmons
Magyar

Swallow
Lemus

Pavis
Pall
Reed, J.
Cook

TOTAL BAPTISMS 18

TOTAL POINTS 82

POINTS PER MISSIONARY 8.2

**ICONGRATULATIONS!** 





# THE HIGH DISTRICT

For The Month of March

DL Hernández DLC Koelliker

Gamero Fryar Ardmore

Fugal Brimhall Torres Mackay

TOTAL BAPTISMS

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TOTAL POINTS.

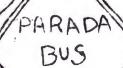
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POINTS PER MISSIONARY 12.5

POINTS PER BAPTISM

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| CONGRATULATIONS!



# ¡PA QUE SEPAIS!

Teach the 7th and 8th lessons! (Refer to the Handbook)

All Sisters and Elders without Spanish missionary cards please contact the office and we will forward your cards to your present mailing address.

Parents and friends of missionaries are advised not to send packages because of the inconvenience and time lost in customs. Have them put some extra money in your bank account.

Missionaries are once again reminded to be neat and accurate with information sent into the mission office including weekly reports, baptismal papers, individual missionary reports, etc.

Soy solamente uno-Pero soy uno
No puedo hacer todo
Mas algo puedo hacer,
Y lo que hago
Que sea lo que debo hacer;
Y lo que debo hacer,
Por la gracia de Dios
Lo haré.

Edward E. Hale

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Conscience is the still small voice that makes us feel still smaller.

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It is no great thing to be humble when you are brought low, but to be humble when you are praised is a great and rare attainment.

And ye shall go forth in the power of my Spirit, preaching my gospel, two by two, in my name, lifting up your Voice as with the sound of a trump, declaring my word like unto angels of God. And ye shall go forth baptizing with water, saying: Repent ye, repent ye, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

D & C 42:6-7

And any man that shall go and preach this gospel of the kingdom, and fail not to continue faithful in all things, shall not be weary in mind, neither dardened, neither in body, limb, nor joint; and a hair of his head shall not fall to the ground unnoticed. And they shall not go hungry, neither athirst.

D & C 84:80

And if it so be that you should labor all your days crying repentance unto this people, and bring, save it be one soul unto me, how great shall be your joy with him in the kingdom of my Father! And now, if your joy will be great with one soul that you have brought unto me into the kingdom of my Father, how great will be your joy if you should bring many souls unto me!

D & C 18:15-16

Shortly after a coupld had moved to a small New England town, the lady of the house complained to her neighbor about the poor service at the local library, hoping that the woman would repeat her complaint to the librarian.

The next time the woman went to the library, she found that the librarian had set aside two best sellers for her and a new biography for her husband. What is more, the librarian seemed genuinely glad to see her.

The newcomer told this to her friend saying, "I euppose you told the librarian how poor I thought the service was."

"No," was the reply, "I hope you don't mind but I told her that your husband was amazed at how well he had built up a small town library and that you thought she showed wonderful taste in the books she selected."