

Special Invitation to Foothills Ward Bishopric, Auxiliary Leaders, Temple and Family History Consultants and Ward Members:

This email is a V.I.P. general broadcast to encourage members to take advantage of our October Foothills Ward Temple and Family History Night to be held on Wednesday, September 18th from 7 to 9 pm at the Jewell Building's Family History Center. This night is a unique opportunity for ward members to become motivated to pursue their temple and family history endeavors with the expertise of our ward consultants and stake consultants as well. For example, Brother Jerry Munster attended the August Night and got motivated from that training. Two days later as he spent eight hours at the Jewell Building Family History Center and obtained more than 160 names that he never had before. Such miracles don't happen by accident as the Spirit of Elijah is a special witness to those who personally extend themselves in work of the Lord. **Note:** September's Night is only available to our ward members. The stake consultants are offering this unique opportunity to make it easier for our members to attend with no other patrons in attendance. Let's not disappoint the stake leaders or we may not have any more private Ward Night's open only to our ward. You are welcomed to bring your notebook computers, tablets and/or smartphones to use their wireless Internet connectivity so we can accommodate more people than the center's seven workstations. There are also several long work tables so there's ample space is for a good attendance turnout.

As a ward team, we are attempting to reach out to our 458 households through:

- Weekly Pulpit references where appropriate
- Weekly Sacrament Bulletin Announcements
- Personal announcements that I make every week in the second block of meetings every Sunday.
- Monthly Relief Society Newsletters.
- Subscribing to Foothills Ward Temple and Family History Facebook group
- Monthly Ward and Temple Nights at the Jewell Building Family History Center on the third Wednesdays from 7 to 9 pm. Youth are also encouraged to attend with their family.
- Participation in the 20+ monthly webinars sponsored by the Church. Click [here](#) for webinar schedule for both September and October. No preregistration is required and it is FREE. All you need is a computer, tablet or smartphone with Internet. You will need to know the individual webinar connectivity info from the above link to sign into each Internet broadcast.



- Bishopric is encouraging the auxiliary quorum members to enlist our consultants as a resource to promote temple and family history work on a one-on-one basis in the home, at Church and/or at the Jewell Building Family History Center.
- And of course, through personal referrals.

How's that for a plan of action rather than one in theory only! Hope you are willing to bring your temple and family history concerns/needs to the Jewell Building this coming Wednesday evening. There is power in numbers when there are many consultants assisting patrons! To quote our Prophet and President Russell M. Nelson: "We are in the process of creating a family tree pattern for the whole human race... We are growing exponentially." We are the most prolific builder of *temples*. There are 164 dedicated *temples* (153 currently open; and 9 previously dedicated, but closed for renovation), 16 under construction, and 29 announced (not yet under construction). There are over 6 billion searchable historic records are available from around the world on **FamilySearch.org** as of March 12, 2019.

We await your participation on Wednesday evening and maybe with the inspiration of the Spirit of Elijah, you may be inspired like Jerry Munster was! Don't underestimate the inspiration of the Ward's Facebook group for we now have 50 countries featured on six continents with 150 instructional postings and growing daily.

Till next time,

Brother John Kuzmich, Jr.
Foothills Ward Temple and Family History Leader