

- D And it came to pass when they were all baptized
- C and had come up out of the water,
- B the Holy Ghost did fall upon them,  
and they were filled with the Holy Ghost  
and with fire. 14  
And behold, they were encircled about as if it were by fire;  
and it came down from heaven, and the multitude did witness it, and did bear record;  
and angels did come down out of heaven  
and did minister unto them. 15  
And it came to pass that while the angels were ministering unto the disciples,  
behold, Jesus came and stood in the midst and ministered unto them. 16
- A And it came to pass that he spake unto the multitude, and commanded them that they should kneel down again upon the earth, and also that his disciples should kneel down upon the earth. 17 And it came to pass that when they had all knelt down upon the earth, he commanded his disciples that they should pray. 18 And behold, they began to pray; and they did pray unto Jesus, calling him their Lord and their God. 19
- And it came to pass that Jesus departed out of the midst of them, and went a little way off from them and bowed himself to the earth, and he said: 20
- A Father, I thank thee that thou hast given the Holy Ghost unto these whom I have chosen; and it is because of their belief in me that I have chosen them out of the world. 21
- B Father, I pray thee that thou wilt give the Holy Ghost unto all them that shall believe in their words. 22
- A Father, thou hast given them the Holy Ghost  
because they believe in me;  
and thou seest that they believe in me  
because thou hearest them, and they pray unto me;  
and they pray unto me  
because I am with them. 23
- B And now Father, I pray unto thee for them, and also for all those who shall believe on their words,
- C that they may believe in me, that I may be in them as thou, Father, art in me, that we may be one. 24
- A And it came to pass that when Jesus had thus prayed unto the Father, he came unto his disciples,
- B and behold, they did still continue, without ceasing, to pray unto him; and they did not multiply many words, for it was given unto them what they should pray, and they were filled with desire. 25
- C And it came to pass that Jesus blessed them as they did pray unto him;  
and his countenance did smile upon them,  
and the light of his countenance did shine upon them,
- D and behold they were as white as the countenance and also the garments of Jesus; and behold the whiteness thereof did exceed all the whiteness, yea, even there could be nothing upon earth so white as the whiteness thereof. 26 And Jesus said unto them: Pray on; nevertheless they did not cease to pray. 27
- E And he turned from them again, and went a little way off and bowed himself to the earth; and he prayed again unto the Father, saying: 28

F Father, I thank thee that thou hast purified those whom I have chosen,  
 because of their faith,  
 and I pray for them,  
 and also for them who shall believe on their words,  
 that they may be purified in me, through faith on their  
 words,  
 even as they are purified in me. 29

Father,  
 I pray not for the world,  
 but for those whom thou hast given me out of the world, because  
 of their faith,  
 that they may be purified in me,  
 that I may be in them as thou, Father, art in me, that  
 we may be one, that I may be glorified in them. 30

A And when Jesus had spoken these words he came again unto his disciples;

B and behold they did pray steadfastly, without ceasing, unto him;

C and he did smile upon them again;

D and behold they were white, even as Jesus. 31

E And it came to pass that he went again a little way off and prayed unto the  
 Father; 32

F a And tongue cannot speak the words which he prayed,

b neither can be written by man

c the words which he prayed. 33

d And the multitude did hear and do bear record; and  
 their hearts were open and they did understand in their  
 hearts the words which he prayed. 34

c Nevertheless, so great and marvelous were the words which  
 he prayed

b that they cannot be written,

a neither can they be uttered by man. 35

G And it came to pass that when Jesus had made an end of praying he  
 came again to the disciples, and said unto them: So great faith have I  
 never seen among all the Jews; wherefore I could not show unto them  
 so great miracles, because of their unbelief. 36

Verily I say unto you, there are none of them that have seen so  
 great things

as ye have seen;

neither have they heard so great things

as ye have heard. 20:1

A And it came to pass that

he commanded the multitude that they should cease to pray,  
 and also his disciples.

And he commanded them that they should not cease to pray  
 in their hearts. 2

And he commanded them that they should arise and stand up upon their feet.

And they arose up and stood upon their feet. 3

B And it came to pass that he brake bread again and blessed it, and gave to the disciples to eat. 4  
 And when they had eaten he commanded them that they should break bread, and give unto the multitude. 5  
 And when they had given unto the multitude he also gave them wine to drink, and commanded them that they should give unto the multitude. 6

C Now, there had been no bread, neither wine, brought by the disciples, neither by the multitude; 7

D But he truly gave unto them bread to eat, and also wine to drink. 8

C And he said unto them: He that eateth this bread eateth of my body to his soul; and he that drinketh of this wine drinketh of my blood to his soul; and his soul shall never hunger nor thirst, but shall be filled. 9

B Now, when the multitude had all eaten and drunk,

A behold, they were filled with the Spirit; and they did cry out with one voice, and gave glory to Jesus, whom they both saw and heard. 10

And it came to pass that when they had all given glory unto Jesus, he said unto them: Behold now I finish the commandment which the Father hath commanded me concerning this people, who are a remnant of the house of Israel. 11

AA A a Ye remember that I spake unto you, and said that when the words of Isaiah should be fulfilled-- behold they are written, ye have them before you, therefore search them--12

BB And verily, verily, I say unto you, that when they shall be fulfilled

b then is the fulfilling of the covenant

c which the Father hath made

d unto his people, O house of Israel. 13

e<sub>1</sub> And then shall the remnants, which shall be scattered abroad upon the face of the earth,

e<sub>2</sub> be gathered in from the east and from the west, and from the south and from the north;

f and they shall be brought to the knowledge of the Lord their God, who hath redeemed them. 14

g And the Father hath commanded me that I should give unto you this land, for your inheritance. 15

CC<sub>1</sub> f And I say unto you, that if the Gentiles do not repent after the blessing which they shall receive, after they have scattered my people--16

e<sub>1</sub> i Then shall ye, who are a remnant of the house of Jacob, go forth among them; and ye shall be in the midst of them who shall be many; and ye shall be among them

ii as a lion among the beasts of the forest, and as a young lion among the flocks of sheep,

- iii who, if he goeth through both treadeth down and teareth in pieces,
- ii and none can deliver. 17
- i Thy hand shall be lifted up upon thine adversaries, and all thine enemies shall be cut off. 18
- e<sub>2</sub> And I will gather my people together as a man gathereth his sheaves into the floor. 19
- d For I will make my people with whom
- c the Father
- b hath covenanted,
- a yea, I will make thy horn iron, and I will make thy hoofs brass.  
And thou shalt beat in pieces many people;  
and I will consecrate their gain unto the Lord,  
and their substance unto the Lord of the whole earth.  
And behold, I am he who doeth it. 20
- B And it shall come to pass, saith the Father, that the sword of my justice shall hang over them at that day; and except they repent it shall fall upon them, saith the Father, yea, even upon all the nations of the Gentiles. 21
- C And it shall come to pass that I will establish my people, O house of Israel. 22 And behold, this people will I establish in this land, unto the fulfilling of the covenant which I made with your father Jacob; and it shall be a New Jerusalem.  
And the powers of heaven shall be in the midst of this people;  
yea, even I will be in the midst of you. 23
- D Behold, I am he of whom Moses spake, saying:
- E A prophet shall the Lord your God raise up unto you of your brethren, like unto me;  
him  
shall ye hear  
in all things whatsoever he shall say unto you. And it shall come to pass that every soul  
who will not hear  
that prophet  
shall be cut off from among the people. 24
- D Verily I say unto you, yea, and all the prophets from Samuel and those that follow after, as many as have spoken, have testified of me. 25
- CC<sub>2</sub> C And behold, ye are the children of the prophets;  
and ye are of the house of Israel;  
and ye are of the covenant  
which the Father made with your fathers, saying unto Abraham:  
And in thy seed shall all the kindreds of the earth be blessed. 26  
The Father having raised me up unto you first, and sent me to bless you in turning away every one of you from his iniquities;  
and this because ye are the children of the covenant--27  
And after that ye were blessed then fulfilleth the Father the covenant which he made with Abraham, saying:  
In thy seed shall all the kindreds of the earth be blessed--

B unto the pouring out of the Holy Ghost through me upon the Gentiles,  
 which blessing upon the Gentiles shall make them mighty above all,  
 unto the scattering of my people, O house of Israel. 28  
 And they shall be a scourge unto the people of this land.  
 Nevertheless, when they shall have received the fulness of my gospel, then if they shall  
 harden their hearts against me  
 I will return their iniquities upon their own heads, saith the Father. 29

A a And I will remember the covenant which I have made with my people;  
 b<sub>1</sub> and I have covenanted with them that I would gather them together in mine own due time,  
 b<sub>2</sub> that I would give unto them again the land of their fathers for their inheritance, which  
 is the land of Jerusalem, which is the promised land unto them forever, saith the  
 Father. 30  
 c And it shall come to pass that the time cometh, when the fulness of my gospel shall be  
 preached unto them; 31 And they shall believe in me, that I am Jesus Christ, the Son  
 of God, and shall pray unto the Father in my name. 32 Then shall their watchmen lift  
 up their voice, and with the voice together shall they sing; for they shall see eye to  
 eye. 33  
 b<sub>1</sub> Then will the Father gather them together again,  
 b<sub>2</sub> and give unto them Jerusalem for the land of their inheritance. 34  
 a Then shall they break forth into joy--Sing together, ye waste places of Jerusalem; for the Father  
 hath comforted his people, he hath redeemed Jerusalem. 35

B The Father  
 hath made bare his holy arm  
 in the eyes  
 of all the nations;  
 and all the ends of the earth  
 shall see  
 the salvation of the Father;  
 and the Father and I are one. 36

C And then shall be brought to pass that which is written:

D<sub>1</sub> a Awake, awake again, and put on thy strength,  
 O Zion;  
 b put on thy beautiful garments,  
 O Jerusalem, the holy city,  
 c for henceforth there shall no more come into thee the uncircumcised  
 and the unclean. 37  
 b Shake thyself from the dust; arise, sit down,  
 O Jerusalem;  
 a loose thyself from the bands of thy neck,  
 O captive daughter of Zion. 38  
 D<sub>2</sub> For thus saith the Lord: Ye have sold yourselves for naught,  
 D<sub>3</sub> and ye shall be redeemed without money. 39  
 D<sub>4</sub> Verily, verily, I say unto you, that my people shall know my name; yea,  
 in that day they shall know that I am he that doth speak. 40

- E And then shall they say: How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him  
that bringeth good tidings unto them,  
that publisheth peace;  
that bringeth good tidings unto them of good,  
that publisheth salvation;  
that saith unto Zion: Thy God reigneth! 41
- CC<sub>3</sub> D<sub>1</sub> And then shall a cry go forth:  
Depart ye,  
depart ye,  
go ye out from thence,  
touch not that which is unclean;  
go ye out of the midst of her;  
be ye clean that bear the vessels of the Lord. 42  
For ye shall not go out with haste nor go by flight;  
for the Lord will go before you,  
and the God of Israel shall be your rearward. 43
- DD D<sub>2</sub> Behold, my servant shall deal prudently; he shall be exalted and extolled and be  
very high. 44
- EE As many were astonished at thee--  
his visage was so marred,  
more than any man,  
and his form  
more than the sons of men--[6] 45
- FF D<sub>3</sub> So shall he sprinkle[7][8] many nations;
- GG D<sub>4</sub> the kings shall shut their mouths at him,  
for that which had not been told them  
shall they see;  
and that which they had not heard  
shall they consider. 46
- HH C Verily, verily, I say unto you, all these things shall surely come, even as the Father hath  
commanded me.
- B Then shall this covenant which the Father hath covenanted with his people be fulfilled;
- A and then shall Jerusalem be inhabited again with my people, and it shall be the land of their  
inheritance. 21:1
- II A And verily I say unto you, I give unto you a sign, that ye may know the time when these things shall be  
about to take place--that I shall gather in, from their long dispersion, my people, O house of Israel, and  
shall establish again among them my Zion; 2 And behold, this is the thing which I will give unto you  
for a sign--
- JJ B for verily I say unto you that when these things which I declare unto you, and which I shall declare  
unto you hereafter of myself,
- KK C a and by the power of the Holy Ghost which shall be given unto you of the Father,  
b shall be made known unto the Gentiles  
c that they may know concerning this people  
d who are a remnant of the house of Jacob,  
c and concerning this my people who shall be scattered by them; 3
- LL b Verily, verily, I say unto you, when these things shall be made known unto them

- a of the Father, and shall come forth of the Father, from them unto you; 4
- MM D For it is wisdom in the Father that they should be established in this land, and be set up as a free people by the power of the Father, that these things might come forth from them unto a remnant of your seed, that the covenant of the Father may be fulfilled which he hath covenanted with his people, O house of Israel; 5
- LL C a Therefore, when these works and the works which shall be wrought among you hereafter
- b shall come forth from the Gentiles,
- c unto your seed which shall dwindle in unbelief because of iniquity; 6
- KK a For thus it behooveth the Father that it
- b should come forth from the Gentiles, that he may show forth his power unto the Gentiles,
- c for this cause that the Gentiles, if they will  
not harden their hearts,  
that they may repent  
and come unto me  
and be baptized in my name  
and know of the true points of my doctrine,
- d that they may be numbered among my people, O house of Israel; 7
- JJ B And when these things come to pass that thy seed shall begin to know these things--
- II A it shall be a sign unto them,  
HH that they may know that the work of the Father hath already commenced unto the fulfilling of the covenant which he hath made unto the people who are of the house of Israel. 8
- GG And when that day shall come, it shall come to pass that kings shall shut their mouths;  
for that which had not been told them  
shall they see;  
and that which they had not heard  
shall they consider. 9
- FF For in that day, for my sake shall the Father work a work, which shall be a great and a marvelous work among them;
- EE and there shall be among them those who will not believe it, although a man shall declare it unto them. 10 But behold, the life of my servant shall be in my hand; therefore they shall not hurt him, although he shall be marred because of them.
- DD Yet I will heal him, for I will show unto them that my wisdom is greater than the cunning of the devil. 11
- CC<sub>1</sub> A Therefore it shall come to pass that whosoever will not believe in my words, who am Jesus Christ, which the Father shall cause him to bring forth unto the Gentiles, and shall give unto him power that he shall bring them forth unto the Gentiles, (it shall be done even as Moses said)
- B a<sub>1</sub> they shall be cut off from among my people who are of the covenant. 12
- a<sub>2</sub> And my people who are a remnant of Jacob shall be among the Gentiles, yea, in the midst of them as a lion among the beasts of the forest, as a young lion among the flocks of sheep, who, if he go through both treadeth down and teareth in pieces, and none can deliver. 13 Their hand shall be lifted up upon their adversaries, and all their enemies shall be cut off. 14

- b Yea, wo be unto the Gentiles except they repent;
- c for it shall come to pass in that day,
- d saith the Father,
- e<sub>1</sub> that I will cut off thy horses out of the midst of thee,  
and I will destroy thy chariots; 15  
And I will cut off the cities of thy land,  
and throw down all thy strongholds; 16
- e<sub>2</sub> And I will cut off witchcrafts out of thy land,
- f and thou shalt have no more soothsayers; 17
- g Thy graven images  
I will also cut off,  
and thy standing images  
out of the midst of thee,  
and thou shalt no more worship the works of thy  
hands; 18
- f And I will pluck up thy groves out of the midst of thee;
- e<sub>1</sub> so will I destroy thy cities. 19
- e<sub>2</sub> And it shall come to pass that all  
lyings, and  
deceivings, and  
envyings, and  
strifes, and  
priestcrafts, and  
whoredoms,  
shall be done away. 20
- d For it shall come to pass, saith the Father,
- c that at that day
- b whosoever will not repent and come unto my Beloved Son,
- a<sub>1</sub> them will I cut off from among my people, O house of Israel; 21
- a<sub>2</sub> And I will execute vengeance and fury upon them, even as upon the heathen, such as  
they have not heard. 22

CC<sub>2</sub> A But if they will repent and hearken unto my words, and harden not their hearts,

- B a I will establish my church among them,
- b and they shall come in unto the covenant and be numbered among this
- c the remnant of Jacob,
- d unto whom I have given this land for their inheritance; 23 And they shall  
assist my people,
- c the remnant of Jacob,
- b and also as many of the house of Israel as shall come,
- a that they may build a city, which shall be called the New Jerusalem. 24

- CC<sub>3</sub> And then shall they assist my people that they may be gathered in, who are scattered upon all the face of the land, in unto the New Jerusalem. 25
- A And then shall the power of heaven come down among them; and I also will be in the midst. 26
- B And then shall the work of the Father commence at that day, even when this gospel shall be preached among the remnant of this people.
- C Verily I say unto you, at that day shall the work of the Father commence among all the dispersed of my people, yea, even the tribes which have been lost, which the Father hath led away out of Jerusalem. 27
- C Yea, the work shall commence among all the dispersed of my people, with the Father to prepare the way whereby they may come unto me, that they may call on the Father in my name. 28
- B Yea, and then shall the work commence, with the Father among all nations in preparing the way whereby his people may be gathered home to the land of their inheritance. 29 And they shall go out from all nations; and they shall not go out in haste, nor go by flight,
- A for I will go before them, saith the Father, and I will be their rearward. 22:1
- BB And then shall that which is written come to pass:
- A Sing, O barren,  
 thou that didst not bear;  
 break forth into singing, and cry aloud,  
 thou that didst not travail with child;
- B for more are the children of the desolate than the children of the married wife, saith the Lord. 2
- C Enlarge the place of thy tent,  
 and let them stretch forth the curtains of thy habitations; spare not,  
 lengthen thy cords  
 and strengthen thy stakes; 3
- B For thou shalt break forth on the right hand and on the left,  
 and thy seed shall inherit the Gentiles and make the desolate cities to be inhabited. 4
- A Fear not,  
 for thou shalt not be ashamed;  
 neither be thou confounded,  
 for thou shalt not be put to shame;  
 for thou shalt forget the shame of thy youth,  
 and shalt not remember the reproach of thy youth,  
 and shalt not remember the reproach of thy widowhood any more. 5  
 For thy maker, thy husband, the Lord of Hosts is his name;  
 and thy Redeemer, the Holy One of Israel--the God of the whole earth shall he be called. 6
- A For the Lord hath called thee as a woman forsaken  
 and grieved in spirit,  
 and a wife of youth,  
 when thou wast refused,
- B saith thy God. 7
- A For a small moment have I forsaken thee,  
 but with great mercies will I gather thee. 8  
 In a little wrath I hid my face from thee for a moment,  
 but with everlasting kindness will I have mercy on thee,
- B saith the Lord thy Redeemer. 9

A For this, the waters of Noah unto me, for as I have sworn  
 that the waters of Noah should no more go over the earth,  
 so have I sworn  
 that I would not be wroth with thee. 10  
 For the mountains shall depart  
 and the hills be removed,  
 but my kindness shall not depart from thee,  
 neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed,

B saith the Lord that hath mercy on thee. 11

A O thou afflicted, tossed with tempest, and not comforted! Behold,

B I will lay thy stones with fair colors,  
 and lay thy foundations with sapphires. 12  
 And I will make thy windows of agates,  
 and thy gates of carbuncles,  
 and all thy borders of pleasant stones. 13  
 And all thy children shall be taught of the Lord;  
 and great shall be the peace of thy children. 14  
 In righteousness shalt thou be established;  
 thou shalt be far from oppression for thou shalt not fear,  
 and from terror for it shall not come near thee. 15

A Behold, they shall surely gather together against thee,  
 not by me;  
 whosoever shall gather together against thee  
 shall fall for thy sake. 16

B Behold, I have created the smith  
 that bloweth the coals in the fire,  
 and that bringeth forth an instrument for his work;  
 and I have created the waster  
 to destroy. 17

A No weapon that is formed against thee  
 shall prosper;  
 and every tongue that shall revile against thee in judgment  
 thou shalt condemn.

B This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord,  
 and their righteousness is of me, saith the Lord. 23:1

AA A And now, behold, I say unto you,  
 that ye ought to search these things.  
 Yea, a commandment I give unto you  
 that ye search these things diligently;  
 for great are the words of Isaiah. 2  
 For surely he spake as touching all things  
 concerning my people which are of the house of Israel;  
 therefore it must needs be that he must speak  
 also to the Gentiles. 3  
 And all things that he spake  
 have been and  
 shall be,  
 even according to the words which he spake.[9] 4

B Therefore give heed to my words;

C write the things which I have told you; and according to the time and the will of the Father  
 they shall go forth unto the Gentiles. 5

B And whosoever will hearken unto my words and repenteth and is baptized, the same shall be saved.

- A Search the prophets, for many there be that testify of these things. 6
- A And now it came to pass that when Jesus had said these words  
he said unto them again,  
after he had expounded all the scriptures unto them which they had received,  
he said unto them:[10]
- B Behold, other scriptures I would that ye should write, that ye have not. 7
- C And it came to pass that he said unto Nephi: Bring forth the record which ye have kept. 8  
And when Nephi had brought forth the records, and laid them before him,
- D he cast his eyes upon them and said: 9 Verily I say unto you, I commanded my servant  
Samuel, the Lamanite, that he should testify unto this people, that at the day that the  
Father should glorify his name in me that there were many saints who should arise from  
the dead, and should appear unto many, and should minister unto them. And he said  
unto them: Was it not so? 10
- E And his disciples answered him and said: Yea, Lord, Samuel did prophesy  
according to thy words, and they were all fulfilled. 11
- D And Jesus said unto them: How be it that ye have not written this thing, that many  
saints did arise and appear unto many and did minister unto them? 12
- C And it came to pass that Nephi remembered that this thing had not been written. 13
- B And it came to pass that Jesus commanded  
that it should be written;  
therefore it was written  
according as he commanded.[11] 14
- A And now it came to pass that when Jesus had expounded all the scriptures in one, which they had  
written, he commanded them that they should teach the things which he had expounded unto them. 24:1
- AA And it came to pass that he commanded them that they should write the words which the Father had given  
unto Malachi, which he should tell unto them.
- BB And it came to pass that after they were written he expounded them. And these are the words which he did  
tell unto them, saying: Thus said the Father unto Malachi--
- CC A<sub>1</sub> Behold, I will send my messenger,
- A<sub>2</sub> and he shall prepare the way before me, and the Lord whom ye seek shall suddenly come to his  
temple, even the messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in; behold, he shall come, saith the  
Lord of Hosts. 2
- A<sub>3</sub> But who may abide the day of his coming,  
and who shall stand when he appeareth?
- A<sub>4</sub> For he is  
like a refiner's fire, and  
like fuller's soap. 3  
And he shall sit as a refiner and purifier of silver;  
and he shall purify the sons of Levi,  
and purge them as gold and silver,  
that they may offer unto the Lord an offering in righteousness. 4
- B Then shall the offering of Judah and Jerusalem be pleasant unto the Lord,  
as in the days of old, and  
as in former years. 5

- C And I will come near to you to judgment; and I will be a swift witness  
 against the sorcerers, and  
 against the adulterers, and  
 against false swearers, and  
 against those  
   that oppress  
     the hireling in his wages,  
     the widow and  
     the fatherless, and  
 that turn aside the stranger,  
 and fear not me,  
     saith the Lord of Hosts. 6
- D For I am the Lord, I change not; therefore ye sons of Jacob are not consumed. 7
- E Even from the days of your fathers ye are gone away from mine ordinances, and  
 have not kept them.
- F ( )  
     Return unto  
       me  
       and I  
     will return unto  
 you,  
     saith the Lord of Hosts.
- But ye say: Wherein shall we return? 8  
 Will a man rob God?  
 Yet ye have robbed me.
- But ye say:  
 Wherein have we robbed thee?  
     In tithes and offerings. 9  
     Ye are cursed with a curse,  
     for ye have robbed me,  
 even this whole nation. 10
- G Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in my  
 house; and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of Hosts, if I will not  
 open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing that there  
 shall not be room enough to receive it. 11  
     And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes,  
     and he shall not destroy the fruits of your ground;  
     neither shall your vine cast her fruit before the time in the fields,  
     saith the Lord of Hosts. 12  
     And all nations shall call you blessed, for ye shall be a  
     delightful land,  
     saith the Lord of Hosts. 13
- H Your words have been stout against me, saith the Lord.  
 Yet ye say: What have we spoken against thee? 14  
 Ye have said:  
     It is vain to serve God,  
     and what doth it profit  
       that we have kept his ordinances and  
       that we have walked mournfully before the Lord of  
       Hosts? 15
- I And now we call the proud happy;  
 yea, they that work wickedness are set up;  
 yea, they that tempt God are even delivered. 16

- H Then they that feared the Lord spake often one to another, and the Lord hearkened and heard; and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name. 17
- G And they shall be mine, saith the Lord of Hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels; and I will spare them as a man spareth his own son that serveth him. 18
- F Then shall ye return and discern  
between the righteous and the wicked,  
between him that serveth God and him that serveth him not. 25:1
- E For behold, the day cometh that shall burn as an oven;  
and all the proud, yea, and all that do wickedly, shall be stubble;  
and the day that cometh shall burn them up, saith the Lord of Hosts,  
that it shall leave them neither root nor branch. 2
- D But unto you that fear my name, shall the Son of Righteousness arise with healing in his wings; and ye shall go forth and grow up as calves in the stall. 3
- C And ye shall tread down the wicked; for they shall be ashes under the soles of your feet in the day that I shall do this, saith the Lord of Hosts. 4
- B Remember ye the law of Moses, my servant, which I commanded unto him in Horeb for all Israel, with the statutes and judgments. 5
- A<sub>1</sub> Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet
- A<sub>2</sub> before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord; 6
- A<sub>3</sub> And he shall turn the heart of the fathers  
to the children,  
and the heart of the children  
to their fathers,
- A<sub>4</sub> lest I come and smite the earth with a curse. 26:1
- BB And now it came to pass that when Jesus had told these things he expounded them unto the multitude; and he did expound all things unto them, both great and small. 2
- AA And he saith: These scriptures, which ye had not with you, the Father commanded that I should give unto you; for it was wisdom in him that they should be given unto future generations. 3
- And he did expound all things, even from the beginning  
until the time that he should come in his glory--  
yea, even all things which should come upon the face of the earth,  
even until  
the elements should melt with fervent heat, and  
the earth should be wrapt together as a scroll, and  
the heavens and the earth should pass away; 4
- And even unto the great and last day, when  
all people, and  
all kindreds, and  
all nations and tongues  
shall stand before God, to be judged of their works,

whether they be good  
 or whether they be evil--5  
 If they be good, to the resurrection of everlasting life;  
 and if they be evil, to the resurrection of damnation;

being on a parallel, the one on the one hand and the other on the other hand,

according to  
 the mercy, and  
 the justice, and  
 the holiness which is in Christ,

who was before the world began. 6

A<sub>1</sub> And now there cannot be written in this book even a hundredth part

A<sub>2</sub> of the things which Jesus did truly teach unto the people; 7

B<sub>1</sub> But behold the plates of Nephi  
 do contain the more part of the things which he taught the people. 8  
 And these things have I written,  
 which are a lesser part of the things which he taught the people;  
 and I have written them to the intent that they may be brought again unto this people,  
 from the Gentiles, according to the words which Jesus hath spoken. 9

B<sub>2</sub> And when they shall have received this, which is expedient that they should have first, to try  
 their faith,

C<sub>1</sub> and if it shall so be that they shall believe these things

C<sub>2</sub> then shall the greater things be made manifest unto them. 10

C<sub>1</sub> And if it so be that they will not believe these things,

C<sub>2</sub> then shall the greater things be withheld from them, unto their condemnation. 11

B<sub>1</sub> Behold, I was about to write them, all which were engraven upon the plates of Nephi,

B<sub>2</sub> but the Lord forbade it, saying: I will try the faith of my people. 12

A<sub>1</sub> Therefore I, Mormon,  
 do write the things which have been commanded me of the Lord.  
 And now I, Mormon, make an end of my sayings,  
 and proceed to write the things which have been commanded me. 13

A<sub>2</sub> Therefore, I would that ye should behold that the Lord truly did teach the people, for the space of  
 three days; and after that he did show himself unto them oft, and did break bread oft, and bless it,  
 and give it unto them. 14

A And it came to pass that he did teach and minister unto the children of the multitude of whom hath been  
 spoken,  
 and he did loose their tongues, and they did speak  
 unto their fathers  
 great and marvelous things, even greater than he had revealed  
 unto the people;  
 and he loosed their tongues that they could utter. 15

B And it came to pass that after he had ascended into heaven--the second time that he showed  
 himself unto them, and had gone unto the Father,

- C after having  
 healed all their sick,  
 and their lame,  
 and opened the eyes of their blind  
 and unstopped the ears of the deaf,  
 and even had done all manner of cures among them,  
 and raised a man from the dead,  
 and had shown forth his power unto them,
- B and had ascended unto the Father--16
- A Behold, it came to pass on the morrow that the multitude gathered themselves together, and they both saw and heard these children; yea, even babes did open their mouths and utter marvelous things; and the things which they did utter were forbidden that there should not any man write them. 17
- B And it came to pass that the disciples whom Jesus had chosen began from that time forth to baptize and to teach as many as did come unto them; and as many as were baptized in the name of Jesus were filled with the Holy Ghost. 18
- A And many of them saw and heard unspeakable things, which are not lawful to be written. 19
- And they taught, and did minister one to another; and they had all things common among them, every man dealing justly, one with another. 20 And it came to pass that they did do all things even as Jesus had commanded them. 21
- A And they who were baptized in the name of Jesus were called the church of Christ. 27:1 And it came to pass that as the disciples of Jesus were journeying and were preaching the things which they had both heard and seen, and were baptizing in the name of Jesus,
- B it came to pass that the disciples were gathered together and were united in mighty prayer and fasting. 2  
 And Jesus again showed himself unto them,
- B for they were praying unto the Father in his name;  
 and Jesus came and stood in the midst of them, and said unto them: What will ye that I shall give unto you? 3
- A a And they said unto him: Lord, we will that thou wouldst tell us the name whereby we shall call this church;
- b for there are disputations among the people concerning this matter. 4
- c And the Lord said unto them: Verily, verily, I say unto you,
- b why is it that the people should murmur and dispute because of this thing? 5
- a Have they not read the scriptures, which say ye must take upon you the name of Christ, which is my name? For by this name shall ye be called at the last day; 6
- A And whoso taketh upon him my name, and endureth to the end, the same shall be saved at the last day. 7
- B<sub>1</sub> Therefore, whatsoever ye shall do, ye shall do it in my name;  
 therefore ye shall call the church in my name;
- B<sub>2</sub> and ye shall call upon the Father in my name
- B<sub>3</sub> that he will bless the church for my sake. 8
- C And how be it my church

D save it be called in my name?

E For if a church be called in Moses' name then it be Moses' church;

E or if it be called in the name of a man then it be the church of a man;

D but if it be called in my name

C then it is my church, if it so be that they are built upon my gospel. 9 Verily I say unto you, that ye are built upon my gospel;

B<sub>1</sub> therefore ye shall call whatsoever things ye do call, in my name;

B<sub>2</sub> therefore if ye call upon the Father, for the church, if it be in my name

B<sub>3</sub> the Father will hear you; 10 And if it so be that the church is built upon my gospel then will the Father show forth his own works in it. 11

A But if it be not built upon my gospel, and is built upon the works of men, or upon the works of the devil, verily I say unto you they have joy in their works for a season, and by and by the end cometh, and they are hewn down and cast into the fire, from whence there is no return. 12 For their works do follow them, for it is because of their works that they are hewn down; therefore remember the things that I have told you. 13

a A<sub>1</sub> Behold I have given unto you my gospel,  
 a and this is the gospel which I have given unto you--  
 b that I came into the world to do the will of my Father, because my Father sent me. 14  
 b And my Father sent me  
 c that I might be lifted up upon the cross;

c A<sub>2</sub> and after that I had been lifted up upon the cross,  
 d that I might draw all men unto me,  
 that as I  
 have been lifted up  
 by men  
 even so should men  
 be lifted up  
 by the Father,  
 to stand before me, to be judged of their works, whether they be good or whether they be evil--15  
 And for this cause have I been lifted up;  
 d therefore, according to the power of the Father I will draw all men unto me,  
 e that they may be judged according to their works.[12] 16

B<sub>1</sub> And it shall come to pass, that whoso repenteth

B<sub>2</sub> and is baptized in my name

B<sub>3</sub> shall be filled;

B<sub>4</sub> and if he endureth to the end, behold, him will I hold guiltless before my Father at that day when I shall stand to judge the world. 17

C And he that endureth not unto the end, the same is he that is also hewn down and cast into the fire, from whence they can no more return, because of the justice of the Father. 18

D And this is the word

E which he hath given unto the children of men.

- F And for this cause he fulfilleth the words
- E which he hath given,
- D and he lieth not, but fulfilleth all his words. 19
- C a And no unclean thing
- b can enter into his kingdom;
- b therefore nothing entereth into his rest
- a save it be those who have washed their garments in my blood,[13]  
because of their faith,  
and the repentance of all their sins,  
and their faithfulness unto the end. 20
- B<sub>1</sub> Now this is the commandment: Repent, all ye ends of the earth,
- B<sub>2</sub> and come unto me and be baptized in my name,
- B<sub>3</sub> that ye may be sanctified by the reception of the Holy Ghost,
- B<sub>4</sub> that ye may stand spotless before me at the last day. 21
- A<sub>1</sub> Verily, verily, I say unto you, this is my gospel;  
and ye know the things that ye must do in my church;  
for the works which ye have seen me do that shall ye also do;  
for that which ye have seen me do even that shall ye do; 22
- A<sub>2</sub> Therefore, if ye do these things blessed are ye, for ye shall be lifted up at the last day. 23
- A Write the things which ye have seen and heard, save it be those which are forbidden. 24  
Write the works of this people, which shall be, even as hath been written, of that which hath been. 25
- B For behold, out of the books which have been written, and which shall be written, shall this people be judged, for by them shall their works be known unto men. 26
- A And behold, all things are written by the Father;
- B therefore out of the books which shall be written shall the world be judged. 27
- C And know ye that ye shall be judges of this people, according to the judgment which I shall give unto you, which shall be just. Therefore, what manner of men ought ye to be? Verily I say unto you, even as I am. 28
- And now I go unto the Father. And verily I say unto you, whatsoever things ye shall ask the Father in my name shall be given unto you. 29 Therefore,
- A ask,  
and ye shall receive;
- B knock,  
and it shall be opened unto you;
- A for he that asketh,  
receiveth;
- B and unto him that knocketh,  
it shall be opened. 30

A And now, behold, my joy is great,

B even unto fulness,

C<sub>1</sub> because of you, and also this generation;  
       yea, and even the Father  
           rejoiceth,  
       and also all the holy angels,  
       because of you and this generation;

C<sub>2</sub> for none of them are lost. 31

C<sub>1</sub> Behold, I would that ye should understand; for I mean them who are now alive of this generation;

C<sub>2</sub> and none of them are lost;

B and in them I have fulness

A of joy. 32

But behold, it sorroweth me because of the fourth generation from this generation, for they are led away captive by him even as was the son of perdition; for they will sell me

for silver and

for gold, and

for that which moth doth corrupt and which thieves can break through and steal.

And in that day will I visit them, even in turning their works upon their own heads. 33

And it came to pass that when Jesus had ended these sayings he said unto his disciples: Enter ye in at the strait gate;

for strait is the gate, and narrow is the way that leads to life,

and few there be that find it;

but wide is the gate, and broad the way which leads to death,

and many there be that travel therein,

until the night cometh, wherein no man can work. 28:1

And it came to pass when Jesus had said these words, he spake unto his disciples, one by one, saying unto them:

A What is it that ye desire of me, after that I am gone to the Father? 2

B And they all spake, save it were three, saying:

C We desire that after we have lived unto the age of man, that our ministry, wherein thou hast called us, may have an end, that we may speedily come unto thee in thy kingdom. 3

D And he said unto them: Blessed are ye because ye desired this thing of me;

C therefore, after that ye are seventy and two years old ye shall come unto me in my kingdom; and with me ye shall find rest. 4

B And when he had spoken unto them, he turned himself unto the three, and said unto them:

A What will ye that I should do unto you, when I am gone unto the Father? 5

And they sorrowed in their hearts, for they durst not speak unto him the thing which they desired. 6 And he said unto them: Behold, I know your thoughts, and ye have desired the thing which John, my beloved, who was with me in my ministry, before that I was lifted up by the Jews, desired of me. 7

- AA A Therefore, more blessed are ye,
- B for ye shall never taste of death; but ye shall live to behold all the doings of the Father unto the children of men, even until all things shall be fulfilled according to the will of the Father, when I shall come in my glory with the powers of heaven. 8
- C And ye shall never endure the pains of death; but when I shall come in my glory ye shall be changed in the twinkling of an eye from mortality to immortality; and then shall ye be blessed in the kingdom of my Father. 9
- BB B And again, ye shall not have pain while ye shall dwell in the flesh, neither sorrow save it be for the sins of the world; and all this will I do because of the thing which ye have desired of me, for ye have desired that ye might bring the souls of men unto me, while the world shall stand. 10
- A And for this cause ye shall have fulness of joy;  
and ye shall sit down in the kingdom of my Father;  
yea, your joy shall be full,  
even as the Father  
hath given me fulness of joy;
- and ye shall be even as I am,  
and I am  
even as the Father;  
and the Father and I are one; 11  
And the Holy Ghost beareth record of the Father and me;  
and the Father giveth the Holy Ghost unto the children of men,  
because of me. 12
- And it came to pass that when Jesus had spoken these words, he touched every one of them with his finger save it were the three who were to tarry, and then he departed. 13
- CC<sub>1</sub> A And behold, the heavens were opened, and they were caught up into heaven,
- B and saw and heard
- C unspeakable things. 14
- D And it was forbidden them that they should utter;
- D neither was it given unto them power that they could utter
- C the things which they
- B saw and heard; 15
- CC<sub>2</sub> A a And whether they were in the body or out of the body, they could not tell;  
for it did seem unto them like a transfiguration of them,
- b that they were changed from this body of flesh into an immortal state,  
that they could behold the things of God. 16
- DD b But it came to pass that they did again minister upon the face of the earth;  
EE nevertheless they did not minister of the things which they had heard and seen, because  
of the commandment which was given them in heaven. 17
- a And now, whether they were mortal or immortal,  
from the day of their transfiguration, I know not; 18

- FF A<sub>1</sub> But this much I know, according to the record which hath been given--they did go forth upon the face of the land, and did minister unto all the people,
- A<sub>2</sub> uniting as many to the church as would believe in their preaching; baptizing them, and as many as were baptized did receive the Holy Ghost. 19
- GG B And they were cast into prison by them who did not belong to the church.  
And the prisons could not hold them, for they were rent in twain. 20  
And they were cast down into the earth;  
but they did smite the earth with the word of God, insomuch that by his power they were delivered out of the depths of the earth; and therefore they could not dig pits sufficient to hold them. 21  
And thrice they were cast into a furnace  
and received no harm. 22  
And twice were they cast into a den of wild beasts;  
and behold they did play with the beasts as a child with a suckling lamb, and received no harm. 23
- FF A<sub>1</sub> And it came to pass that thus they did go forth among all the people of Nephi, and did preach the gospel of Christ unto all people upon the face of the land;
- A<sub>2</sub> and they were converted unto the Lord, and were united unto the church of Christ, and thus the people of that generation were blessed, according to the word of Jesus. 24
- EE And now I, Mormon, make an end of speaking concerning these things for a time. 25 Behold, I was about to write the names of those who were never to taste of death, but the Lord forbade; therefore I write them not, for they are hid from the world. 26
- DD A But behold, I have seen them, and they have ministered unto me. 27
- B And behold they will be among the Gentiles, and the Gentiles shall know them not. 28
- C They will also be among the Jews, and the Jews shall know them not. 29
- D And it shall come to pass, when the Lord seeth fit in his wisdom
- C that they shall minister unto all the scattered tribes of Israel,
- B and unto all  
nations,  
kindreds,  
tongues and  
people,  
and shall bring out of them unto Jesus many souls, that their desire may be fulfilled, and also because of the convincing power of God which is in them. 30
- A And they are as the angels of God, and if they shall pray unto the Father in the name of Jesus they can show themselves unto whatsoever man it seemeth them good. 31
- Therefore, great and marvelous works shall be wrought by them,  
before the great and coming day when all people must surely stand before the judgment-seat of Christ; 32
- Yea even among the Gentiles shall there be a great and marvelous work wrought by them,  
before that judgment day. 33
- A And if ye had all the scriptures which give an account of all the marvelous works of Christ,
- B ye would according to the words of Christ, know that these things must surely come. 34

- C And wo be
- D<sub>1</sub> unto him that will not hearken unto the words of Jesus,
- D<sub>2</sub> and also to them whom he hath chosen and sent among them;
- D<sub>1</sub> for whoso receiveth not the words of Jesus
- D<sub>2</sub> and the words of those whom he hath sent receiveth not him;
- C and therefore he will not receive them at the last day; 35 And it would be better for them if they had not been born.
- B For do ye suppose that ye can get rid of the justice of an offended God,
- A who hath been trampled under feet of men, that thereby salvation might come? 36
- CC<sub>1</sub> And now behold, as I spake concerning those whom the Lord hath chosen, yea, even three who were caught up into the heavens,
- CC<sub>2</sub> that I knew not whether they were cleansed from mortality to immortality--37 But behold, since I wrote, I have inquired of the Lord, and he hath made it manifest unto me that there must needs be a change wrought upon their bodies, or else it needs be that they must taste of death; 38 Therefore, that they might not taste of death there was a change wrought upon their bodies,
- BB that they might not suffer pain nor sorrow save it were for the sins of the world. 39
- AA A Now this change was not equal to that which shall take place
- B at the last day;
- C but there was a change wrought upon them,
- D insomuch that Satan could have no power over them, that he could not tempt them;
- E and they were sanctified in the flesh,
- E that they were holy,
- D and that the powers of the earth could not hold them. 40
- C And in this state they were to remain
- B until the judgment day of Christ; and at that day
- A they were to receive a greater change, and to be received into the kingdom of the Father to go no more out, but to dwell with God eternally in the heavens. 29:1
- A And now behold, I say unto you that when the Lord shall see fit, in his wisdom, that these sayings shall come unto the Gentiles according to his word,
- B then ye may know that the covenant which the Father hath made with the children of Israel, concerning their restoration to the lands of their inheritance,
- C is already beginning to be fulfilled. 2
- D And ye may know that the words of the Lord, which have been spoken by the holy prophets, shall all be fulfilled;

- E and ye need not say that the Lord delays his coming unto the children of Israel. 3
- D And ye need not imagine in your hearts that the words which have been spoken are vain,
- C for behold, the Lord will remember
- B his covenant which he hath made unto his people of the house of Israel. 4
- A And when ye shall see these sayings coming forth among you,
- A<sub>1</sub> then ye need not any longer
- A<sub>2</sub> spurn at
- A<sub>3</sub> the doings of the Lord,
- B for the sword of his justice is in his right hand; and behold, at that day, if ye shall spurn at his doings he will cause that it shall soon overtake you. 5
- C Wo unto him that spurneth at the doings of the Lord;
- D<sub>1</sub> yea, wo unto him that shall deny the Christ
- D<sub>2</sub> and his works! 6
- D<sub>1</sub> Yea, wo unto him that shall deny the revelations of the Lord,
- D<sub>2</sub> and that shall say the Lord no longer worketh  
by revelation, or  
by prophecy, or  
by gifts, or  
by tongues, or  
by healings, or  
by the power of the Holy Ghost![14] 7
- C Yea, and wo unto him that shall say at that day, to get gain, that there can be no miracle wrought by Jesus Christ;
- B for he that doeth this shall become like unto the son of perdition, for whom there was no mercy, according to the word of Christ! 8
- A<sub>1</sub> Yea, and ye need not any longer
- A<sub>2</sub> hiss, nor  
spurn, nor  
make game
- A<sub>3</sub> of the Jews, nor any of the remnant of the house of Israel;
- a for behold, the Lord remembereth his covenant unto them,
- b and he will do unto them according to that which he hath sworn. 9
- b Therefore ye need not suppose that ye can turn the right hand of the Lord unto the left,
- a that he may not execute judgment unto the fulfilling of the covenant which he hath made unto the house of Israel. 30:1

- Hearken, O ye Gentiles,  
 and hear the words of Jesus Christ, the Son of the living God, which he hath commanded me that I  
 should speak concerning you, for, behold he commandeth me that I should write, saying: 2
- A Turn, all ye Gentiles,
- B from your wicked ways;
- C and repent of
- D your evil doings, of  
 your lyings and deceivings, and of  
 your whoredoms, and of  
 your secret abominations, and  
 your idolatries, and of  
 your murders, and  
 your priestcrafts, and  
 your envyings, and  
 your strifes, and from all  
 your wickedness and abominations,
- C and come unto me,
- B and be baptized in my name,  
 that ye may receive a remission of your sins,  
 and be filled with the Holy Ghost,
- A that ye may be numbered with my people who are of the house of Israel.

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1. 3 Nephi 12:23-24. The chiasm found by DWP prompted reformatting of these verses; the result bears some similarity to his.
  2. 3 Nephi 13:14-15. DWP.
  3. 3 Nephi 13:19-21. Slight changes after DWP.
  4. 3 Nephi 13:34. DWP.
  5. The **G**s are an example where two elements which at first glance appear to be unrelated are placed in parallel by virtue of the strong parallels that surround them. In this case the **F**s and the **H**s are obvious and strong parallels. On reflection, we recognize the importance of meeting together oft to assist us in watching and praying to avoid temptation. Moreover, we are to welcome everyone, including saint, sinner and investigator.
  6. 3 Nephi 20:44. DWP.
  7. Sprinkle: Strong 5137, *nazah*; to spirt, i.e. besprinkle (expec. in expiation):-sprinkle.
  8. “The verb for **shall he sprinkle** is a technical term found in the Mosaic Law for the sprinkling of blood in order to cleanse or purify from sin.” The King James Study Bible, Thomas Nelson Publishers, Nashville, 1988, p. 1083.
  9. 3 Nephi 23:1-3. after DWP.
  10. 3 Nephi 23:6. DWP.
  11. 3 Nephi 23:13. DWP.

12. 3 Nephi 27:13-15 can also be seen to be a climax, with the inverted system inserted.
13. 3 Nephi 27:19. DWP.
14. 3 Nephi 29:6. An interesting use of a six member list. Wo unto them who think these six things are evil.