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"SPIRITUAL NEEDS"

Within our complex body system and tied closely with our brain or mental capacity and resource, is our "spirit" or "intelligence," which gives life to this unit. This portion has no beginning nor end, and thus is eternal. As important as this "spirit" is, we have a tendency to neglect its sustenance, or "spiritual food." Many of us are walking testimonies that we aren't neglecting our "temporal food" as we sojourn through life.

We all have opportunities to read the scriptures, participate in prayer, attend all church block meetings--including Sunday School, Relief Society, Primary, Priesthood and Young Womens--taking part in discussions and learning more of our association with our Heavenly Father who loves and is concerned about each of us.

We often regard our "spiritual food" as a 'convenience package' and if it isn't prepared just right, we find it not so palatable. Are we fussy eaters?

It is my prayer that we might be able to differentiate our real needs, and those things of importance as we partake spiritually and temporally and give priority to those "foods" which are lasting into the eternity ahead.

Love,

Bishop Mackintosh



Mission News

Australia Sydney



Brad reports that his parents are as busy in Australia as they were here at home. Their latest letter home said that they were getting ready to host 25 people for dinner.

The first part of their mission experience has kept them very busy receiving new missionaries and sending them out to their new districts, plus preparing to survey the whole mission area.

Keep up the good work, Nick and Donna--we're with you all the way!

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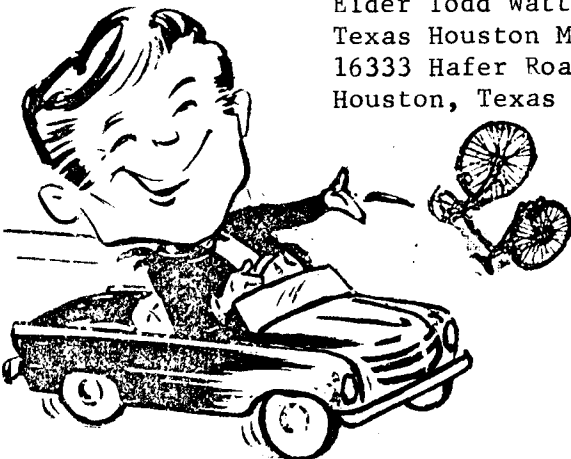
Texas Houston

Elder Watts has just been transferred to a place called College Station, Texas. He is in a car district now, which makes it easier on the feet, and it is also near Texas A & M University--football country!

He says he's doing fine.

Brother Brad Reporting

Elder Todd Watts
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South Carolina Columbia

Dyke is convinced if he can't go to the water this year, the Lord has brought the water to him. It has been raining so much in South Carolina that as they drove down the street, the water came up over the hood of the car (making a beautiful wake). When Dyke returned some of the missionaries in his zone, they found their apartment had seven inches of water in it. He said they took off their shoes, rolled up their pants, and had a blast. It confirms why Dyke's real name is "Duck."

They were able to set up a display on the ship U.S.S. York for Independence Day. He said that ship is BIG!



They have more commitments for baptism this month and he is loving the work. His letters are so fun to get. We are convinced his growth can only be measured by the blessings he is receiving.

Mom Brasher Reporting

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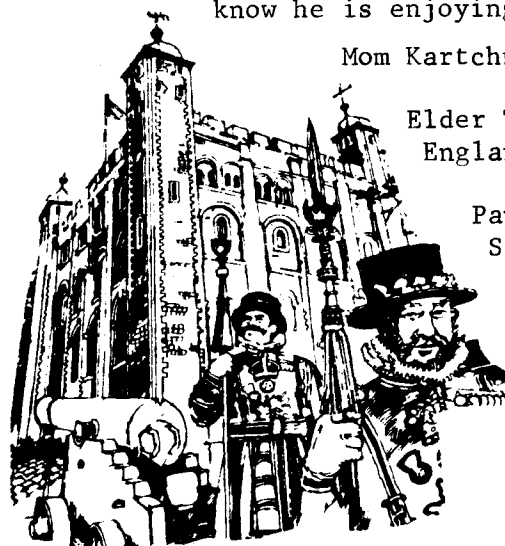
England Manchester

Todd has a new Mission President named President Livingston. He must be awfully busy because he hasn't been writing much, but we know he is enjoying his mission.

Mom Kartchner Reporting

Elder Todd Kartchner
England Manchester
Mission

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Cheshire
WA15 7UP
Manchester
England



Canada Calgary

Franklin continues to enjoy his mission. It was difficult to say goodbye to the Pres. Call family, but didn't take long to accept President Green and his family into his heart.

Franklin is grateful to be able to spend the evenings proselyting after putting in a full day in the mission office.

There is no greater joy than seeing people accept the gospel.

Mom Clawson Reporting

Elder Franklin Clawson
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Sweden Stockholm

This has been a good month for John. He has grown a lot. They have a program to get members involved with missionary work in that a member

will spend a whole week living and working with the missionaries. John

said most of the members in Sweden

know how to speak English,

but a man named Ivan

who spent a week

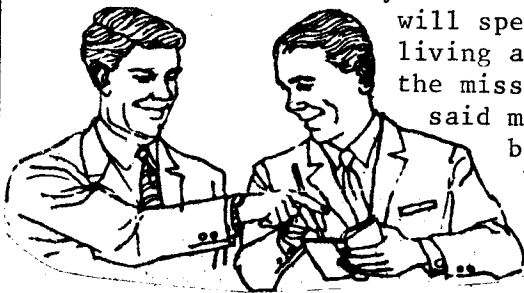
with them knew no English. John had the opportunity of spending some time going door to door and teaching the discussions with Ivan by himself, which helped his ability to listen and understand better.

John and his companion knocked at a man's door by the name of Eric who had had the missionary discussions some years ago. He had a Book of Mormon and had read parts of it. He said it was the most true book that he had ever read. This statement and the talk they had with him was a very thrilling experience for John and his companion.

John is very interested in what is happening in our Ward such as missionary calls, etc. He sends his love and also a conviction of the truthfulness of the Gospel.

Mom Houskeeper Reporting

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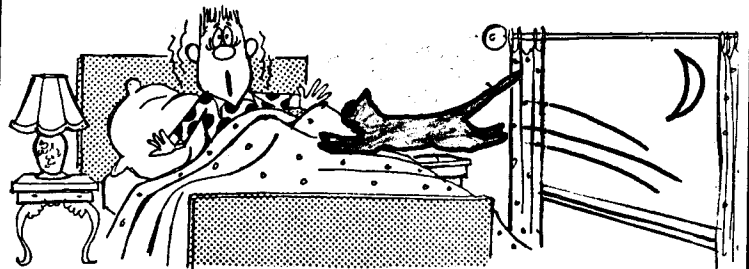
Hong Kong

Steve's first letter home began with "I love it here!" His letters have been filled with enthusiasm and what an unbelievable amount he has learned in two weeks. He loves learning the Cantonese language and is doing very well. He said the food couldn't be better, and he is in a district of six great guys.

They did have a little disturbance one night when a cat leaped through their bedroom window with such a force that it rammed into the door --that alerted the missionaries.

Steve, you have an overwhelming amount of love and support from your loved ones, and we're very proud of you. Mom Hansen Reporting

Elder Steve Hansen
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Scotland Edinburgh

Last week Scott's brother-in-law was in Holland and called Scott. Scott told him he was expecting to be transferred and so the members were having him to dinner. He hoped the transfer didn't come right away so they could do it again when it happened, because the dinners were great.

However--it has happened. Last night the mother of his new companion called from Lehi and said her son and Scott had been sent to Livingston. She also informed us that Scott's release date is September 8th. We are surely getting anxious to see him.

Mom Mackintosh Reporting

Elder Scott Mackintosh
"Boroughfield"
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Scotland

Oh boy!
Good home
cooking!



Oklahoma Tulsa

Kyle and his companion have just recently had three more baptisms. They are working hard and hoping for more real soon.

The most exciting news of all is that Kyle will be coming home next month. We'll all be so glad to see him again after two years.

Mom Hansen Reporting

Elder Kyle Hansen
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Venezuela Maracaibo

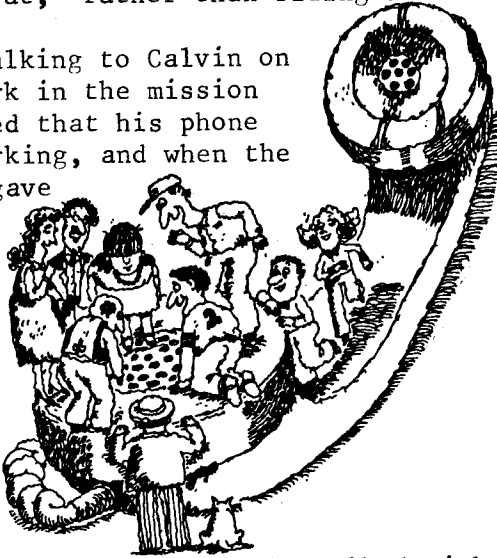
Elder Calvin Taylor is having a great new experience as Branch President and District Leader. He says it's a lot different being in the "driver's seat," rather than riding in the back seat.

We enjoyed talking to Calvin on his one year mark in the mission field. He stated that his phone had not been working, and when the mission office gave us his number, they said his phone was out of order. We were most grateful, however, that as we placed a call to him, his companion lifted up the phone without it ringing, and we clearly talked with him for several minutes.

He sends his regards to all, stating that the mission field is the greatest experience of his life--that he's grateful to be there, and well and happy.

Mom Taylor Reporting

Elder Calvin Taylor
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Venezuela CP4002A



France Paris

Well now that summer time is there in France it's a little hard to find people to teach. Most of the people take off for vacation, and the Americans, along with many others, invade Paris and find the trinket stores and buy many plastic Eiffel Towers--it's quite a sight, according to Jay.

They have created a new ward in Paris for single members under 30 who do not come from member families. There are two goals to the program: first, to encourage the youth to serve missions; and secondly, to create ideal hunting grounds for those who are searching for a mate. There are more than 100 active members in the ward, and it's only a month old. It seems to be the answer to many peoples problems and prayers.

They have also just built a new building, so now they have a real church to have their meetings in. Jay states that it's truly heart-warming to see and even more to be a part of the whole growth process, "Yes gang, I can finally write with all honesty that this has been the best part of my life, and I will be sad to leave, and the time already passes so very rapidly."

He sends "Hi!" to everyone, and also said that he feels sorry for anyone who ever cheats himself out of a good, hard, demanding experience like a mission. It's worth everything.

Mom Bishoff Reporting

Elder Jay Bishoff
France Paris Mission
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MISSION CALL

We'll soon be hearing from two new missionaries from our ward. Besides Brent Vernon, who announced his mission call last month, Rick Spencer will soon be leaving for his mission in the Milwaukee, Wisconsin area.

South Africa Johannesburg

Cory is still working in the Soweto area. They are teaching some special people. Cory said you can really feel a special spirit when everyone is gathered around the table and you are teaching and the only light in the room is a candle. He said it is very hard to put in words the feeling you have with these people.



Things have really been busy. They finally had a new group of missionaries arrive and a new Mission President. The testimony meetings they always have as new missionaries arrive and old missionaries leave to go home are very special.

He seems to be very busy with all the changes and all the Zone Conferences and expresses time is moving so fast. It will be extremely hard to say goodbye to all the friends he has made in South Africa. Cory's last letter said they would be able to baptize a complete family from Soweto before he leaves!

Our family is very proud of the dedication Cory has shown as a missionary, but will also be happy to have him home with us again.

Elder Cory Reich
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Republic of South Africa

Love, Mom Cammans

Young Adults

August 2-7 - Summer activity at JACKSON HOLE

August 26th - Murray Park. We're going ice blocking with a barbeque afterwards. Meet at 6:30

Any questions, please call ward Y.A. Representatives, Kevin Pace (943-3936) or Ramona Schulz (942-4821)

Young Women

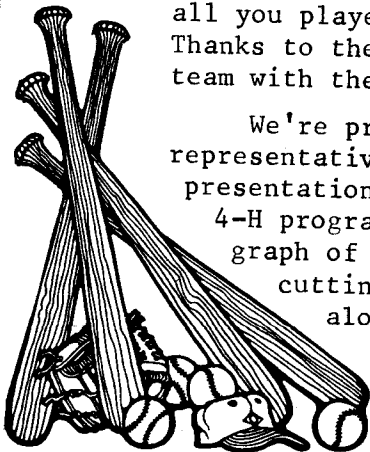
The girls who went to camp had a wonderful time. Everyone certified and enjoyed making the crafts. A special thanks to the Stake and Sister Stay who was our camp director.

The waterskiing party was a real success. The girls had a fun time and grew closer to each other.

It has been a time of change in the program. Now the girls advance after their birthdays -- 14-year-olds to the MiaMaids; and 16-year-olds to the Laurels.

And now that the softball season is over, all you players (and Moms) can sleep in! Thanks to the Bishopric for supplying the team with the tee-shirts.

We're proud of Carolyn Taylor, who was selected as one of two youth representatives who, along with other state 4-H officials, gave a special presentation to President Ezra Taft Benson for his strong support of the 4-H program for many years. President Benson was given a framed photograph of him and President Dwight Eisenhower, taken at a ribbon-cutting ceremony opening the National 4-H Center in 1959, along with a copy of the history of 4-H. A similar presentation was also given to Governor Matheson.



Heidee Wilson Reporting

Relief Society

HOLIDAY FAIR



The Relief Society will begin early this year to prepare for the Holiday Season. A Holiday Idea Fair will be jointly hosted by the 3rd, 26th, and 31st Wards for the August Homemaking Night (date will be announced). There will be decorating ideas galore, plus demonstrations on ideas for Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. A tantalizing array of holiday foods will be served as well.



If you wish to share your holiday ideas or items, please call Kathy Clayton (943-1727) or Grace Pace (943-3936).

The Home Management lesson will be taught by Susan Trenam of the 31st Ward at 7:00 PM in the Relief Society Room. Make plans now to attend this fun, entertaining evening.

Grace Pace, Homemaking Counselor



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GO BEYOND YOURSELF



Do you know an inactive member whom you really care about? Then begin to listen to them, quietly and patiently. Listen and listen only. Do not let the sin of impatience or the sin of discouragement enter into your caring for them.

Remember them in your prayers. Pray for their welfare and ask God's guidance. "Pray always," the Lord has said, "and I will pour out my Spirit upon you and great shall be your blessings." (D&C 19:38)

Joyce Skidmore
Activation/Missionary Leader

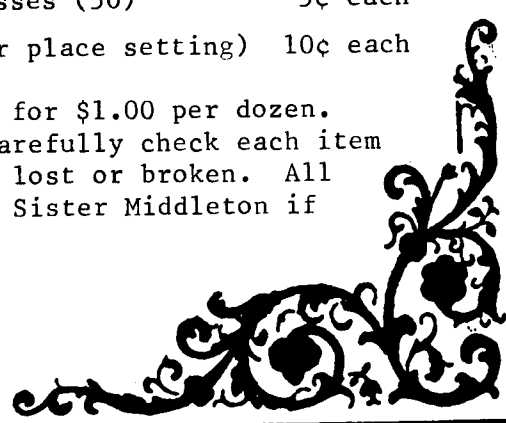
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Often families get together for special occasions and lack enough plates, glasses, utensils, etc. We desire to make available to Ward members the following items:

White square cloths	50¢ each	Bread/butter plates (50)	5¢ each
Ecru plastic cloths (round)	50¢ each	Drinking glasses (50)	5¢ each
Dinner plates (50)	10¢ each	Utensils (per place setting)	10¢ each

We also have a few plastic trays and cups that will rent for \$1.00 per dozen. Both tray and cup are included in the above price. We will carefully check each item in and out. You will be charged for replacement of any items lost or broken. All money collected will go into the budget fund. Please contact Sister Middleton if you desire to rent any of the above items.

Lou Jean Middleton,
Relief Society President



PRIMARY

Our Spotlight this month shone upon Charlotte Glad, Jimmy Rowe, Danny Hansen, and David Glad. We are very thankful they are in our Primary and are glad to get to know each of you better!

Our thanks go out to Sister Ruth Paxman for her service in the Blazer A class and we release her "with a vote of thanks for service well done." She has been a good teacher and worked hard to touch the lives of these boys.

We wish Kerstin Schulz Sparks well in her new adventures as a young wife! We really appreciate all the service she rendered to the Primary. We know her class really loved her and we will miss her. Good luck ahead!

We would also like to thank Sister Madeline Seguin for all her service and devotion to the tykes in the Nursery. This calling requires some special love and patience, and Madeline qualifies in every way. We know the children will miss you--they still say Sister Seguin is their teacher! Thanks, Madeline.

Sister Norma Montgomery has accepted the call to teach our Valient A Class; Brother Delbert Reeves has agreed to serve in the Blazer A Class; and Brother Barry and Sister Lori Bushman are working together in our Nursery! We are so very grateful for these wonderful and willing souls who will make the sacrifices necessary to work with our youth. Welcome aboard--we're glad to have all of you!

The Blazer/Scout boys had a fun time up at Tracy Wigwam this year, June 21, 22, and 23. Sister Sharon Cloward attended with them and we are thankful for her help. She's a very busy person who is always willing to be of even more service. Thanks a bunch!

July 4th was a special patriotic day this year, landing on the Sabbath. Those of us who arose early and met over at the Stake Center were rewarded by attending the flag raising ceremony conducted by the Blazer/Scouts. Our boys had the program and did a nice job on it under the direction of Brother David Glad. It gave us a moment of silence to reflect on the great things this country means to us. We're proud of our flag and our Blazers!

All the officers and teachers of the Primary organization met July 15 in Bishoff's back yard for a fun social and get-together. It was great to get to know each other better and socialize. Our thanks to all for helping with food assignments and making this a fun event!

Mark your calendar for our next Ward Preparation Meeting, August 17, at 7:00 p.m. We will be in touch to let you know where.

Stella M. Berhold, Primary President





REBUS



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News Briefs

Ward members recently sustained or released:

Sustained: Barry Bushman, Primary Nursery
Lori Busman, Primary Nursery
Delbert Reeves, Primary Teacher
Norma Montgomery, Primary Teacher

Released: Ruth Paxman, Primary teacher
Kerstin Schulz, Primary teacher
Madeline Seguin, Primary Nursery

Nursery



We're having a hard time keeping up with all the new grandchildren who are blessing the lives of our ward members. Back on May 12 a second son was born to Jack and Kaylin Nydegger, and they named him Jeffrey Don. The proud grandparents are President Don and Sister Jean Nydegger.

Then on May 26 Bob and Barbara Blackhurst received the news of a new granddaughter -- little Kari Melinda, the first child of their daughter, Ann, and her husband, Fred Lewis.

The Clawsons are happy to welcome into their family Daniel Blair Clawson, born to Blair and Jackie Clawson; and Naomi Louise Cluff, born to Barbara and Robert Cluff. The parents are extremely pleased, and Grandmother is delighted!



Joe Glad has been busy this summer. He was one of three teens chosen to represent Salt Lake County at the Western Regional Teen Conference in Lake Tahoe, Nevada, in June.

He also helped with workshops at a five-county 4-H camp in Moab. He attended this as a representative of Utah State University and the State 4-H program.

Congratulations, Joe!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Salt Lake County Division of Mental Health needs volunteers to do general office work (typing, filing, etc.)



If you are interested, please call Maurine Decker, Volunteer Coordinator.

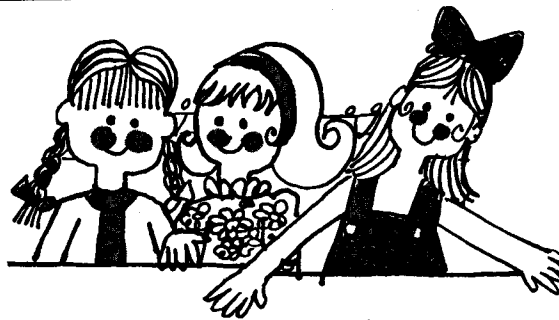
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Thank you!

WELCOME



We are happy to welcome Jolyn McKee and her son, Brian Butterfield, into the Butler Third Ward. Jolyn and Brian are living at the home of Al and Glenda Lindquist.



Did you know that we have a neighborhood drill team? Thanks to Shellmarie Main, who organized and trained the "Skittles" drill team, a few of our young girls were able to participate in a small parade in Sandy on July 1. We are proud of Shellmarie as well as Tiffany Tea, Jennifer Major, Jennifer and Melinda Schulz, Lisa Beattie, and Sarah Weenig; who all marched along with two of Shellmarie's cousins. They were super!

Also, we are very proud of Kris and Kim Montgomery, who took part in a 12-day-tour with the Junior International Folk Dancing Group. The girls were gone from July 12-23, and performed in Seattle; Victoria, Canada; and San Francisco.