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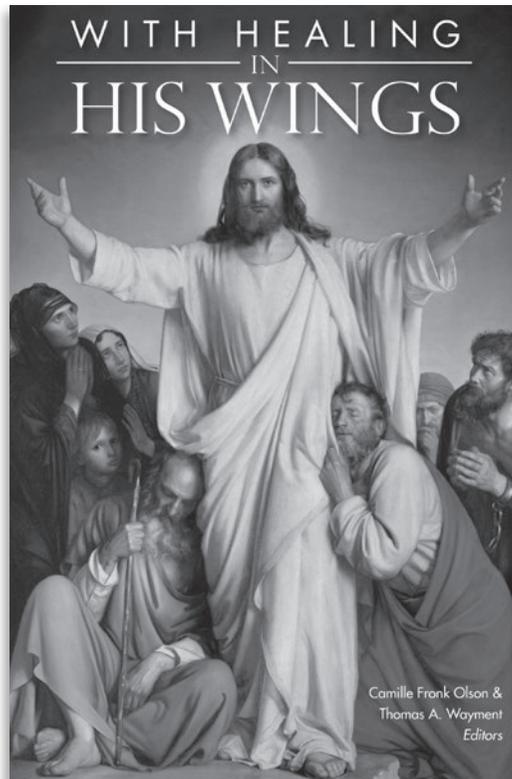
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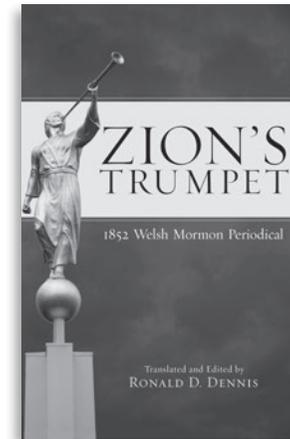


### With Healing in His Wings

Edited by Thomas A. Wayment,  
Camille Fronk Olsen

At times, prophets have compared various aspects of the Savior's ministry to the mother hen, teaching that he has healing in his wings. The Savior likewise used that metaphor to describe his own power to offer refuge to his followers. By likening himself to a mother hen, the Savior testifies that he will cover us symbolically with his wings to save us if we, like the chicks, will come to him. This volume discusses the Savior, his life, his mission, the Atonement, and his healing influence in our lives today. Contributing authors are Elder Gary J. Coleman, Elder John M. Madsen, Brad Wilcox, Brent L. Top, Andy C. Skinner, and Gaye Strathearn.

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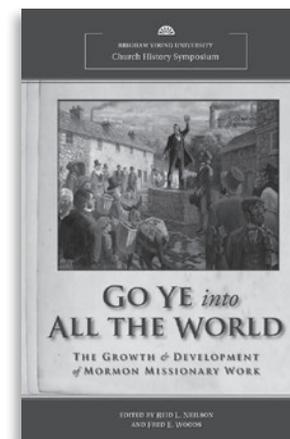


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Edited by Ronald D. Dennis

The epic story of the early Welsh Mormons was virtually unknown until Professor Dennis personally mastered nineteenth century Welsh—a major challenge even for a linguist. After writing impressive books on Welsh immigration and literature, he focused for twelve years on producing “facsimile translations,” or reproductions of early Welsh missionary texts and volumes of official Welsh Mormon periodicals produced during the great harvest of converts from that land. Virtually alone, Dennis continues to work to preserve the full story of how the early preaching of the restored gospel inspired both fiery debate and heroic sacrifice among the people of Wales. This volume is another important disclosure in this saga, part of Dennis's continuing efforts to translate all early Welsh Mormon literature.

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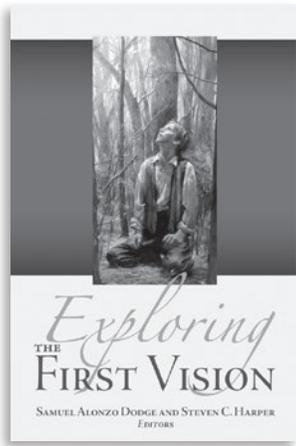
### Go Ye into All the World

Edited by Reid L. Neilson and Fred E. Woods

Just as the risen Christ charged his Apostles, “Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature,” he also charged his latter-day followers to do likewise. Using the Prophet Joseph Smith as his instrument, the Lord created his missionary system early in the Restoration. The Church has used all righteous means available to take the gospel to the world, and the ways and means continue to expand. The outreach of the Church through missionary work is nothing short of amazing.

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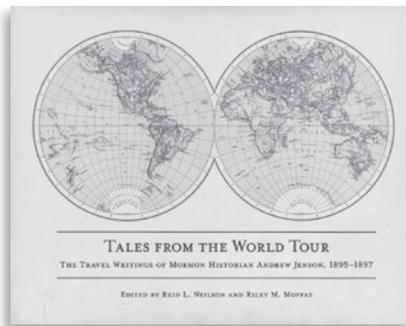
### Exploring the First Vision

Edited by Samuel Alonzo Dodge and Steven C. Harper

This volume explores some of the seminal articles that examine Joseph Smith's First Vision, which were written by the foremost experts who have studied it for half a century. This book preserves and shares that work. Those who study the First Vision today depend very much on the works of the scholars that are reprinted in this volume. The book includes articles by and interviews with James B. Allen, Richard L. Anderson, Milton V. Backman Jr., Richard L. Bushman, Steven C.

Harper, Dean C. Jessee, Larry C. Porter, and John W. Welch.

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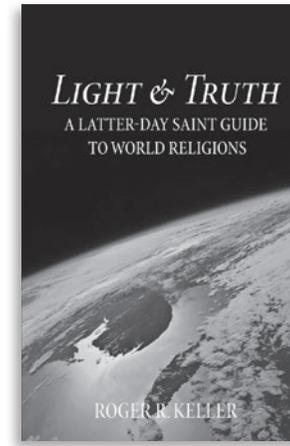
### Tales from the World Tour: The 1895-1897 Travel Writings of Mormon Historian Andrew Jenson

Edited by Reid L. Neilson and Riley M. Moffat

What was the heritage of Jenson's expedition to Mormondom abroad? How did his two-year fact-finding mission help shape the balance of his

life and the Latter-day Saint historical enterprise? Jenson's global tour was an unprecedented adventure in Latter-day Saint history. Through his own hard work and the seeming hand of Providence, historian Andrew Jenson found his niche as a laborer in the cause of the Restoration. He pursued the goal of collecting and writing comprehensive, accurate, and useful histories of the Church with a rare passion.

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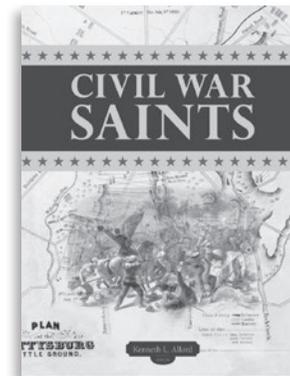
### Light and Truth: A Latter-day Saint Guide to World Religions

Roger R. Keller

Do we as Latter-day Saint Christians really need to know about other faiths? Do we not know all we need to know? Sometimes we create our own skewed version of other faiths. If we are to be a world church, it is helpful to understand and appreciate all the good that God has given to persons beyond the Latter-day Saint pale and to represent it accurately. President George Albert Smith said to persons of other faiths:

“We have come here as your brethren . . . and to say to you: ‘Keep all the good that you have, and let us bring to you more good, in order that you may be happier and in order that you may be prepared to enter into the presence of our Heavenly Father.’”

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### Civil War Saints

Edited by Kenneth L. Alford

This book was written for the sesquicentennial of the Civil War, especially the 150th anniversary of the active federal service of Captain Lot Smith's Utah Cavalry company, an active-duty military unit that served for ninety days of federal service guarding a portion of the Overland Trail. Although Utah Territory was physically removed from the Civil War battlefields and the resulting devastation, the war had

a deep impact on the territory and its inhabitants.

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### The 42nd Annual Sidney B. Sperry Symposium

The Sperry Symposium will be held Saturday, **October 26, 2013**, in the Joseph Smith Building auditorium at the south end of BYU campus. The keynote address will be given by Kent P. Jackson, professor of ancient scripture at BYU. The title of this year's symposium is *Ascending the Mountain of the Lord: Temple, Praise, and Worship in the Old Testament*. For details, visit [rsc.byu.edu](http://rsc.byu.edu).

### 2014 BYU Religious Education Student Symposium

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### BYU Church History Symposium

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### Ancient Scripture Review Board Chairman

Dan Belnap is an associate professor of ancient scripture with a BA in international relations from BYU, an MA in ancient Near Eastern studies from BYU, and another MA and PhD in Northwest Semitics from the University of Chicago. His areas of interest include ritual behavior in ancient and contemporary contexts; comparative religious studies; and the cultural and sociological influences in the Book of Mormon. Besides teaching and writing on the topics above, Dan participates on both the national and international Ritual in the Biblical World committees for the Society of Biblical Literature. He is married to Erin Pinney and has four children: Emma, Jack, Sam, and Tabitha. He enjoys watching BYU volleyball.

### Student Editing Intern

Aleesha Bass is a senior from Lehi, Utah, and is studying English with a minor in editing. She works as an editorial intern, and even though she hasn't worked at the Religious Studies Center very long, she's excited and grateful for the opportunity to be a part of a great team. She plans to graduate in December 2013 and hopes to be editing novels. Aleesha wants to go to Italy one day so she can speak Italian like a pro and eat authentic spaghetti. She likes to read, giggle, watch movies with her family, sew, quote awesome TV shows, and go on journeys with her sister to find the best cupcakes in Utah.



### Student Design Intern

Juliana G. Cox is a senior from Fruit Heights, Utah, studying linguistics with a minor in editing. She enjoyed the editing minor, and along the way she developed a passion for and gained experience in graphic design. She has worked as a graphic design intern for the Religious Studies Center since April 2013. After graduating in August 2013, she plans to continue pursuing a career in design and editing. Juliana's interests include being alone with a good book, talking with her hands (using American Sign Language), singing with purpose, and ballroom dancing with her husband, Caleb.

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