

THE LIGHTHOUSE

UTAH PROVO MISSION

MEMBER MISSIONARY PROGRAM

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PURPOSE FOR MISSIONARIES

THE LIGHTHOUSE PROGRAM IS SET UP TO HELP MISSIONARIES USE THEIR SKILLS ON A REGULAR BASIS. PRESIDENT GREGSON HAS STATED THAT "WE ONLY HAVE 55,000 NON MEMBERS IN THIS MISSION. WE ARE AT OUR LIMIT AS FAR AS THE NUMBER OF MISSIONARIES WE CAN HAVE SO WE MUST BECOME BETTER TEACHERS". THIS PROGRAM WILL:

#1. HELP FULFILL THE 48 DISCUSSION COMMITMENT. #2. BECOME THE MASTER TEACHER THE LORD WANTS YOU TO BE. #3. FULFILL THE COMMITMENT OF PRESIDENT HINCKLEY

TO USE THE MEMBERS TO HELP FIND PEOPLE TO TEACH. #4. INCREASE YOUR EFFECTIVENESS IN YOUR USE OF

THE LORDS TIME. #5. IT WILL SHOW THE LORD THAT YOU LOVE ALL OF THE

LORDS CHILDREN AND NOT JUST THOSE WHO ARE NON-MEMBERS. #6. MOST IMPORTANT YOUR TESTIMONY ON TEACHING

THE GOSPEL AS THE LORDS REPRESENTATIVE WILL GROW IN A WAY THAT YOU CAN NOT IMAGINE. THE MEMBERS ARE BLESSED WITH THE SPIRIT OF MISSIONARY WORK. THE LORD WILL BLESS YOU BOTH TEMPORALLY AND SPIRITUALLY AS YOU USE HIS TIME.

USE THIS PROGRAM AND YOU WILL SEE THE JOY OF TEACHING THE GOSPEL 24 HOURS A DAY 7 DAYS A WEEK.

PURPOSE FOR MEMBERS

THE LIGHTHOUSE PROGRAM IS A MEMBER MISSIONARY PROGRAM. WE WORK TOGETHER TO BLESS THE LIVES OF OTHERS. THIS WILL HELP BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN MEMBERS AND MISSIONARIES AND AS A RESULT WE WILL HAVE INCREASED MISSIONARY WORK. THE WAY THIS IS DONE WILL BE EXPLAINED IN THE SECTION "THE BACK BONE". THIS PROGRAM WILL HELP THE MEMBERS IN THESE WAYS.

- #1. YOU WILL BRING THE SPIRIT INTO THEIR HOMES.
- #2. YOU WILL ACTIVATE MEMBERS AND HELP OTHERS FEEL THE JOY OF DOING MISSIONARY WORK.
- #3. YOU WILL STRENGTHEN THE TESTIMONIES OF THOSE WHO ARE ACTIVE.
- #4. MOST IMPORTANT YOU WILL INCREASE THE TRUST OF THE MEMBERS IN YOUR STAKES AND WARDS.

AS YOU USE THIS PROGRAM YOU WILL HAVE SOME OF THE MOST SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCES OF YOUR MISSION.

MEMBERS WHO ARE HOME DURING THE DAY

THE BACK BONE

THIS LIST OF MEMBERS IS ESSENTIAL TO THE PROGRESS OF THIS PROGRAM. YOU NEED TO CONTACT THE WARD MISSION LEADER AND ASK HIM FOR FAMILIES THAT ARE HOME DURING THE DAY. THE AMOUNT OF WARDS YOU COVER WILL DETERMINE HOW MANY FAMILIES YOU ASK FOR FROM EACH WARD.

1 STAKES=4 FAMILIES FROM EACH WARD

2 STAKES=3 FAMILIES FROM EACH WARD 3 OR
MORE STAKES=2 FAMILIES FROM EACH WARD

BECAUSE WE ARE ASKING FOR FAMILIES THAT ARE HOME DURING THE DAY. YOU WILL FIND THAT MOST OF THE FAMILIES ARE RETIRED PEOPLE, OR SHIFT WORKERS. FOR THOSE THAT TEACH ON CAMPUS, YOU MUST FIND STUDENTS WHO HAVE BREAKS IN BETWEEN CLASSES. IF YOU FIND WARDS THAT DON'T HAVE A LOT OF FAMILIES THAT ARE HOME DURING THE DAY, ASK FOR MORE FAMILIES OUT OF OTHER WARDS.

AFTER YOU HAVE EXPLAINED THIS TO THE WML YOU NEED TO HAVE THEM CONTACT THE FAMILY AND HAVE THE WML ASK FOR PERMISSION FOR US TO COME AND TEACH THEM. THEN THEY GIVE YOU THE NAME AND YOU CONTACT THE FAMILY AND SET UP A TIME TO TEACH THEM. AFTER YOU HAVE GIVEN ALL 4 PRESENTATIONS, ASK THE WML FOR NEW FAMILIES.

EVENTUALLY THIS WILL BECOME A LIST YOU CAN USE TO FURTHER ALL ASPECTS OF MISSIONARY WORK. AS YOU WORK MORE AND MORE WITH THE MEMBERS, YOU WILL SEE THE TRUST GROW AS WELL AS THE PEOPLE YOU TEACH.

WARD RECORDS

WARD RECORDS WILL BE KEPT IN THE LIGHTHOUSE BINDER. YOU SHOULD HAVE A DIVIDER FOR EACH WARD FOR THOSE MEMBERS WHOM YOU ARE WORKING WITH. IN THE SECTION OF THE DIFFERENT WARDS YOU WILL HAVE A MEMBER WORK LIST SHEET. THIS SHEET WILL HELP YOU FOLLOW THE PROGRESS OF THOSE MEMBERS YOU ARE TEACHING. THE MEMBER WORK LIST SHEET INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

NAME:

ADDRESS:

PHONE NUMBER:

STAKE:

WARD:

PRESENTATION: DESCRIBE THE PRESENTATION YOU SHARED WITH THE FAMILY. COMMENT ON WHAT TOOK PLACE. COPY DOWN THE REFERRALS GIVEN. REFER TO LIST OF PRESENTATIONS ON WHAT TO SHARE WITH EACH FAMILY. YOU CAN USE THIS INFORMATION TO HELP YOU REMEMBER WHO THEY'RE WORKING WITH.

LIST OF AUXILIARIES AND MEMBERS

THIS IS A LIST OF ALL THE OFFICERS AND THEIR RESPECTED CALLINGS. THIS IS KNOWN AS THE MIS 121 FORM. YOU CAN OBTAIN THIS LIST FROM THE WML. THIS WILL HELP YOU UPDATE YOUR CURRENT AUXILIARY LIST AND GIVE YOU INFORMATION TO HELP YOU KNOW HOW TO HELP THESE MEMBERS.

THE MIS 231 FORM IS A FORM THAT HAS THE FAMILIES IN EACH WARD. IF THEY ARE NOT UPDATED THEN ASK FOR A NEW MIS 231 FORM. THIS WILL GIVE YOU VITAL INFORMATION ON THE FAMILY.

THIS IS SOMETHING THAT WILL GO HAND AND HAND WITH THE NEW **R.I.C.M.** BOOK.

LIST OF PRESENTATIONS

YOU AND YOUR COMPANION WILL GIVE FOUR PRESENTATIONS TO EACH FAMILY OVER THE COURSE OF A MONTH.

1. 'MY JOY IS FULL' PRESENTATION

USE THIS PRESENTATION TO SHARE FEELINGS ON THE SAVIOR. EXPLAIN THE EVENTS THAT HAPPENED JUST BEFORE THE SAVIOR CAME TO AMERICA. USING 3NEPHI CHAPTERS 11& 17 AS THE GUIDE LINE. TAKE 10 MINUTES TO EXPLAIN THE SCRIPTURES. THEN PLAY THE "MY JOY IS FULL" VIDEO. AFTER THE VIDEO ASK THEM TO SHARE THEIR FEELINGS. THEN ASK THEM TO SHARE THE TIME WHEN JESUS CHRIST PERFORMED A SPECIAL MIRACLE IN THEIR LIFE. AFTER WHICH YOU WILL COMMIT THEM TO HAVE A FAMILY IN THEIR HOME TO HEAR THE DISCUSSIONS FOUR WEEKS FROM NOW (SET THE DATE). SET UP A TIME TO COME AND SEE THEM FOR THE NEXT PRESENTATION.

2. FIRST DISCUSSION PRESENTATION

USE THIS PRESENTATION TO GIVE MEMBERS A REFRESHER COURSE IN THE BASIC BELIEFS OF THE CHURCH. THIS WILL GIVE THEM KNOWLEDGE OF THE GOSPEL TO BE ABLE TO SHARE IT WITH OTHERS. IT WILL ALSO FLOOD THEIR HOMES WITH THE SPIRIT. IDENTIFY THE SPIRIT THEN INVITE THEM TO ASK SOME ONE TO HEAR THE FIRST DISCUSSION PRESENTATION. THIS MAY INCLUDE ACTIVE MEMBERS, LESS ACTIVE MEMBERS, AND NON-MEMBERS. YOU WILL THEN COMMIT THE FAMILY TO BEAR THEIR TESTIMONY AT LEAST ONCE A DAY FOR THE NEXT SEVEN DAYS. LET THEM KNOW THAT YOU'LL BE COMING BACK TO SHARE THE NEXT PRESENTATION AND FOLLOW-UP ON THE PAST COMMITMENT.

3. TURNING POINT PRESENTATION

USE THIS VIDEO TO BRING OUT THEIR FEELINGS TOWARDS OTHERS THAT HAVE TOUCHED THEIR LIFE. AFTER THE VIDEO IS READY AND YOU HAVE FOLLOWED UP ON THE PAST WEEKS COMMITMENT THEN PLAY THE VIDEO. AFTER THE VIDEO ASK THEM TO SHARE THEIR FAVORITE PART. THEN ASK THEM "WHO IS SOME ONE OR SOMETHING THAT HAS CREATED A TURNING POINT IN YOUR LIFE". SHARE YOUR FEELINGS OF HOW THEY MIGHT TOUCH A FAMILY MEMBER OR FRIEND'S LIFE. INVITE THEM TO PERFORM A SMALL CHARITABLE ACT FOR SOME ONE IN THE NEXT WEEK.

MAKE THIS A "TURNING POINT" IN THEIR LIFE!

4. FOURTH DISCUSSION PRESENTATION

(FIRST 5 PRINCIPLES OF THE 4TH DISCUSSION AND THE "TOGETHER FOREVER" VIDEO)

USE THIS FINAL PRESENTATION TO SHOW THEM THE IMPORTANCE OF THE PLAN OF SALVATION AND ETERNAL FAMILIES. EXPRESS THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING ALL OF OUR HEAVENLY FATHER'S CHILDREN RECEIVE THE NECESSARY ORDINANCES TO RECEIVE ETERNAL LIFE. AT THIS TIME RECOMMIT THEM TO INVITE SOMEONE TO HEAR THIS SAME PRESENTATION BY YOUR NEXT FOLLOW-UP VISIT.

RECORDS

AS YOU KNOW THE KEY TO ANY AREA IS A MISSIONARY WITH GOOD WORK HABITS. ONE OF THESE HABITS HAS BEEN STRESSED IN THE FAST, "THE HABIT OF GOOD RECORDED KEEPING".

LIKE WITH ANY AREA, THE KEY TO THIS PROGRAM IS GOOD RECORDS. THIS PROGRAM WILL NOT WORK IF YOU DO NOT KEEP GOOD RECORDS.

EVERY NIGHT YOU SHOULD UPDATE WHAT YOU HAVE DONE WITH THE FAMILIES YOU ARE TEACHING. IT ONLY TAKES TWO MINUTES TO WRITE DOWN THE THINGS THAT HAVE HAPPENED. PLEASE KEEP THIS MOST IMPORTANT COMMITMENT.

PRESENTATION TO STAKE MISSIONS

THE WAY YOU PRESENT THIS PROGRAM IS ESSENTIAL TO THE SUCCESS OF IT. THERE ARE SEVERAL WAYS TO PRESENT THIS PROGRAM TO THE STAKE MISSIONS. HERE ARE SOME THINGS THAT WILL HELP.

MAKE SURE THAT BEFORE YOU START TO PRESENT ANYTHING THAT YOU LET THE STAKE MISSION KNOW HOW MUCH THEY APPRECIATED FOR ALL THAT THEY DO. THIS WILL HELP THEM HAVE AN ATTITUDE OF WANTING TO SUPPORT YOU AND HELP YOU WITH THE THINGS YOU NEED.

MOST STAKE MISSIONS HAVE HAD PROGRAMS THAT THEY HAVE USED IN THE PAST. MOST OF THE PROGRAMS THEY HAVE USED HAVEN'T HAD THE IMPORTANCE PLACED ON LESS ACTIVE MEMBERS. YOU WANT TO STRESS THAT THIS WILL INVOLVE ACTIVE, LESS ACTIVE, AND NON-MEMBERS. MOST PEOPLE ON A WARD LEVEL WILL BE WILLING TO USE A PROGRAM THAT INVOLVES LESS ACTIVE MEMBERS.

LET THEM KNOW OF THE BLESSINGS THAT WILL COME TO THE MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS. TELL THEM ABOUT 2NEPHI 28:21, AND ALMA 60:22. REMIND THEM OF WHAT PRESIDENT HINCKLEY HAS ASKED US TO DO AS MISSIONARIES, AND HOW THIS PROGRAM WILL HELP US FULFILL THIS CHARGE.

GET THE STAKE MISSION INVOLVED BY ASKING GOOD FIND OUT QUESTIONS. QUESTIONS THAT HELP THEM UNDERSTAND WHY THIS PROGRAM IS VITAL TO THEIR STAKE MISSION.

THIS IS THE PROGRAM WE WILL BE USING IN UTAH PROVO MISSION. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT ANY ASPECT OF THE PROGRAM, JUST ASK YOUR LEADERS.

NAME:

WARD:

ADDRESS:

STAKE:

PHONE #:

DATE:

1ST PRESENTATION:

COMMITMENT:

FOLLOW UP DATE:

COMMENTS:

2ND PRESENTATION:

COMMITMENT:

FOLLOW UP DATE:

COMMENTS:

3RD PRESENTATION:

COMMITMENT:

FOLLOW UP DATE:

COMMENTS:

4TH PRESENTATION:

COMMITMENT:

FOLLOW UP DATE:

COMMENTS: