

**THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL SIDNEY B. SPERRY SYMPOSIUM  
LIVING THE BOOK OF MORMON: ABIDING BY ITS PRECEPTS  
Friday and Saturday, October 26 and 27, 2007**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2007**

<b>Time</b>	<b>JSB Auditorium</b>
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Address:</b> <i>Abiding by Its Precepts</i> Elder Joe J. Christensen, General Authority Emeritus

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<b>7:30 p.m.</b>	<i>Getting "Nearer to God": A History of Joseph Smith's Statement</i>  <b>Scott C. Esplin</b> Church History and Doctrine, BYU	<i>Laman and Lemuel: A Case Study in "Not Becoming"</i>  <b>Michael A. Goodman</b> Church History and Doctrine, BYU	<i>Writing the Things of God</i>  <b>Terry Szink</b> Ancient Scripture BYU	<i>How to Be Reclaimed from the Fall of Adam</i>  <b>Frank F. Judd Jr.</b> Ancient Scripture BYU	<i>Leadership Lessons in the Book of Mormon</i>  <b>Kory L. Meyerink</b> Historical Researcher BYU
<b>8:30 p.m.</b>	<i>"The Pure Love of Christ": The Divine Precept of Charity in Moroni 7</i>  <b>Matthew O. Richardson</b> Church History and Doctrine, BYU	<i>Alma the Younger: A Disciple's Quest to Become</i>  <b>Jerome M. Perkins</b> Church History and Doctrine, BYU	<i>The Literary Power of the Book of Mormon</i>  <b>Charles Swift</b> Ancient Scripture BYU	<i>The Escape from Spiritual Bondage</i>  <b>Paul Y. Hoskisson</b> Ancient Scripture BYU	<i>Prophetic Principles for Building Zion</i>  <b>Neal W. Kramer</b> English, BYU

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2007**

<b>Time</b>	<b>JSB Auditorium</b>	<b>445 MARB</b>	<b>446 MARB</b>	<b>455 MARB</b>	<b>456 MARB</b>
<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<p><i>Using the Book of Mormon to Meet Today's Challenges</i></p> <p><b>Clyde J. Williams</b> Ancient Scripture BYU</p>	<p><i>Restoration, Redemption, and Resurrection: Three Rs of the Book of Mormon</i></p> <p><b>Richard O. Cowan</b> Church History and Doctrine, BYU</p>	<p><i>The Atonement of Jesus Christ—"Glad Tidings of Great Joy"</i></p> <p><b>Michael L. King</b> CES, Texas</p>	<p><i>Alma, the Book of Mormon, and the Quest to Be an "Instrument in the Hands of the Lord"</i></p> <p><b>Janiece Johnson</b> Graduate Student BYU</p>	<p><i>"Proper Order"—A Powerful Precept of the Book of Mormon</i></p> <p><b>Brian K. Ray</b> CES, Arizona</p>
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<p><i>"We Are Not Cut Off": Separation and Reconciliation through Sacred Covenants</i></p> <p><b>Daniel Belnap</b> Part-Time Instructor BYU</p>	<p><i>Choosing Redemption</i></p> <p><b>Jennifer C. Lane</b> BYU-Hawaii</p>	<p><i>The Book of Mormon: The Keystone of the Doctrine of the Resurrection</i></p> <p><b>Rick B. Jorgensen</b> CES, Utah</p>	<p><i>Abinadi on the Father and the Son: Interpretation and Application</i></p> <p><b>Jared T. Parker</b> PhD, Chemical Engineering</p>	<p><i>"With Power and Authority of God": Principles of Missionary Success</i></p> <p><b>C. Robert Line</b> CES—Salt Lake City University Institute</p>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<p><i>Alma's Reform of Zarahemla: A Model for Activation</i></p> <p><b>Terry B. Ball</b> Dean, Religious Education, BYU</p>	<p><i>The Merits of Christ: Fallen Humanity's Hope for Redemption</i></p> <p><b>Michael J. Fear</b> CES, Ogden Institute</p>	<p><i>Agency—It's Our Choice: Book of Mormon Insights</i></p> <p><b>Victor L. Ludlow</b> Ancient Scripture BYU (Presented by his son, <b>Jared W. Ludlow</b>, Ancient Scripture BYU)</p>	<p><i>"All Are Alike unto God": Equality and Charity in the Book of Mormon</i></p> <p><b>Lloyd D. Newell</b> Church History and Doctrine, BYU</p>	

<b>JSB Auditorium</b>	
<b>Noon</b>	<p><b>Closing Session:</b> <i>"The Most Correct Book": Joseph Smith's Appraisal of the Book of Mormon</i> <b>Robert L. Millet</b>, Ancient Scripture, BYU</p>