Family History
Work on Both Sides of the Veil
2019
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Daniel 2: 35& 44

“And..shall the god of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed…and it shall stand forever”

“And became a great mountain and filled the whole earth”
It’s About the Plan

plan of salvation : plan of happiness : plan of eternal progress

• Alma 12:32 “Therefore God gave unto them commandments, after having made known unto them the plan of redemption”.
What is the great latter-day work?

Gather Israel

Moses
Keys of the Gathering of Israel
Missionary Work

April 3 1836,
Kirtland

Elias
Keys of Abrahamic Covenant
Sanctifying the Gathered

Elijah
Keys of the Sealing Power
Salvation of Living & Dead

Pres Nelson, Apr 2018
D&C 45:55
And Satan shall be bound that he shall have no place in the hearts of the children of men.
Moses 1:21
And Moses received strength, and called upon God, saying: In the name of the Only Begotten, depart hence, Satan
D&C 20:77

...that they are willing to take upon them the name of thy Son, and always remember Him...
Think as Christ would think
Speak as Christ would speak
Act as Christ would act
How Do We Learn Skills

Expert Basketball

Piano Virtuoso

Constant Revelation
“No work is more of a protection to [us] than...genealogical research. ... No work is more spiritually refining. No work we do gives us more power. No work requires a higher standard of righteousness. Our labors...cover us with a shield and a protection.”

Boyd K Packer
The Holy Temple
A Shield and a Protection?

How?
Help from Beyond the Veil

“Whoever seeks to help those on the other side receives help in turn in all the affairs of life…Help comes to us from the other side as we give help to those who have passed beyond the veil.”

John A Widtsoe
July 1931
Helpers Known to Us

“When messengers are sent to minister to the inhabitants of this earth, they are not strangers, but from the ranks of our kindred, friends, and fellow-beings and fellow-servants”

Joseph F Smith
Gospel Doctrine p.435
Agency is a Law of Heaven
“the Lord will force no man to heaven”

D&C 121:37

“when we undertake to...exercize control, dominion or compulsion upon the souls of men...the heavens withdraw themselves and the spirit of the Lord is grieved.”
The Plan

Multi-generational families, on both sides of the veil working together...

...so each family member is identified, sanctified, and sealed up unto exaltation through the saving ordinances and covenants.

All are gatherers