

GLES

SEPTEMBER 1957

A F A N T E

GUATEMALA - EL SALVADOR
MISSION

OFFICE STAFF

PRESIDENT	DAVID G. CLARK
PRESIDENT'S COMPANION	BONNIE RUTH CLARK
1ST ASSISTANT	ELDER RONALD FARLEY
2ND ASSISTANT	ELDER DON CHRISTIANSEN
SPECIAL ASSISTANT	ELDER ALBERT MITCHELL
SPECIAL ASSISTANT	SISTER FANNIE MITCHELL
SPECIAL ASSISTANT	ELDER MYRON DAVENPORT
SPECIAL ASSISTANT	ELDER DENNIS FRAZIER
FINANCIAL SECRETARY	ELDER BRUCE BROWER
PUBLIC RELATIONS	ELDER DAVID FOX
LITERATURE SECRETARY	ELDER KENNETH JOHNSON
MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY	ELDER JACKY FREEMAN

ZONE LEADERS

ELDER CARLOS GARCÍA	GUATEMALA
ELDER MARVIN GARDNER	
ELDER BLAINE BREINHOLT	GUATEMALA WEST
ELDER TELÉSFORO MÉNDEZ	
ELDER DANNY FARAR	EL SALVADOR
ELDER ROBERT CLOWARD	

DISTRICT LEADERS

ELDER RAY MORALES
ELDER TERRY LIECHTY
ELDER MICHAEL MASSEY
ELDER DAVID CORRIGAN
ELDER FARRELL OSWALD
ELDER RONALD NELSON
ELDER JAMES STONE
ELDER DARRYL DUNN
ELDER STEVEN THORNE
ELDER RUSSELL CLUFF
ELDER KEITH THOMAS
ELDER JACK RUNYAN
ELDER SCOTTY SIMONTON
ELDER DAN CARPENTER
ELDER KENNETH JOHNSON
ELDER STEPHAN GUYMON
ELDER JAMES WORKMAN
ELDER ELLIOT CROSBY
ELDER RICHARD HESS
ELDER BRUCE LLOYD
ELDER RANDY HARRIS

DEAR FELLOW MISSIONARIES:

BEHOLD I SENT YOU OUT TO TESTIFY AND WARN THE PEOPLE, AND
IT BECOMETH EVERY MAN WHO HATH BEEN WARNED TO WARN HIS
NEIGHBOR.

OUR JOB IN THE GUATEMALA-EL SALVADOR MISSION IS TO PRESENT PROPERLY THE
MARVELOUS MESSAGE OF THE RESTORED GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST TO THE 8 MILLION
PEOPLE OF THESE TWO DEVELOPING NATIONS SO THAT THE HONEST IN HEART AMONG
THEM MAY ENJOY THE FRUITS OF CONFORMING THEIR LIVES TO THE WILL OF THEIR
FATHER IN HEAVEN. IT IS OUR DUTY TO TRAIN THESE PEOPLE SO THAT THEY MAY
BE ORGANIZED INTO STRONG STAKES TO FORTIFY THE KINGDOM OF GOD IN THESE LAST
DAYS.

OUR GENERAL AREA--MEXICO AND CENTRAL AMERICA--IS GROWING AND SHOULD
CONTINUE TO GROW IN CHURCH POPULATION MORE RAPIDLY THAN ANY OTHER GENERAL
AREA OF THE CHURCH. AT LEAST THAT IS THE WAY THE SITUATION APPEARS AS RE-
PORTED IN THE CHURCH SECTION OF THE DESERET NEWS FOR OCTOBER 21, 1967. IT
IS SIGNIFICANT THAT OF ALL THE AREAS SHOWN BY CHART IN THAT ISSUE, MEXICO
AND CENTRAL AMERICA LEAD THE REST OF THE CHURCH IN THE PROJECTED GROWTH
WORKED OUT BY DR. HOWARD NIELSEN OF THE BYU STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

BEHOLD, I WILL HASTEN MY WORK IN IT'S TIME.

AND I GIVE UNTO YOU, WHO ARE THE FIRST LABORERS IN THIS
LAST KINGDOM, A COMMANDMENT THAT YOU ASSEMBLE YOURSELVES
TOGETHER, AND ORGANIZE YOURSELVES, AND PREPARE YOURSELVES,
AND SANCTIFY YOURSELVES; YEA, PURIFY YOUR HEARTS, AND
CLEANSE YOUR HANDS BEFORE ME, THAT I MAY MAKE YOU CLEAN;

THAT I MAY TESTIFY UNTO YOUR FATHER, AND YOUR GOD, AND MY
GOD, THAT YOU ARE CLEAN FROM THE BLOOD OF THIS WICKED
GENERATION; THAT I MAY FULFILL THIS PROMISE, THIS GREAT
AND LAST PROMISE, WHICH I HAVE MADE UNTO YOU, WHEN I WILL.

ALSO, I GIVE UNTO YOU A COMMANDMENT THAT YOU SHALL CONTINUE
IN PRAYER AND FASTING FROM THIS TIME FORTH.

AND I GIVE UNTO YOU A COMMANDMENT THAT YOU SHALL TEACH ONE
ANOTHER THE DOCTRINE OF THE KINGDOM.

TEACH YE DILIGENTLY AND MY GRACE SHALL ATTEND YOU, THAT
YOU MAY BE INSTRUCTED MORE PERFECTLY IN THE THEORY, IN
PRINCIPLE, IN DOCTRINE, IN THE LAW OF THE GOSPEL, IN ALL
THINGS THAT PERTAIN UNTO THE KINGDOM OF GOD, THAT ARE
EXPEDIENT FOR YOU TO UNDERSTAND;

OF THINGS BOTH IN HEAVEN AND IN THE EARTH, AND UNDER THE
EARTH; THINGS WHICH HAVE BEEN, THINGS WHICH ARE, THINGS
WHICH MUST SHORTLY COME TO PASS; THINGS^{WHICH} ARE AT HOME, THINGS
WHICH ARE ABROAD; THE WARS AND THE PERPLEXITIES OF THE
NATIONS; AND THE JUDGEMENTS WHICH ARE ON THE LAND; AND A
KNOWLEDGE ALSO OF COUNTRIES AND OF KINGDOMS--

THAT YE MAY BE PREPARED IN ALL THINGS WHEN I SHALL SEND YOU
AGAIN TO MAGNIFY THE CALLING WHEREUNTO I HAVE CALLED YOU,
THE MISSION WITH WHICH I HAVE COMMISSIONED YOU.

BEHOLD I SENT YOU OUT TO TESTIFY AND WARN THE PEOPLE, AND
IT BECOMETH EVERY MAN WHO HATH BEEN WARNED TO WARN HIS
NEIGHBOR.

FAITHFULLY YOURS,

PRESIDENT DAVID G. CLARK
SISTER BONNIE RUTH CLARK

DEAR FELLOW MISSIONARIES:

WE ARE VERY FORTUNATE TO BE ON THE EARTH IN THESE LATTER DAYS AND LABOR AS MISSIONARIES AMONG OUR BRETHREN. NO GREATER JOY CAN COME TO A MISSIONARY THAN TO WORK HARD. THE LORD HAS PROMISED US THAT "...HE WHO DOETH THE WORK OF RIGHTEOUSNESS SHALL RECEIVE HIS REWARD, EVEN PEACE IN THIS WORLD, AND ETERNAL LIFE IN THE WORLD TO COME." WHAT A WONDERFUL PROMISE! BUT IT IS BASED UPON OUR FAITHFULNESS. IT IS CERTAINLY IMPERATIVE THAT WE WORK HARD, BE HUMBLE, AND PRAY HARD SO WE CAN BE SUCCESSFUL IN OUR IMPORTANT CALLINGS AND RECEIVE THE "REWARD".

WE LIVE IN A DAY OF RAPID PROGRESS NOT ONLY IN THE WORLD BUT IN THE CHURCH. WE MUST DO OUR PART TO USHER IN THE SECOND COMING OF OUR LORD. PRESIDENT A. THEODORE TUTTLE TOLD US THAT WE NEED TO DOUBLE OUR PRODUCTIVITY, BUT REMINDED US THAT "OUR GREATEST PROBLEM IS TO DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN SPIRITUALITY." OUR HUMBLE DESIRE AND PRAYER IS THAT WE CAN DO THESE THINGS AND ALWAYS "SEEK FIRST TO ESTABLISH THE WORK OF THE LORD."

YOUR BRETHREN,

ELDER RONALD FARLEY
ELDER MYRON DAVENPORT
ELDER DENNIS FRAZIER

DEAR FELLOW MISSIONARIES:

THE PILGRIMS CELEBRATED THEIR THANKSGIVING OVER TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO, WHICH WE COMMEMORATE ONCE EACH YEAR, ~~AND~~ HAD A VERY BIG PART IN THE FOUNDING OF THE UNITED STATES. THE EARLY FOREFATHERS DID MUCH TO PREPARE THAT NATION FOR WHAT IT IS TODAY. EVEN IN THE STRIFE THAT EXISTS WE ENJOY MODERN HOME APPLIANCES AND ACCESSORIES, MODERN MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION, AND THE FULNESS OF THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST. THE SEED THAT OUR FOREFATHERS PLANTED HAS NOW BLOSSOMED GIVING US ALL OF THESE AND MANY MORE WONDERFUL THINGS.

WHAT A JOY AND BLESSING IT IS TO HAVE BEEN CALLED TO THIS MISSION AT THIS TIME! LOOK AT THE PROGRESS THAT HAS BEEN MADE FROM THE SEEDS PLANTED BY THE FIRST MISSIONARIES HERE, AND THE SEEDS THAT ARE STILL BEING PLANTED BY THE MISSIONARIES WHO ARE HERE NOW,

IT IS A WONDERFUL BLESSING TO BE ABLE TO LAY YOUR HANDS UPON A SICK PERSON'S HEAD AND GIVE HIM A BLESSING BY THE AUTHORITY YOU HOLD. IT IS A BLESSING TO BAPTIZE, TO BE ABLE TO CONFER THE PRIESTHOOD UPON ONE OF YOUR BAPTISMS, IT IS A BLESSING TO HOLD AN INFANT IN YOUR ARMS AND GIVE IT A NAME. IT IS A BLESSING TO SEE YOUR BAPTISMS GET UP FOR THE FIRST TIME TO GIVE THEIR TESTIMONY, SAY A PRAYER, OR PASS THE SACRAMENT. MANY TIMES THESE PRIVILEGES BECOME COMMONPLACE AND WE FORGET WHAT A REWARD IT IS.

MAY WE COUNT OUR BLESSINGS. MAY WE NOT FALTER IN HELPING THESE PEOPLE IN THIS MISSION. RECEIVE THE JOY AND HAPPINESS THAT WE FEEL. MAY WE NOT SET OUR GOALS TOO LOW, BUT SET THEM HIGH AND THEN WE MUST STRIVE TO REACH THEM.

YOUR BROTHER,

ELDER DON M. CHRISTIANSEN

TOP LESSONS

HARRIS	76	BETZ	49
STAPLEY	76	CARPENTER, D	49
FRAZIER	73	LLOYD	47
SAUNDERS	73	CHASE	46
BROWN	69	MEYER	46
MARTINEAU	69	RUNYAN	46
ANDERSON	65	DAVIS, JL	45
JOHNSON, P	61	HAMILTON	45
NELSON, RK	61	PITCHER	45
YARDLEY	59	FLANDERS	42
PAYNE	59	MCARTHUR	42
GREEN	51	MOON	42
LEWIS	51	HYATT	41
PÉREZ	50	SMITH, SID	41
SCHEURICH	50	READ	40
WAMSLEY	50		

TOP HOURS

HARRIS	74	BLEVINS	68
STAPLEY	74	PETERSEN	68
FLANDERS	73	MASSEY	67
MOON	73	HYATT	67
FRAZIER	72	ALLRED	66
GARRET	72	DAVIS, JL	66
SAUNDERS	72	DEAN	66
HAMILTON	71	GARCÍA	66
LEMMON	70	MEYER	66
SOUTHWICK	70	PÉREZ	66
DAVIS, SK	69	REX	66
FARAR	69	THOMPSON	66
GONZALEZ, D	69	PITCHER	66
LLOYD	69	DEVER	65
SMITH, CV	69	NELSON, WR	65
SMITH, RALPH	69		

TOP BAPTISMS

FARAR	9	PETERSEN	6
LEWIS	8	SMITH, RALPH	6
SCHEURICH	8	STAPLEY	6
DAVIS, DON	7	DAVENPORT	5
MASSEY	7	FRAZIER	5
SMITH, SID	7	GARDNER	5
TAYLOR, D	7	GLEDHILL	5
WILSON	7	HAMILTON	5
HYATT	7	JENSEN	5
BLEVINS	6	LEMMON	5
HARRIS	6	SOUTHWICK	5
JOHNSON, JV	6	PITCHER	5
MORTENSON, D	6	SAUNDERS	5

THE CONQUEST OF GUATEMALA

GUATEMALA AND EL SALVADOR WERE CONQUERED BY DON PEDRO DE ALVARADO WHO WAS SENT OUT BY HERNÁN CORTÉZ IN 1523. THE "CONQUISTADOR" MARCHED WITH AN ARMY OF 300 SPANIARDS AND A FEW INDIAN FRIENDS.

ENTERING QUICHÉ TERRITORY FIRST, HE HAD HIS FIRST ENCOUNTER WITH INDIANS NEAR THE SOMALÁ RIVER. ON FEBRUARY 19, 1524 HE ARRIVED IN QUEZALTENANGO, WHERE HE WAS MET BY THE GRAN CACIQUE TECÚN-UMÁN ON THE PLAINS OF PACHAS. THE BATTLE THAT FOLLOWED WAS ONE OF THE BLOODIEST IN THE CONQUEST, THE ENTIRE INDIAN COMMAND BEING DESTROYED. THERE IS A LEGEND THAT A QUETZAL WAS THE INSEPARABLE COMPANION OF TECÚN-UMÁN. FROM THIS HAS COME THE RELATION OF THE QUETZAL WITH THE INDIAN PEOPLE OF GUATEMALA. AFTER THE BATTLE, XELAJÚ WAS UNDER SPANISH CONTROL.

THE INDIANS WERE AGAIN DEFEATED ON THE PLAINS OF URBINA, THUS CLEARING THE WAY TO UTATLÁN, CAPITAL OF THE QUICHÉ EMPIRE. THE QUICHÉ KINGS IN UTATLÁN RECEIVED ALVARADO AS A FRIEND. ALVARADO HOWEVER, HAVING INFORMATION THAT THE QUICHÉS PLANNED TO TRAP HIM IN THE CITY AND KILL HIM, CAMPED ON THE SURROUNDING PLAINS. HE THEN INVITED THE QUICHÉ KINGS TO VISIT HIS CAMP AND TOOK THEM AS PRISONERS HAVING THUS DEFEATED THE INDIANS AGAIN. ALVARADO HAD THE KINGS BURNED ALIVE AND LEFT THE CITY IN ASHES. ALVARADO THEN MARCHED ON IXIMCHÉ, CAPITAL OF THE CACHIQUELES WHERE HE WAS RECEIVED AS A FRIEND AND MADE AN ALLIANCE WITH THE CACHIQUEL KINGS. HE THEN CONTINUED TO THE TZUTHILES KINGDOM WHERE HE CAPTURED THE CAPITAL CITY, ATITLÁN, AFTER ANOTHER BLOODY BATTLE. IN LIKE MANNER WAS ESCUINTLAN, CAPITAL OF THE ESCUINTLECO KINGDOM TAKEN, THUS LEAVING ALMOST ALL OF GUATEMALA UNDER ALVARADO'S COMMAND.

IN SEPTEMBER THE "CONQUISTADOR" MARCHED TO XEPÁN TO PUT DOWN AN UPRISING AMONG THE INDIANS PROTESTING HIGH TAXES. CONTINUING ON, HE DEFEATED POCOMANES OF MIXCO AND THE MAMES OF CHINABJUL. IN THE LATTER BATTLE HE HAD TO BREAK THE HEROIC RESISTANCE LED BY THE GREAT CACIQUE CAIBIL BALAM IN THE TEMPLES OF ZACULEU IN JULY OF 1525.

DON PEDRO IMMEDIATELY ORGANIZED THE COLONY, IN THE VALLEY OF IXIMCHÉ. THE CITY OF SANTIAGO DE LOS CABALLEROS DE IXIMCHÉ WAS FOUNDED THERE ON JULY 25, 1525.

DON PEDRO ALVARADO, CALLED TONSTIÚ (SON OF THE SUN) BY THE INDIANS BECAUSE OF HIS BLOND BEARD AND HAIR, WAS THE FIRST GOVERNOR OF THE CAPITANÍA GENERAL DE GUATEMALA. ON THE 22ND OF NOVEMBER, 1527 THE SECOND CITY, SANTIAGO DE LOS CABALLEROS DE GUATEMALA, WAS FOUNDED IN THE AMOLONGA VALLEY BY DON JORGE DE ALVARADO, BROTHER OF DON PEDRO. THIS CITY IS NOW KNOWN AS ANTIGUA.

CHALLENGE RESULTS OCTOBER

DISTRICT CHALLENGE		%CHALLENGE	BAPTISMS	MEN	FAM.	DL
SANTA ANA	20	145%	29	7	3	HARRIS
SALVADOR #1	9	111%	10	2	3	GARCÍA
GUATE. #7	16	106%	17	2	2	FARAR
GUATE. #2	4	100%	4	1	1	HESS
GUATE. #4	12	100%	12	2	0	SMITH
GUATE. #5	12	100%	12	4	3	THOMAS
GUATE. #9	12	92%	11	3	3	LIECHTY
GUATE. #6	20	75%	15	3	1	MASSEY
GUATE. #3	12	67%	8	2	0	CLUFF
SALVADOR #3	22	64%	14	4	3	FRAZIER
MAZATENANGO	12	58%	7	1	1	MORALES
SAN MIGUEL	12	58%	7	3	0	RUNYAN
OFFICE	8	38%	3	1	0	JOHNSON
SALVADOR #4	17	35%	6	3	2	CORRIGAN
ATITLÁN	10	30%	3	0	0	STONE
SANSONATE	8	25%	2	0	0	OSWALD
SALVADOR #2	9	22%	2	0	0	THORNE
GUATE. #1	12	17%	2	00	0	WORKMAN
QUICHÉ	14	14%	2	1	1	NELSON
XELA	18	6%	1	0	0	SIMONTON
SALVADOR #5	4	0	0	0	0	DUNN

N O V E M B E R C H A L L E N G E

GUATEMALA #1	30	WORKMAN
GUATEMALA #2	10	HESS
GUATEMALA #3	35	CLUFF
GUATEMALA #4	35	MORALES
GUATEMALA #5	45	THOMAS
GUATEMALA #6	60	GARDNER
GUATEMALA #7	40	SIMONTON
GUATEMALA #9	25	LIECHTY
OFFICE	20	JOHNSON
QUICHÉ	56	NELSON
ATITLÁN	56	STONE
MAZATENANGO	52	LLOYD
QUEZALTENANGO	60	HARRIS
SAN SALVADOR #1	30	<u>CROSBY</u>
SAN SALVADOR #2	30	THORNE
SAN SALVADOR #3	50	GUYMON
SAN SALVADOR #4	50	CORRIGAN
SAN SALVADOR #5	20	DUNN
SANTA ANA	60	CARPENTER
SAN MIGUEL	30	RUNYAN
SONSONATE	20	OSWALD

D I S T R I C T O F T H E M O N T H

THE SANTA ANA DISTRICT PROVED BEST FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER. CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE WHO WORKED SO HARD TO ACHIEVE CHALLENGE.

<u>CHALLENGE</u>	<u>%CHALLENGE</u>	<u>BAPTISMS</u>	<u>MEN</u>	<u>FAMILIES</u>
20	145%	29	7	3

DISTRICT MEMBERS:

HARRIS	DL	JENSEN
STAPLEY		GLEDHILL
SOUTHWICK		EDMUNDS
LEMMON		HENRY
LEWIS		ROBISON
SCHEURICH		WILLIAMS
		HANKS

SPECIAL MENTION GOES TO GUATEMALA #2, GUATEMALA #4, GUATEMALA #5, GUATEMALA #7, AND SAN SALVADOR #1 FOR HAVING ACHIEVED CHALLENGE ALSO.

Z O N E C O M P E T I T I O N

GUATEMALA	213
SAN SALVADOR	186
GUATEMALA WEST	66

H A P P Y B I R T H D A Y

CURTIS FLOWE
NOVEMBER 1, 1947

LESLIE MERCER
NOVEMBER 15, 1947

DANNY FARAR
NOVEMBER 5, 1946

BRUCE LLOYD
NOVEMBER 15, 1946

RANDY HARRIS
NOVEMBER 6, 1946

DOROTHY JIM
NOVEMBER 15, 1942

DAN CARPENTER
NOVEMBER 6, 1946

ALBERT MITCHELL
NOVEMBER 16, 1907

FARRELL OSWALD
NOVEMBER 7, 1946

THOMAS HUMPHREY
NOVEMBER 18, 1946

DAVID HAMILTON
NOVEMBER 8, 1943

TERRY LIECHTY
NOVEMBER 19, 1945

LEON HENDERSON
NOVEMBER 9, 1946

LARRY FELT
NOVEMBER 26, 1946

ROBERT HENRY
NOVEMBER 10, 1945

SHIRLIE PEARSON
NOVEMBER 26, 1944

RONALD HEDELIUS
NOVEMBER 13, 1947

GERALD SIMONTON
NOVEMBER 29, 1946

JAMES WORKMAN
NOVEMBER 14, 1945

ZONE LEADERS--GARCÍA AND GARDNER ZONE LEADERS--BREINHOLT AND MÉNDEZ

GUATEMALA #1

WORKMAN DL
SMITH, NR
ALEXANDER
DAVIS, SK

GUATEMALA #2

HESS DL
HOFFMAN
JOHNSON, W
DAVIS, DAN

GUATEMALA #3

CLUFF DL
BOLLA
FELT
SMITH, RON
SHARP
RASMUSSEN
ROBISON
BAGLEY

GUATEMALA #4

MORALES DL
HYATT
CORPRON
JONES, T
PEARSON
SMITH, R

GUATEMALA #5

THOMAS DL
DAVIS, JL
REX
WILLIAMS
JONES, N
READ
MORTENSON, D
COLWELL
PETERSEN
BLEVINS

GUATEMALA #6

MASSEY DL
SMITH, RC
DEVER
NELSON, WR
GARRETT
DRAPER
PÉREZ
WAMSLEY
ESCUINTLA
HUMPHERYS, K
GONZALEZ, D

GUATEMALA #7

SIMONTON DL
WILSON
THOMPSON
CHAMBERS
DEAN
PERKINS
FRASER
SIMPACH

GUATEMALA #9

LIECHTY DL
HEREDIA
PEAY
HOUSLEY
STILLMAN
SPEAKER

OFFICE

JOHNSON, K DL
CHRISTIANSEN
FARLEY
FOX
BROWER
FREEMAN
ELDER MITCHELL
SISTER MITCHELL
DAVENPORT
FRAZIER

QUICHE

MOSMOSTENANGO
PAYNE
YARDLEY

TOTONICAPÁN

ANDERSON
GREEN
JIM
LINDSEY

SAN CRISTÓBAL

MARTINEAU
BROWN

QUEZALTENANGO

HARRIS DL
EGBERT
MAY
GONZALEZ, A
JONES, W
BLASER
BETZ
MCARTHUR
NELSON, RK--DL
JOHNSON, P
SAN MARCOS
JONES, K
STOWELL

HUEHUETENANGO

SMITH, M
ALLRED

ATITLAN

PATZICÍA
STONE DL
SCHOFIELD
JOHNSON, B
GOODWIN

ITZAPA

SEVY
HELQUIST

SOLOLÁ

RENCHER
HENDERSON

PATZÚN

SMITH, B
TANNER

MAZATENANGO

RETALHULEU
EGAN
HERRING

MAZATENANGO

LLOYD DL
SAUNDERS
GOLDTHWAITE
PARSON

COATEPEQUE

CARPENTER, T
HEDELIUS

ZONE LEADERS--FARAR AND CLOWARD

SAN SALVADOR #1

CROSBY DL

MENDENHALL

HAMILTON

PITCHER

SANTA TECLA

MILLER, K

GRANGE

SAN SALVADOR #2

THORNE DL

KOHLER

HUMPHREY, T

WENDT

MILLER, JC

MEYER

SAN SALVADOR #3

GUYMON DL

HARDY

JOHNSTON

CHASE

PEEL

DAVIS, DON

WITTEN

NISONGER

MANWARING

BOYLIN

SAN SALVADOR #4

CORRIGAN DL

HANCOCK

BISHOP

RUDD

TAYLOR, P

FLOWE

HUNTER

WILLARDSON

SMITH, CV

MORTENSEN, L

SAN SALVADOR #5

DUNN DL

NIELSEN

CAMPBELL

GIBSON

SANTA ANA

CARPENTER, D DL

STAPLEY

SOUTHWICK

LEMMON

LEWIS

SCHEURICH

JENSEN

GLEDHILL

EDMUNDS

HENRY

CHALCHUAPA

HANKS

JOHNSON, JV

SONSONATE DL

OSWALD DL

THORNTON

HYMAS

CAZIER

SAN MIGUEL

RUNYAN DL

MERCER

BEARE

DICKSON

USULUTÁN

MOON

FLANDERS

A V A N T E

NOVEMBER 1967

A T T E N T I O N !

TO ALL MISSION PRESIDENTS

RE: ARMY RESERVISTS ON MISSIONS

DEAR BRETHREN:

UNDER DATE OF OCTOBER 10, 1967 WE CIRCULARIZED ALL MISSION PRESIDENTS WITH REFERENCE TO A COMMUNICATION ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY DATED 22 SEPTEMBER 1967, ADDRESSED TO "MEMBERS OF THE U.S. ARMY RESERVE RESIDING IN OVERSEAS AND THOSE ENGAGED IN RELIGIOUS MISSIONARY SERVICE."

WE ARE PLEASED TO ADVISE THAT WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY MILITARY AUTHORITY AS FOLLOWS:

"...THAT ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN TO HOLD IN ABEYANCE THE SEPARATION OF MISSIONARIES FROM CIVILIAN COMPONENTS PENDING FINAL ACTION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE ON A PROPOSED CHANGE TO CIRCULAR 135-10.

"THE U.S. ARMY ADMINISTRATION CENTER IN ST. LOUIS WILL ADVISE ALL MISSIONARIES, TO WHICH ITS LETTER OF 22 SEPTEMBER 1967 WAS DIRECTED, THAT NO FURTHER ACTION WILL BE TAKEN TO SEPARATE THEM FROM AN ARMY CIVILIAN COMPONENT UNTIL THE MATTER REGARDING THE CHANGE IS RESOLVED."

WILL YOU PLEASE GET THE ABOVE INFORMATION TO ALL MISSIONARIES UNDER YOUR JURISDICTION WHO ARE RESERVISTS AND TELL THEM "...THAT NO FURTHER ACTION IS NECESSARY PENDING RECEIPT OF THE FORTHCOMING LETTER FROM THE U.S. ARMY ADMINISTRATION CENTER."

SINCERELY YOUR BRETHREN,

THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

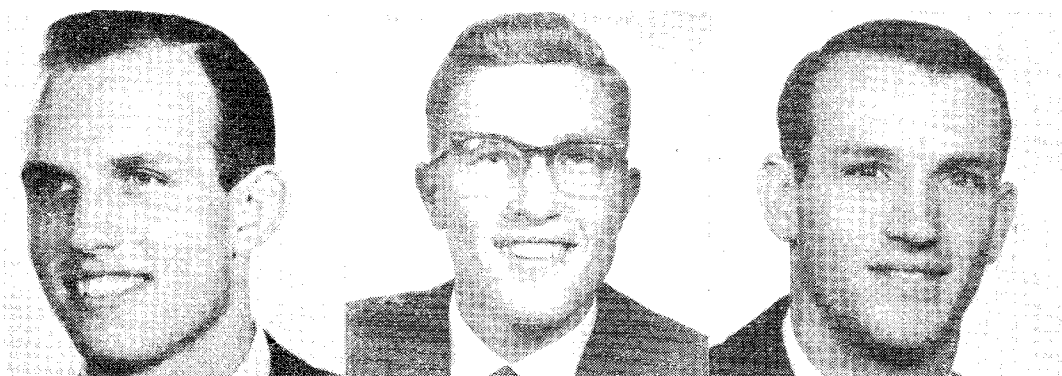
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NOVEMBER 1967



GUATEMALA STAKE CONFERENCE PRESIDED BY ELDER STERLING W. SILL---Oct 15



PRESIDENT CLARK AND ELDER MITCHELL ENTHUSIASTICALLY RETURNING FROM THE MISSION PRESIDENT'S SEMINAR HELD IN MEXICO CITY-NOV. 1-5



SIDNEY SMITH

MICHAEL MASSEY

DENNIS TAYLOR

THREE FINE MISSIONARIES RETURNED HOME IN NOVEMBER

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