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(See Don L. Searle, “It Is the Truth, I Can Feel It,” *Ensign*, July 1999, 48–50.)

SUPPLEMENT #2 Brigham Young

“I rose up, and in a plain and forcible manner told them that Joseph was a Prophet, and I knew it, and that they might rail and slander him as much as they pleased; they could not destroy the appointment of the Prophet of God, they could only destroy their own authority, cut the thread that bound them to the Prophet and to God, and sink themselves to hell. Many were highly enraged at my decided opposition to their measures. ... This meeting was broken up without the apostates being able to unite on any decided measures of opposition”

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Temple; Pentecostal outpourings; 47% of revelations received here; God and Jesus appeared many times; Moses, Elijah, Elias appeared; angels attended temple dedication;

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- d. What sacrifices did your convert forefathers make? -----
- d. Parley P Pratt story -----
- e. Levi Hancock story -----
- f. What sacrifices may we need to make to be a missionary? -----

What feelings do these two scriptures create within me?

What would the church be like without these early missionaries?

Hugh and Mary Owen Roberts story

How did the Lord bless Elder Pratt as he worked with John Taylor?

Did Levi have a good excuse to stop his mission?

Will we face adversity if we try to increase our missionary efforts?

3- Quorum of Twelve taught thousands in England

Forces against the church became more vigorous and many faltered, including leaders

- a. Joseph Smith, "Something new must be done for the salvation of His church." (History of the Church, 2:489) -----
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- d. Thomas S. Monson story -----

A further sacrifice was required before the blessings came. What can we learn from this?

So how did the Lord bless the church? What can we learn from this?

READ HEADING FIRST. 2,000 joined, 26 branches formed

The Lord still fulfills that promise in many different ways

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