



BOUNTIFUL NORTH CANYON FIFTH WARD

SPIRE

May 2019

Give Him All *by Bishop Michael Wright*



This story is from the Ensign in 1992. It was written by Stephen Robinson. I found it to be very simple, but effective, in how we should look at our relationship with our Savior. Now I quote:

In our home it is now called “The Parable of the Bicycle.” I was sitting in a chair reading. My daughter, Sarah, who was seven years old at the time, came in and said, “Dad, can I have a bike? I’m the only kid on the block who doesn’t have one.”

Well, I didn’t have the money then for a bike, so I stalled her. I said, “Sure, Sarah.” She said, “How? When?”

I said, “You save all your pennies, and soon you’ll have enough for a bike.” And she went away. A couple of weeks later I was sitting in the same chair when I heard a “clink, clink” in Sarah’s bedroom. I asked, “Sarah, what are you doing?” She came to me with a little jar, a slit cut in the lid, and a bunch of pennies in the bottom. She said, “You promised me that if I saved all my pennies, pretty soon I’d have enough for a bike. And, Daddy, I’ve saved every single one of them.”

My heart melted. My daughter was doing everything in her power to follow my instructions. I hadn’t actually lied to her. If she saved all of her pennies, she would eventually have enough for a bike, but by then she would want a car. I said, “Let’s go look at bikes.”

We went to every store in town. Finally we found it—the perfect bicycle. She was thrilled. Then she saw the price tag, and her face fell. She started to cry. “Oh, Dad, I’ll never have enough for a bicycle!”

So I said, “Sarah, how much do you have?” She answered, “Sixty-one cents.”

“I’ll tell you what. You give me everything you’ve got and a hug and a kiss, and the bike is yours.” Then I drove home very slowly because she insisted on riding the bike home.

As I drove beside her, I thought of the atonement of Christ. We all desperately want the celestial kingdom. We want to be with our Father in Heaven. But no matter how hard we try, we come up short. At some point all of us must realize, “I can’t do this by myself. I need help.” Then it is that the Savior says, in effect, “All right, you’re not perfect. But what can you do? Give me all you have, and I’ll do the rest.”



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Congratulations!

To Nathaniel Rodgers who has received his mission call to the the Cambodia Phnom Penh Mission. He will enter the MTC in Provo on September 11.

To Bishop Bob and Sister Gloria Campbell on the completion of their mission to The Orchestra at Temple Square.
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New Ward Callings

Heather Reed - YW Advisor

Keith Radley - Sunday School 2nd Counselor

Heather Petersen - RS Activities Committee

Charity Martushev - RS Activities Committee



Asher Phillips is turning eight this month! Asher has grown into being a kind-hearted young man that loves to do nice things for his family and friends. He enjoys helping with his baby sister and his puppy. He often has his family laughing over some quirky little state-

ment he will toss out. While he does not always jump at the opportunity to work, he is a very hard worker once he starts. He likes to spend his time with friends, riding bikes, playing video games and fishing. **Happy Birthday, Asher!**

ELDERS QUORUM

Brethren,

A great big "thank you" from the elders quorum presidency to all those who were out there doing good on our ward Day of Service. Many of our neighbors (18-20 homes!!) were helped with their spring yard projects. A lot of folks were very grateful for the work that was done.

But remember, the good we can do for our neighbors is never done. All of us have assignments as ministering brothers and have families over which we have responsibility. Keep your eyes open and watch for opportunities to serve - both with your families and with your unassigned neighbors.

We have begun our second quarter ministering interviews. Please remember that part of your calling as a ministering brother is to report the status of your families to your priesthood leaders. We appreciate your willingness to take the 10-15 minutes needed each quarter to visit with us and discuss

your assignments.

We also want to thank all those members of the quorum who have been willing to take assignments to facilitate the discussions in our quorum meetings. It's good to hear from each of you and feel your spirit and testimony.

Your Elders Quorum Presidency

Elders Quorum Meeting Discussion Schedule:

May 12 - "*Build a Fortress of Spirituality and Protection*" by Elder Ronald A. Rasband;

Mike Larsen/Cody Creighton, facilitators

May 18-19 - Stake Conference

May 26 - "*Missionary Work: Sharing What Is In Your Heart*," Elder Deiter F. Uchtdorf; Don Clifford and Rick Tolman, facilitators

activity days



We would like to welcome McKenzie Barton and Grace Scoville to our Activity Day Group. We are so excited to get to know you.



On April 10, we talked about repentance and carved bars of soap to remind us that through Christ's atonement we may repent and be washed clean. And on April 24, we discussed the role of a prophet and learned interesting facts about President Nelson's life. We talked

about five things to know and five things to do that President Nelson shared with the youth at a devotional in

Rome prior to dedicating the temple. The girls then painted and decorated picture frames to hold a picture of President Nelson as a reminder for them to always follow the prophet.



Linda Marrelli - Activity Days Leader

Upcoming Activities

May 8 - Meet at the ward at 3:45 pm. We will be making a gift for a special someone in our family.

May 22 - Meet at the ward at 3:45 p.m. In preparation for warm weather and Memorial Day, Sister Schnebly will teach the girls how to make home-made ice cream and waffle cones.

CUB SCOUTS

On Tuesday, April 23, the Cub Scouts held a springtime-themed pack meeting for Cubs and their families. It was a warm evening and everyone went outside on a scavenger hunt to find various plants, insects and other signs of new life! Afterwards, everyone got to plant pumpkin seeds with the instructions to plant them and hopefully use the pumpkins they grow for a pumpkin-carving activity next fall. Sounds like a plan!

Thanks to our cubmasters, Shannon and Steve Phillips for their preparation and creative ideas!

MAY PACK MEETING

TUESDAY, MAY 28 - 6:30 P.M.

Boxcar Derby - Scouts make their own boxcar to wear for a relay race!



The Cub Scouts went on a spring scavenger hunt and planted pumpkins for April's pack meeting.

When Bishop and Sister Campbell were called on a typical two-year, full-time service mission to The Orchestra at Temple Square in May of 2003, little did they know that their service would extend for 16 years! Fast forward to Sunday, April 28, 2019 - they were released with 29 other Tabernacle Choir and Orchestra members at a ceremony after the “Music and Spoken Word” broadcast on Temple Square.



Their “mission” designation would later change to “volunteers” as Bob played and became the percussion section leader in the orchestra, and both Gloria and Bob became orchestra librarians.

The musical connection of the Campbells to the Salt Lake Tabernacle began in the early in the 1960s when Bob played numerous concerts as a member of the Utah Symphony and Gloria sang the Brahms Requiem as a member of the Utah Symphony Chorus. After decades of being educators and musicians, they came full-circle. “Our time these past 16 years has brought great joy and satisfaction. To go to the Tabernacle each week and be immersed in the glorious sound of the choir and orches-

tra is something of which dreams are made,” said Bishop Campbell.

Brother and Sister Campbell were presented with hand-made leis and a beautiful plaque by choir president Ron Jarrett. They are pictured above with President Jarret, Director Ryan Murphy, Director Mack Wilberg and Elder Gérald Caussé, who is the General Authority over the Choir and Orchestra at Temple Square. Elder Caussé addressed all of retiring members and told them that this not the end, but a “new beginning.” He said, “The Gospel is made of changes - changes are a part of eternity. It’s a springtime to be born to new experiences in life.” After his remarks, The Tab Choir sang, “God Be With You ‘Til We Meet Again.”

The ward certainly wants to congratulate and let Bob and Gloria know we are appreciative of their many years of dedicated service. They have “returned with honor.”

Day of Service - Spring 2019

After a two-week postponement because of inclement weather, the neighborhood spring cleanup got underway Saturday morning, April 27. Families, youth and many strong arms turned out with rakes, shovels, clippers and saws to spruce up yards and overgrown areas. Over 15 different neighborhood properties received a facelift, and many trucks and trailers of debris were taken to the landfill.

Thanks to everyone who lifted a helping hand!



Got trees to cut - who ya gonna call? Allcottbusters! Kevin Allcott went all around the neighborhood helping cut trees and branches. Here, he helps Byron Jesperson.

Day of Service - Spring 2019





Our condolences and love go to the Carter and Shirley family with the passing of Mel and to all those who have lost parents and loved ones.

So nice to have beautiful spring weather here! Our April Spring Fling was a fun evening with delicious soups, salad, and desserts! We had some very informative demonstrations and made some beautiful Easter decor! Thanks so much to Shauna Sabey, our activities committee and all those who brought food and helped!

We are so grateful to all those in the ward who have helped with meals, funerals, activities, spring clean-up and just doing their best to minister to those around us! As we love as our Savior loves, God will work wonders among us. From the conference talk by Elder Robert C. Gay he states: "We need to see that everyone around us is a sacred being, and we take upon us the name of Christ by doing His work and serving as He served." I feel it is so important that we remember this statement that Elder Gay included in his talk: "Our Savior's love is greater than our fears, our wounds, our addictions, our doubts, our temptations, our sins, our broken families, our depression and anxieties, our chronic illness, our poverty, our abuse, our despair, and our loneliness. He wants all to know there is nothing and no one He is unable to heal and deliver to enduring joy."

In doing our ministering interviews for this quarter we would like to try having a **Ministering Interview Open House on Saturday, June 1, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.** Come by the church for some yummy food, visit with your sisters and have a short interview. If possible, it would be good to be there when your companion is also there, but if not still come! More info forthcoming!

There will be no activity in May.

Love, Sister Holley Morrill & your Relief Society Presidency

Spring Fling Photos



Ladies enjoy making some beautiful Easter crafts.



We enjoyed a "Souper" dinner!



Mallory and Heather enjoy chatting; Below, more fun crafts!



Cute first cousins Brynn Morrill and Heather Petersen enjoy each other's company.

More Spring Fling!



Mini-classes taught at the RS activity were: Deco-mesh Wreaths, by Tiffany Sorenson; House Signs with String Art by Mallory Miller; Baking Demo by Heather Petersen; and Gardening Tips by Janene Phillips



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I rejoice in the words of 2 Nephi 2:8: "There is no flesh that can dwell in the presence of God, save it be through the merits, and mercy, and grace of the Holy Messiah." [2 Ne. 2:8] There is no other way. Many of us are trying to save ourselves, holding the atonement of Jesus Christ at arm's distance and saying, "When I've perfected myself, then I'll be worthy of the Atonement." But that's not how it works. That's like saying, "I won't take the medicine until I'm well. I'll be worthy of it then."

Truly, we must try to do his works with all that is in us. But then, having done all, we can trust in his redeeming blood to do for us what we cannot do for ourselves.

YOUNG WOMEN

On April 27, Young Women and leaders from the 5th Ward volunteered with a JustServe event on Main Street in Bountiful. JustServe and Bountiful City had an exciting opportunity to partner with the Salt Lake Bees AAA baseball team.

We were able to help clean up flower beds and prepare them to be planted soon! We also met Matt Custred, a pitcher with the Bees. A few of us were able to attend the JustServe Night at the Bees baseball game that evening.

Cami Jensen - YW President



Activities for May

- May 8** - Class Activity
- May 15** - Combined Activity -Human Foosball
- May 22** - Personal Progress
- May 29** - No Activity



May

- 5..... Vickie Springer
Doris Swanson
- 6..... Matt Stats
- 7..... Natalie Christensen
Randon Jensen
Jensen Radley
- 9..... Todd Porter
- 10..... Gloria Campbell
Heidi Holmes
Keith Wilson
- 11..... Kelli Lee
Kaitlyn Petersen
- 13..... Elle Freebairn
Grant Jensen
Courtnei Ann Nelson
- 14..... Linda Clifford
Caleb Stats
- 16..... Cambree Applegate
Brian Hardy
Linda Schneider
- 18..... Lillian Gardner
Ted Nielsen
- 19..... Bill Albright
- 20..... Dan Higgs
- 21..... Kienna Stats
- 22..... Cameron Morrill
- 23..... Lee Carter
- 24..... Michele Galli
- 26..... Hadlee Rae Schnebly
- 28..... Breanna Mortensen
- 29..... Ryan David Freebairn
Randy Seymour
- 30..... Isaac Ericksen
Asher Phillips
Marlin Shelley
- 31..... Robbie Draper

June

- 1..... Michael Hansen
Clark Sabey
- 2..... Gladys Carter
Eliza Davis
Charity Martushev
Jordan Wilson
- 3..... Elliot James Ericksen
Britnie Larsen
Rhett Phillips
- 5..... Henry Davis
Joel Wright



Flag Assignments for Youth & Families 2019

Listed below are the flag assignments for the remainder of the year. You may want to clip this schedule for reference. If you can't participate on your day, please trade with another family or contact Mike or Kim Shirley.

Memorial Day Monday May 27th

No School

1. Davis Family
2. Porter Family (Todd)
3. Loftus Family
4. Draper Family
5. Wilson Family (Kyle)

Flag Day

Friday June 14th

Summer Break

1. Wright Family
2. Anderson Family (Mark)
3. Porter Family (Todd)
4. Phillips Family (Brandon)
5. Stats Family

Independence Day

Thursday July 4th

Summer Break

1. Jensen Family
2. Jensen Family
3. Mortensen Family
4. Hansen Family (Josh)
5. Reed Family (Kody)

Pioneer Day

Wednesday July 24th

Summer Break

1. Davis Family
2. Aycock Family
3. Stats Family
4. Wilson Family (Kyle)
5. Ralph Family

Patriot Day

Wednesday September 11th

School Day

1. Phillips Family (Brandon)
2. Hooker Family (Damon)
3. Ralph Family
4. Hansen Family (Josh)
5. Hunter Family

Veterans Day

Monday November 11th

No School

1. Loftus Family
2. Freebairn Family (Stephen)
3. Tippetts Family
4. Draper Family