



WHAT are the GOSPEL PARAGONS?

Par-a-gon [párrY gòn, párrYgYn] (plural par-a-gons) noun

1. **example of excellence:** somebody or something that is the very best example of something
2. **large unflawed diamond:** a perfect diamond that weighs at least 100 carats
3. **large perfectly spherical pearl:** an extremely large pearl that is a perfect sphere

In the Bible Dictionary, “gospel” means good news. But what is the good news? It is the perfect atonement of Jesus Christ for mankind that will redeem all mankind from the grave and reward each individual according to his/her works. And from the dictionary, “paragon” is a noun which means 1) example of excellence 2) large unflawed diamond: a perfect diamond that weighs at least 100 carats 3) large perfectly spherical

pearl: an extremely large pearl that is perfect sphere.

The name of the newsletter was derived from these two powerful words. The purpose of the newsletter is to serve as one of the perfect instruments in spreading the good news to all. Moreover, it will remind us the importance of missionary work. We are all missionaries of the CHURCH. It is not only the duty of the full time missionaries to invite people to come unto Jesus

Christ and become converted to the restored gospel.

Also, being latter day saints we should also be the “gospel paragons”. It has been said that the members of THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS are peculiar people. We are different in such a way that we follow the examples of our Savior JESUS CHRIST. All of us are precious like diamonds and also as valuable as pearl in

the eyes of our Heavenly Father. We have the divine potential to become like HIM as Jesus said in 2 Nephi 27:27 “Therefore, what manner of men ought ye to be? Verily I say unto you, even as I am.” And we have a duty to be the best example to all the people because we cannot hide the light in our countenance as we live the gospel and keep the commandments of the Lord.

A STORY OF CHRISTMAS:

From Lucas to Santa

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Let's eat U.B.A.S!!!



Our dear prophet Joseph Smith said that “After all that has been said, the greatest and most important duty is to preach the gospel”. In the Preach My Gospel missionary manual (page 160), President Hinckley taught that “So many of us look upon missionary as simply tracting. Everyone who is familiar with the work knows there is a better way...that way is through the members of the church. The process of bringing new people into the church is not responsible alone of the missionaries.

In line with this, the Cabuyao ward Missionaries held the Missionary fireside Called UBAS on October 28, 2007. The theme is found in D&C 18:15.

“And if it so be that you should labor all your days in 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”.

The program was presided by Bishop Carlos Alvez and the conducting officer was our Ward Mission leader Romeo Policarpio. After the opening hymn (Called to

Serve) Johnny Abquina offered the opening prayer. A special musical number was given by Amalyn Loterte wherein she sung “I’ll find you my friend”. The Full time missionaries reiterated the importance of member referral. Our ward mission leader discussed the current records of the church on baptisms for the last 4 years and other related church statistics.

One of the speakers was our SundaySchool President Ryan Bautista who served his full time mission in Philippines Olongapo Mission. He discussed some useful

ways on how to open your mouth (OYM) through UBAS (Usap, Bigay, Anyayahan Sila)

These ways include talking about the gospel to your friends, relatives and families who are not yet members of the church.

We can also give them something to read about the church like the Book of Mormon, Liahona and other church manuals. In addition, we can invite them to attend church activities such as baptism, Sunday Services, mutual nights, family home evenings and others.

FEED THE ELDERS

In the Book of Mormon (Alma 8:19-21), Amulek was received by Prophet Alma in his House and gave something to eat and they became very good companions in sharing the

gospel. This scripture passage inspired the Cabuyao Ward Missionary Program to spearhead “Appointment with the Full time Missionaries”. The members can choose a

convenient time to invite the elders for a dinner or lunch. The Full time Missionaries will also have an opportunity to ask referrals from the members. This monthly schedule of dinner

or lunch with the members is posted at the bulletin board.

There was also a role playing on UBAS by our talented ward missionaries starring Johnny Abquina, Josephine de Juan, Ruel Villegas, Amalyn Loterte, Karen Aguilar, Jinky Alvar, Rizza Bernal, Len Bernal and Joseph Belgica.

The second speaker was Mary Ann Pada who also served also in the Philippines Olongapo Mission. She cited some ways on how to prepare your referrals for baptism and how to strengthen them after baptism such as staying active in the church and always be a good

example by living the commandments of the Lord, continue to fellowship, going with them in the church activities, serve them and serve with them.

The speaker emphasized that your newly convert referral must have three things mentioned by our living prophet Gordon B. Hinckley such as a friend, a calling and nurture them with the words of God.

The second part of the program was the grape eating (UBAS eating) of the members who attended the

fireside. They have tasted the sweet grapes which symbolize the word of God. A musical presentation of "How Great Shall be Your Joy" was prepared by Karen Aguilar, Eric Brigola, Ryan Salapa, and Amalyn Loterte. Brother Romie advised the members after tasting the grapes that they need to share the joy that they have felt with their non member friends and relatives just like what Lehi did in the ever famous Lehi's dream (1 Nephi 8:15-16).

Sister Jinky Alvar who is a

recent convert gave her testimony about her own experience.

She was referred by her LDS friend and also her colleague for almost a year before her baptism on September 2007.

The closing remarks was given by Romie Policarpio and the closing prayer was offered by Josephine de Juan after the closing hymn found in hymn#263 Go Forth With Faith.



7 Full Time Missionaries in the Mission Field from Cabuyao Ward

Seven valiant full time missionaries from Cabuyao ward are singing this famous song

"Called to Serve" in their respective assigned areas across the country. They have chosen to serve the Lord with all their hearts, might, mind and strength with an eye single to the glory of God. Let us know who they are and where they are now....

Elder Paulo Salapa and Elder Mon Canimo are serving in the Philippines Angeles Mission. Elder Mark Caisido and Sister Johnalyn Sibayan are now fluent in Waray in the Lord's vineyard named Philippines Tacloban Mission. Sister Juvy Sevilla is laboring in the Philippines Quezon City Mission. Also, Elder Butch Buscato is happily sharing the gospel to the people of the Philippines Davao Mission. Our dear Sister Amalyn Loterte is enjoying the cold breeze of the Philippines Baguio Mission.

*"Called to serve him
heavenly king of glory
Chosen o'er to witness for
his name
Far and wide we tell the
Father's story
Far and wide his love proclaim*

*Onward ever onward
As we glory in his name
Forward pressing forward
As we glory in his name..."*

From the Desk of Bishop



The idea of having this monthly newsletter was brought up 5 years ago. Due to the limited resources, time, etc., we did not push through with the idea and hope that time will come when we would have the group of members who would make this happen. Thanks to the efforts of the ward mission who made this possible. We aim to share information more clearly and inspire members, especially prospective missionaries, to fulfil the mission of the church to proclaim the gospel. Through this newsletter, we will be able to be in touch with our members serving as full-time missionaries. This will serve as their venue to share their inspiring missionary experiences. Pres. Spencer W. Kimball said,

“The day for carrying the gospel to ever more places and people is here and now. We must come to think of our obligation to share the message rather than of our own convenience. Calls from the Lord are seldom convenient. The time is here when sacrifice must become an even more important element in the Church. We must increase our devotion so that we can do the work the Lord has for us to do. ... The parting words of the Master to His Apostles just before His Ascension were, “Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.”

I would like to share the same message to all the young men, young single adults, and all members, in the name of Him whose birth we celebrate this season, even Jesus Christ, Amen.

Yours truly,

Bishop Carlos U. Alvez

Ward Mission Leader's Corner



My Fellow Missionaries,

I couldn't express myself how happy I am serving as a Ward Mission Leader. I do really enjoy working with you my dear Ward Missionaries. I know that this is a very tough calling and the Lord is expecting too much from me, to perpetuate missionary work in our ward with the help of everybody.

Our prime responsibility as members of the church of Jesus Christ is to help our fellowmen come unto Christ and be exalted with Him. “Missionary work is the lifeblood of the Church”, without it, the Church won't exist by itself.

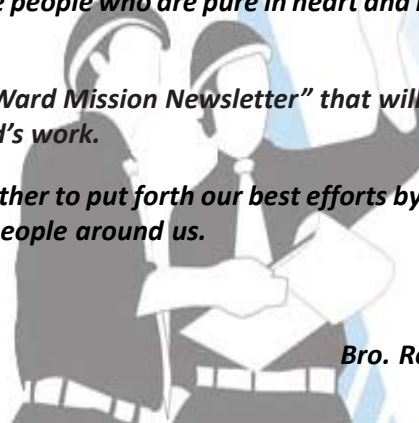
We are instruments in the hands of our Heavenly Father in bringing more souls into the fold, and it requires us prayer and fasting, and purity is always crucial to power in the ministry, to be sensitive enough to the promptings of the spirit that would lead us to those people who are pure in heart and ready to be taught and accept the gospel of Jesus Christ.

I am also glad that we have come up with our “Ward Mission Newsletter” that will inspire, uplift us and will serve as one of the effective tools to do the Lord's work.

With your full support, Let us join our hands together to put forth our best efforts by keeping the spirit of missionary work within us and radiating it to those people around us.

Your Servant,

Bro. Romie A. Policarpio



Editor's Note...



It is my privilege to be a part of the first CABUYAO WARD MISSIONARY Newsletter.

I am grateful to all the ward missionaries, Full time missionaries and leaders who have contributed to make this happen. The purpose of this project is not only to inform the members about the activities of the ward missionaries and full time missionaries assigned here in Cabuyao Ward and also to our beloved elders and sisters who are currently serving their full time mission nationwide but to inspire all the readers through the gospel of Jesus Christ and the importance of sharing the great happiness and eternal life to all.

I have been blessed many times in my life by knowing the restored truth and the plan of salvation. I feel glad every time I share them to the investigators, less active and active members of the church. I believe that our testimony will grow as we share them.

We belong to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter day Saints. And we are beloved sons and daughters of our Heavenly Father who loves us so much. I hope that you will enjoy reading the articles.

May you all have a joyful Christmas with your loved ones.

Yours truly,

Mary Ann Pada

The Full Time Missionaries



In DOCTRINE AND COVENANTS 64:34 "The Lord requireth the Heart and a willing mind". Brothers and sisters no matter what how tough the works are, no matter how discourage we are and the things are going on the wrong way, we must strengthen our heart because it's the center of thoughts, knowledge, and affection. The Lord asks our willing heart and mind in doing missionary work. So let us not weary and always be diligent in inviting all the people to come unto Christ through baptism and confirmation.

- Elder Gorospe and Elder Dango

Sincerely Yours, Sister....



Dear Cabuyao Saints,

I've been almost 2 months here in my first area which is Marikina 2nd Ward (shoe capital of the Phils.) The members are nice and they fellowship the recent converts and investigators. I hope that you will continue to support the missionary work. The Philippines Quezon City or Preach My Gospel Mission is using this missionary manual called Preach my Gospel in every study and in all our meetings. Every leaders and members of the church should have a copy of the PMG. This will help us know our individual responsibility as full time missionaries, leaders, ward missionaries, and even members. This book contains the modern revelation from the Lord through our living Prophets on how to proclaim His Gospel.

**Always
Sister Sevilla
(Philippine Quezon City Mission)**

WHO IS OUR WARD MISSION LEADER?

Did you know that our ward mission leader was called as a full time missionary 20 years ago? Yes. He was assigned in the Philippines Quezon City Mission on September 21, 1987. But you can still feel his burning desire to serve the Lord in the Missionary Program of the Church. Brother Romeo Policarpio was born and raised in the “Queen City of the South”, Cebu City. Brother Romie is humble and diligent in his calling and to the previous callings that he had when he was still in Cebu. These church callings in Cebu Stakes (Cebu City South, Mandaue and Talisay Stakes), include High Counselor, Auditor, Young Men President and Stake Mission President. In addition, he was called as Branch President, Elders Quorum President, Ward Clerk, Ward Young Men President, Gospel Doctrine Teacher, Seminary Teacher and Ward Mission Leader.

And for the second time, he is magnifying a great calling as Ward Mission Leader of Cabuyao Ward.

Indeed, he is an example of the Lord who never gets tired of serving his fellowmen because he believes what King Mosiah said that “.....when ye are in the service of your fellow beings ye are only in the service of your God” (Mosiah 2:17).

He is married to Sister Marietta Ronquillo-Policarpio in the Philippines Manila Temple. They are blessed to have a child named Celestial RM.

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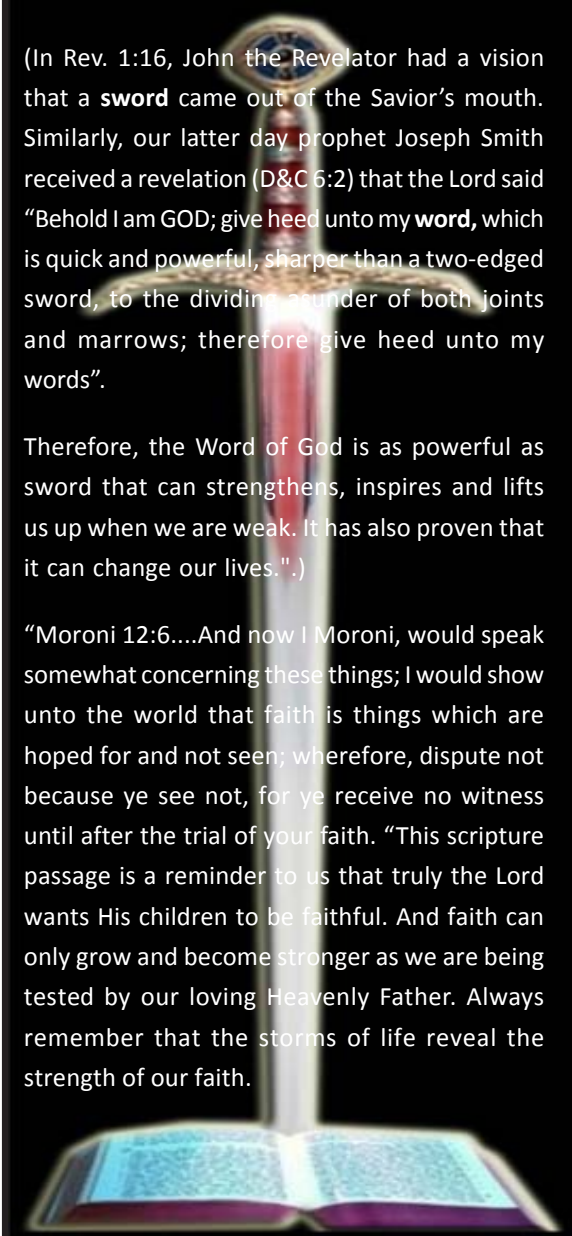
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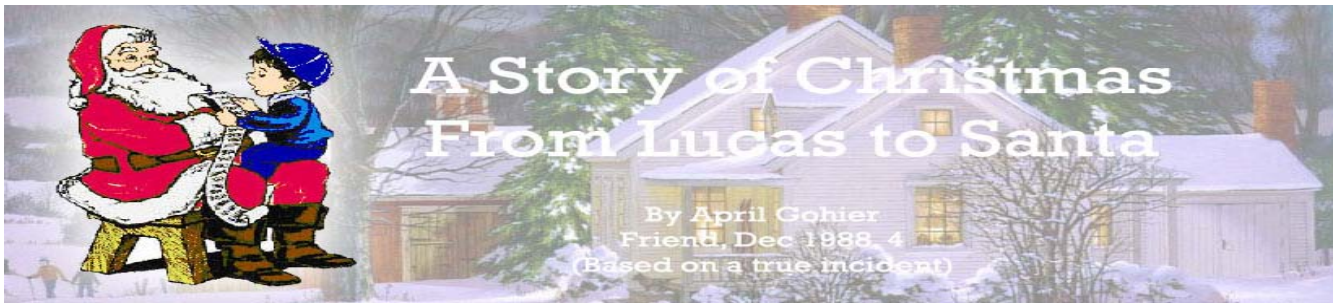
“WORDS LIKE SWORDS”



(In Rev. 1:16, John the Revelator had a vision that a **word** came out of the Savior's mouth. Similarly, our latter day prophet Joseph Smith received a revelation (D&C 5:2) that the Lord said "Behold I am GOD; give heed unto my **word**, which is quick and powerful, sharper than a two-edged sword, to the dividing asunder of both joints and marrows; therefore give heed unto my words".)

Therefore, the Word of God is as powerful as sword that can strengthens, inspires and lifts us up when we are weak. It has also proven that it can change our lives.")

"Moroni 12:6....And now I Moroni, would speak somewhat concerning these things; I would show unto the world that faith is things which are hoped for and not seen; wherefore, dispute not because ye see not, for ye receive no witness until after the trial of your faith. "This scripture passage is a reminder to us that truly the Lord wants His children to be faithful. And faith can only grow and become stronger as we are being tested by our loving Heavenly Father. Always remember that the storms of life reveal the strength of our faith.



When Mom looked up from peeling the potatoes for supper, she saw Lucas standing in the kitchen doorway with a furrowed brow and a book in his hand. "What are you reading that makes you look so serious?" Mom questioned, wiping her hands on a towel.

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Mom sat in a kitchen chair and lifted Lucas onto her lap. "I thought that *The Night Before Christmas* was one of your happy books," she said.

"It is, Mom, but why is Santa smoking a pipe?" Lucas asked. "Isn't he a Latter-day Saint like us?"

Mom was quiet for a bit as they looked at the picture of Santa with his pipe making a circle of smoke around his head. "I guess," she said slowly, "that maybe the missionaries haven't been to the North Pole yet to teach him about the restored gospel and about why it's so important not to smoke."

"But, Mom, everybody knows Santa Claus. Why hasn't someone told him?"

"I don't know," Mom answered, stroking Lucas's hair gently. "I guess someone really should." Then she gave Lucas a squeeze and asked, "Do you want to help me peel the potatoes?"

"No thanks, Mom," he replied. "I need some 'time out to think' time."

"OK, Champ, but don't be late for supper," she said as he slid off her lap and headed for his bedroom.

Lucas climbed onto his bed, lay on his stomach, and opened his book again to the page with Santa smoking. All that year they had been learning in Primary about being missionaries. Sister Franklin had said that even a Sunbeam could be a missionary. Santa must have held a lot of Sunbeams on his lap. Hadn't even one of

them told Santa about being a Mormon? Suddenly Lucas scrambled off the bed, ran over to his bookshelves, put away his storybook, and took his favorite book from the shelf. He had a happy smile on his face when he went into the living room. He had a plan.

That night after supper Lucas asked Mom and Dad to come to his bedroom for a meeting. Mom didn't even wash the dishes first, because she could tell that this was an important meeting to Lucas. When his parents were seated on the bed, Lucas showed them a package wrapped in newspaper comics. "Billy Anderson said that Santa is going to be at the mall this Saturday. I want give this to him."

"You want to give Santa a present?" Dad asked. "That's wonderful. Do you mind if we ask what it is, Son?"

Lucas showed Dad the page in his storybook with Santa and the pipe. "You see, Dad, I don't think that Santa is a member of the Church. Mom said that maybe no one has told him about Heavenly Father's plan and about not smoking. So I want to give him the Book of Mormon that you gave me when we started to read it as a family. I thought that you and Mom could give me another one for Christmas. That way Santa will know about what's important, and maybe he'll stop smoking that pipe."

Dad reached out and pulled Lucas onto his lap. Mom reached over and patted his hand. Her eyes were watery, and Dad's were too. That surprised Lucas a little. "It's all right to give my Book of Mormon to Santa, isn't it, Dad?"

"Yes, Son. It's more than all right—it's terrific! I'm very proud of you, Lucas. I'm proud that you want to be a missionary and share the gospel with others."

Mom said, "Lucas, why don't you let me

help you write your testimony in the front of the book. You can put your name and address inside so that Santa will know who cares so much about him. Then you can wrap it again in Christmas paper, and I bet I can even find a bow for you to put on top. Would you like that?"

"Yea! All right!" Lucas yelled, ripping off the wrapping as fast as he could.

Dad took a pen out of his shirt pocket and handed it to Mom.

"Dear Santa," Lucas began, "I am worried about you because I saw in a picture that you smoke. Smoking is bad for you. Heavenly Father loves us and wants us to be good to our bodies. This book is all about Heavenly Father and Jesus Christ. I read it with my family every day. It makes me happy. You are so nice to all the children that I want you to be happy too."

"That sounds great, Son," Dad said. "I'm glad to hear that reading the Book of Mormon as a family makes you happy."

"I want to write my name," Lucas told Mom. "You can write our phone number under it."

Afterward Dad did the dishes while Mom helped Lucas cut, fold,

and tape the Christmas wrapping paper. Lucas put a big gold bow on last, and the gift looked super. Then Mom put it on top of the refrigerator so that nothing would happen to it before Saturday.

On Saturday morning there was a long line of children waiting at the mall to sit on Santa's lap. It was hard for Lucas to wait, but finally his turn came. He was so excited that he jumped onto Santa's lap.

"Well," Santa exclaimed, "aren't you happy today! And what do you want Santa to bring you for Christmas?"

"Nothing," Lucas said. "I just want to give you this." He handed the gift to Santa, gave him a hug, and ran back to his mom and dad. When he looked over his shoulder, Santa was just sitting there, looking a little surprised.

That night Lucas was brushing his teeth when the phone rang. Dad answered it and talked for a few minutes, then called Lucas. "The phone call's for you, Lucas. It's Santa Claus."

"Wow! Really?" he shouted as he ran to the phone.

"Hello, Lucas. Remember me? You sat on my lap and gave me a present this morning."

"Sure I remember. Did you read the Book of Mormon?"

"Well, I haven't had time to read the whole thing,"

the voice on the

phone said

with a

chuckle.

"I had to

work all

day. But I

did read

what you

wrote in it and

the first few pages. I

was wondering if I could come over tonight and meet your mom and dad."

"Great!" Lucas exclaimed. "I'll ask them. Dad, Mom, Santa wants to know if he can come over to our house tonight. He can, can't he?"

"Sure he can," Dad answered. "Why don't you let me talk to him for a few minutes after you finish so I can make sure that he knows how to find our house."

"Dad, he's Santa Claus. He knows where everyone lives.

"You're probably right, but I'd still like to talk to him. It's not every day that Santa Claus calls on the phone."

Lucas grinned. "It's OK with my dad," he said, "and anything OK with him is OK with Mom." He handed Dad the phone and ran into the bathroom to finish brushing his teeth.

When Lucas went back to the living room, he asked, "Do you think he'll come in his sleigh?"

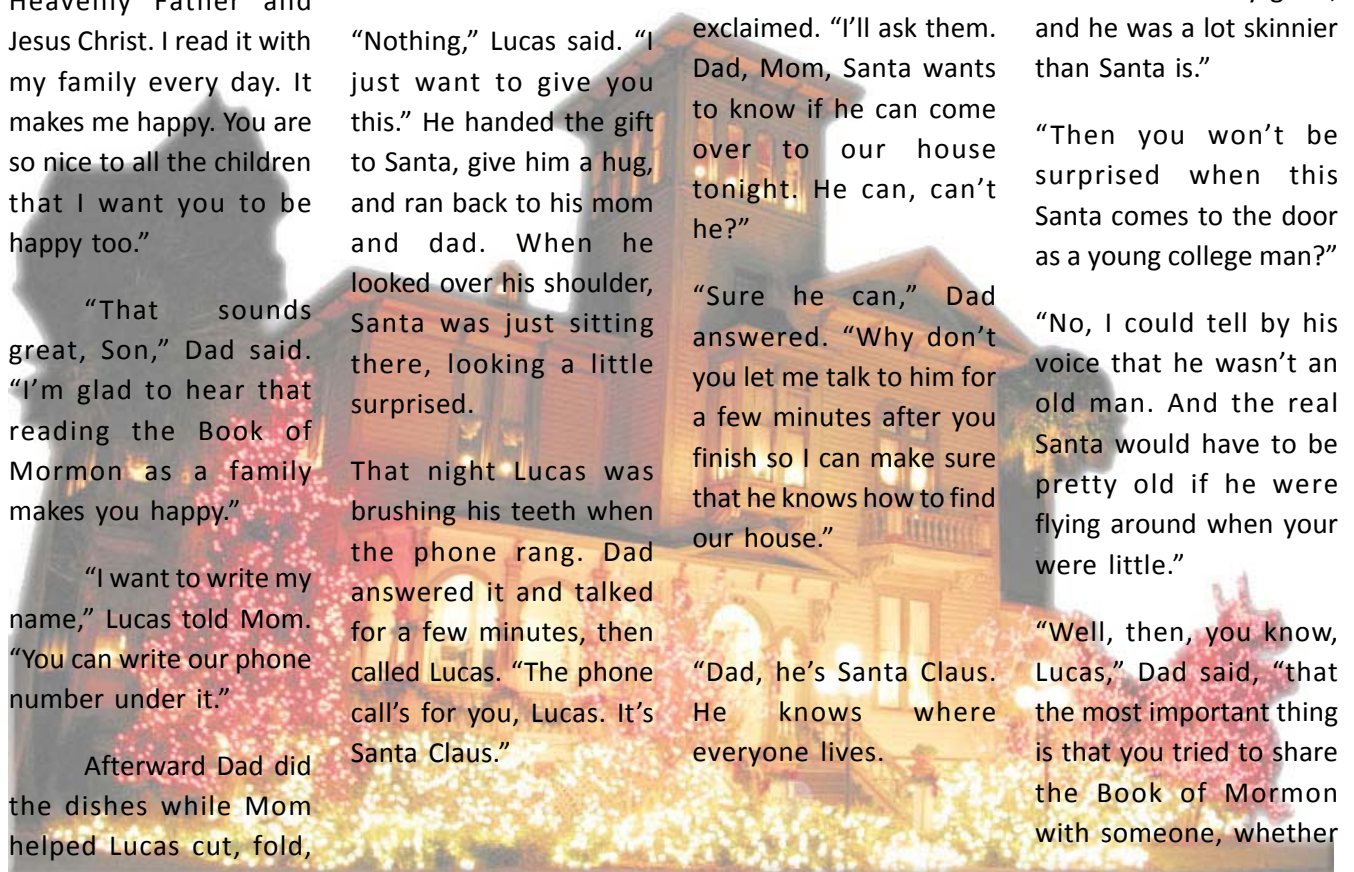
"No," Dad answered. "He'll be driving a dark blue car. We need to talk about that for a few minutes, OK?"

Lucas said, "If you mean that he's not really Santa, but just one of Santa's helpers, I already know that. His beard didn't fit him very good, and he was a lot skinnier than Santa is."

"Then you won't be surprised when this Santa comes to the door as a young college man?"

"No, I could tell by his voice that he wasn't an old man. And the real Santa would have to be pretty old if he were flying around when you were little."

"Well, then, you know, Lucas," Dad said, "that the most important thing is that you tried to share the Book of Mormon with someone, whether



or not he was the real Santa.”

“I know. Missionaries teach everyone they can.”

Just then a car pulled into the driveway. Lucas jumped up and ran out the door before the young man even had time to get out of his car.



“Come in, Santa Claus,” he shouted. “We’re going to tell you all about the Book of Mormon and Jesus Christ and everything!”

Valentine Day was on Saturday that year, and Lucas got dressed in his Sunday clothes. He took an extra long time washing his face and brushing his hair so that he’d look just right.

“Are you ready, Lucas?” Mom called from the living room. “John is here.”

John was the Santa Claus helper, and today he was going to be baptized. Lucas shook John’s hand, and then John reached down and picked him up. “How about a hug, too?” he asked.

“Sure,” Lucas said, squeezing with all his might. “You may be only Santa’s helper, John,” he whispered, “but you’re the best Santa in the world to

me.”

“And you’re the best missionary in the world to me,” John whispered back.



What are the names of Santa Claus's eight reindeer as named in Clement Moore's poem "The Night Before Christmas"?

- Answer: Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Comet, Cupid, Donder, and Blitzen. Note that Rudolph made his first appearance later in 1939.

Do you believe that there are two Christmas Islands?

- Answer:

The Christmas Island in the Pacific Ocean was formerly called Kiritimati.

Christmas Island in the Indian Ocean is 52 square miles.



The Gospel Paragons Trivia

By: Robert delos Reyes Jr.



Did you know why we are always excited to attend the ward correlation meeting?

It is because of the labor of love by Brother Policarpio. Every one of us feels his love, patience, humility and brotherly kindness in our meetings. He prepares snacks for all the ward missionaries such as cinnamon rolls, rice cake, cookies, brownies, pudding, ginataan and many more every correlation meeting.

He gets up early Sunday morning with his very supportive wife just to prepare our food.

So, that's the secret.....

Labor of love!

TEMPLE MASTERY

Test your skills! Just make a guess and match the corresponding temple name for each picture. Insert a particular number of your guess and enjoy! Goodluck!

- 10) Bismarck North Dakota
- 8) Boston Massachussets
- 5) Cochachamba Bolivia
- 1) Hermosillo Sonora Mexico
- 4) Logan Utah
- 2) Orlando Florida
- 6) Cebu Phils
- 3) Porto Alegre
- 7) St. George Utah
- 9) Washington DC

Answer will be given in the next issue...

SCRIPTURE MASTERY

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| 1. _____ always, that you may come off conqueror; yea, that.... | 3. For I the Lord, will _____ all men according to their works.... | 6. The Lord looketh at the _____... | 9. Choose ye this day, whom ye will _____. |
| 2. Do not _____ the day of your repentance... | 4. Though your sins be a _____.... | 7. I the Lord, am _____, when ye do what I say.... | 10. Faith without work is _____. |
| 5. Ye are the _____ of the world.... | | 8. And the other sheep I have which are not of this _____. | |



“ Poem to Ponder ”

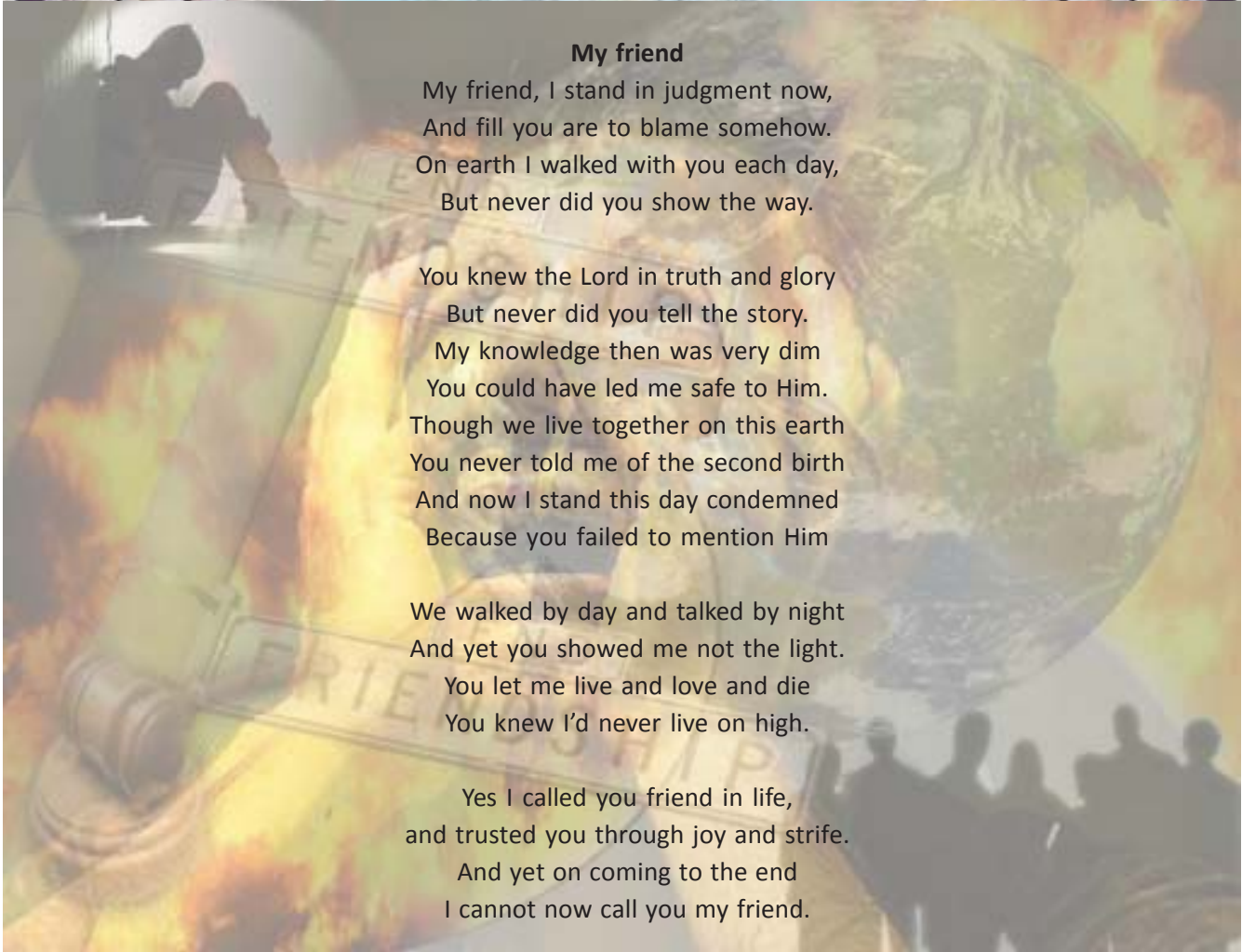
My friend

My friend, I stand in judgment now,
 And fill you are to blame somehow.
 On earth I walked with you each day,
 But never did you show the way.

You knew the Lord in truth and glory
 But never did you tell the story.
 My knowledge then was very dim
 You could have led me safe to Him.
 Though we live together on this earth
 You never told me of the second birth
 And now I stand this day condemned
 Because you failed to mention Him

We walked by day and talked by night
 And yet you showed me not the light.
 You let me live and love and die
 You knew I'd never live on high.

Yes I called you friend in life,
 and trusted you through joy and strife.
 And yet on coming to the end
 I cannot now call you my friend.



S-free-textual-messages

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1.) *wen struggles of
 life seem so heavy
 2 bear, don't ask
 GOD 2 lighten d
 load but ask HIM
 2 strengthen ur back,
 4 u 2 Carry dem.
 B strong!
 GOD is wid u...:)*

2.) *Only JESUS
 can satisfy
 the longing
 of your
 soul
 and meet your
 every need. God Bless*





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