

LA MISION GUATEMALTECO SALVADOREÑA

SEPTIEMBRE 1967

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GUATEMALA - EL SALVADOR MISSION

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Dear Fellow Missionaries:

It is our glorious privilege to partake in the fulfillment of a prophecy uttered by Lehi, the great progenitor of the indigenous people of the Americas, and explained by Nephi:

"Behold, I say unto you, that the house of Israel was compared unto an olive-tree, by the Spirit of the Lord which was in our fathers; and behold are we not broken off from the house of Israel, and are we not a branch of the house of Israel?"

And now, the thing which our father meaneth concerning the grafting in of the natural branches through the fulness of the Gentiles, is, that in the latter days, when our seed shall have dwindled in unbelief, yea, for the space of many years, and many generations after the Messiah shall be manifested in body unto the children of men, then shall the fulness of the gospel of the Messiah come unto the Gentiles, and from the Gentiles unto the remnant of our seed---

And at that day shall the remnant of our seed know that they are of the house of Israel, and that they are the covenant people of the Lord; and then shall they know and come to the knowledge of their forefathers, and also to the knowledge of the gospel of their Redeemer, which was ministered unto their fathers by him; wherefore, they shall come to the knowledge of their Redeemer and the very points of his doctrine, that they may know how to come unto him and be saved.

And then at that day will they not rejoice and give praise unto their everlasting God, their rock and their salvation? Yea, at that day, will they not receive the strength and nourishment from the true vine? Yea, will they not come unto the true fold of God?

Behold, I say unto you, Yea; they shall be remembered again among the house of Israel; they shall be grafted in, being a natural branch of the olive-tree, into the true olive-tree."

The "Day of the Lamanite" is at hand, and perhaps more than ever before in the history of the Church, people are seeking the truth. May we be the most worthy instruments in the hands of the Lord in furthering this great work.

Sincerely yours in the Lord,

**President David G. Clark
Sister Bonnie Clark**

Dear Fellow Missionaries:

What constitutes a successful person? Or for that matter, what constitutes a successful missionary? This is a problem which philosophers and other great men have studied from the beginning of time, and most of them have, today, come to the conclusion that 85% of success is preparation.

What an important role preparation plays in the life of every successful man! For example, the Savior spent thirty years of his life preparing himself for the three year mission which he was to perform and which reached it's successful culmination in the opening of the way for man to receive eternal life and exaltation at the side of his Creator. Then following his resurrection, the Lord returned and charged each one of us with the responsibility of carrying the gospel message to all the peoples of the earth. Thus we each have the promise that we too may become "Saviors upon Mount Zion" and through our success, Christ becomes more successful. That is quite a responsibility. Are you prepared?

Preparation is not something that a young man does before receiving his call to the mission field, nor is it something achieved during his first few months of labor. Preparation is a continual process. The whole purpose of our existence is improvement and the only road to improvement is preparation. Someone once said, "When we stop getting better, we stop being good", mainly because, "You can lead a running stream but what can you do with a stagnant pool?"

May we always remember the motto which most of us learned early in life: "BE PREPARED", and constantly strive to improve ourselves through constant study and prayer which are the best ways to avoid the "stagnant" condition which renders us useless in the hands of the Master.

Elder Ronald M. Farley

Dear Fellow Missionaries:

"Corporations pay thousands of dollars annually to efficiency consultants. These men are paid to go through a business operation, department by department, to observe, make time-and-motion studies, and give suggestions on how time and money might be saved. In a manufacturing plant they will use stop watches to time each movement of a worker. They will measure and time the cycle that each worker goes through in order to perform his part of the operation. A like process will also occur in the offices -- the time to type a letter -- distance from the stenographer's desk to the mail slot -- all of these things are measured and compared,"

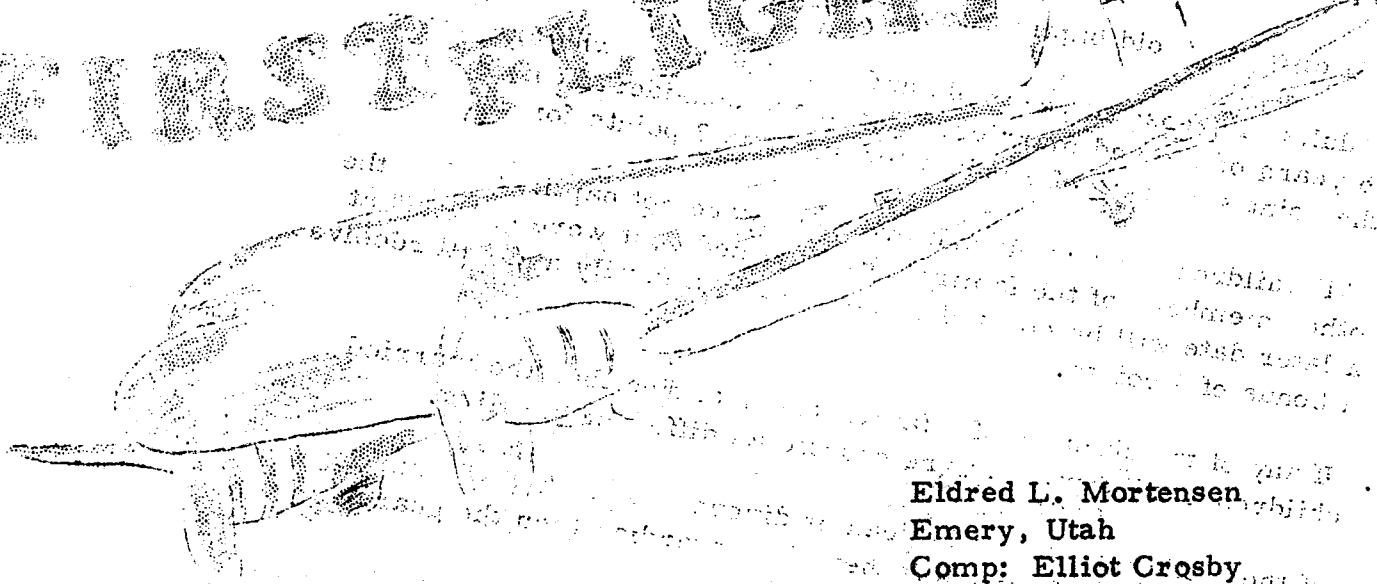
Just a few minutes a day can save a missionary hours. It can be done in the evening or early in the morning. First, a review of the previous day's activities must be discussed in order to determine if the goals of the day were accomplished. Then secondly, a schedule for the day's activities should be drawn up. Write the schedule on the organization sheets to have the day's activities in front of you.

As it has been stated, organization is the key to effectiveness. In order to show forth our potential we must be creative. In order to create or make something it has to be done in an organized manner. We all want to be the best missionaries, but in order to be the best we have to work effectively, to work effectively we have to be organized.

Let us be organized and may we attain our goals I pray.

Elder Don M. Christiansen

FIRST FLIGHT



Jordan Kent Nielsen
Tempe, Arizona
Comp: Carlos Garcia

David Earl Hyatt
Parowan, Utah
Comp: Sidney Smith

Eldred L. Mortensen
Emery, Utah

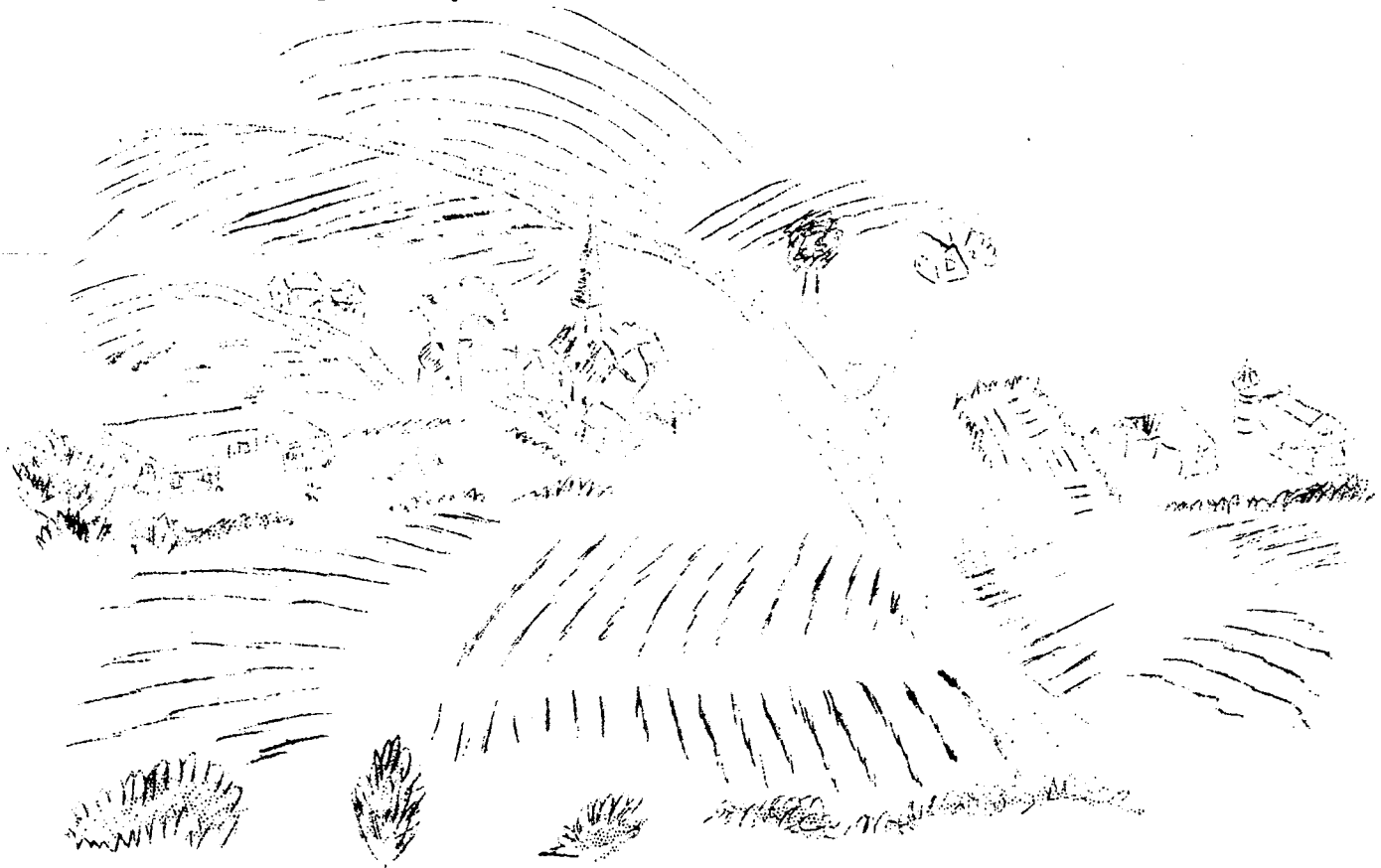
Comp: Elliot Crosby

Darwin K. Saunders
Springfield, Oregon

Comp: Dennis Frazier

Robert L. Stapley
Mesa, Arizona

Comp: Randy Harris

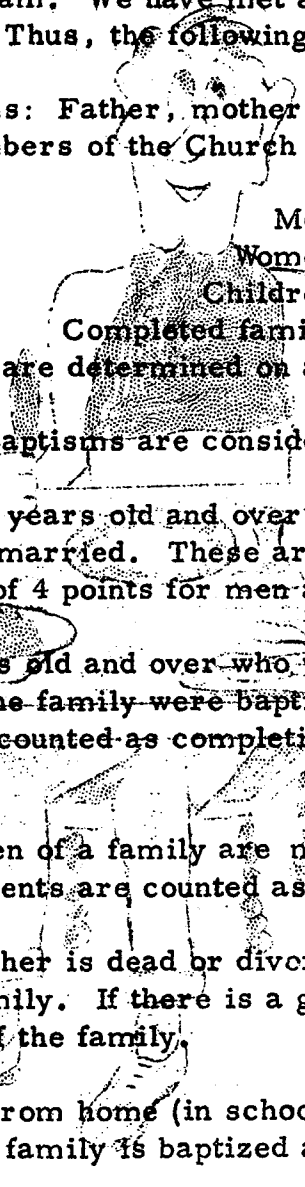


ZONE COMPETITION

It has been felt on the part of the Mission Presidency and the Zone Leaders that all of the missionaries in the field of labor would enjoy a stimulus program. We have met as a body and decided upon certain ground rules. Thus, the following, Zone Competition.

1. All convert baptisms: Father, mother, and all available children when united as members of the Church are considered a family.

Point Structure



Men	4 points
Women	2 points
Children	1 point
Completed family	3 point bonus

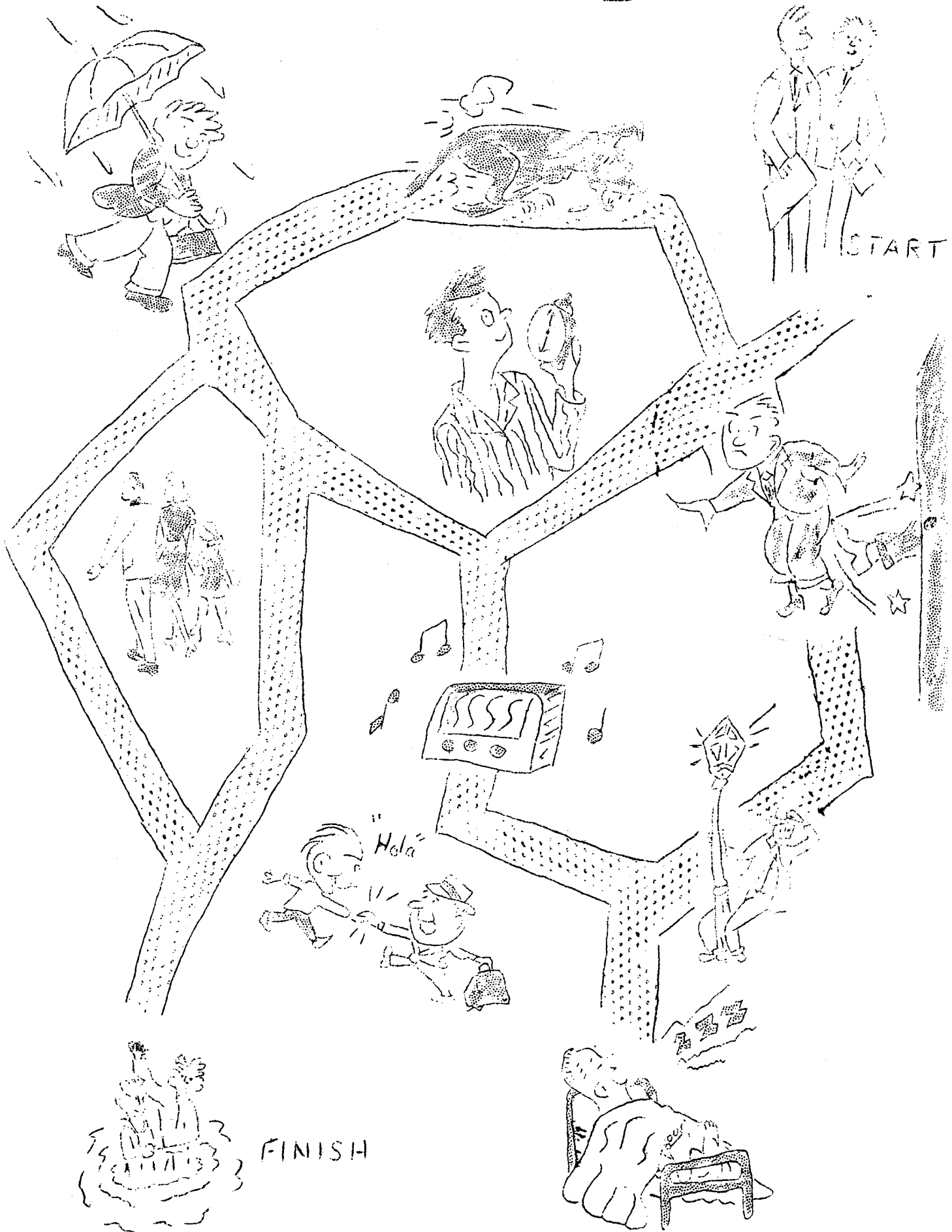
Winners of the contest are determined on a point structure basis.

2. All eight year old baptisms are considered as one point only.
3. Adults are those 18 years old and over and those who are under 18 years of age and married. These are considered eligible in the point structure of 4 points for men and 2 points for women.
4. ~~All children 9 years old and over who were not baptized when the other members of the family were baptized, but were baptized at a later date will be counted as completing a family and will receive a bonus of 3 points.~~
5. If any of the children of a family are married then the married children and the parents are counted as different families.
6. If the mother or father is dead or divorced then those remaining are counted as a family. If there is a guardian then the guardian is counted as part of the family.
7. Those living away from home (in school, in the service, etc.) and return after the family is baptized are counted as completing a family.

Duration Dates:

September 1 to October 1
October 2 to October 29
November 1 to December 3

YOU CAN DO IT



How Did Your District DO?

<u>DISTRICT</u>	<u>CHALLENGE</u>	<u>BAPTISMS</u>	<u>%CHALLENGE</u>	<u>MEN</u>	<u>FAMILIES</u>	<u>D.L.</u>
Salvador #4	19	29	152%	8	3	Corrigan
Santa Ana	16	18	113%	4	2	Hoffman
Guate #6	13	13	100%	4	2	Massey
Guate #1	9	9	100%	3	1	Cswald
Guate #5	12	12	100%	3	1	Davis
Mazatenango	12	12	100%	3	1	Morales
Salvador #3	22	12	54%	2	1	Frazier
Guate #9	12	6	50%	1	2	Liechty
Guate #4	12	6	50%	1	0	Smith, Sid
San Miguel	7	3	43%	2	0	Cluff
Atitlán	10	4	40%	0	0	Stone
Guate #3	12	4	33%	0	0	Runyan
Salvador #2	11	3	27%	1	1	Thorne
Office	8	2	25%	0	1	Guymon
Salvador #1	9	2	22%	0	0	Dunn
Quezaltenango	14	2	14%	1	0	Simonton
Guate #7	12	1	8%	1	0	Farar
Quiché	10	0	0%	0	0	Nelson, R.K.
Salvador #5	4	0	0%	0	0	García
Sonsonate	5	0	0%	0	0	Workman

SEPTEMBER

CHALLENGE

<u>DISTRICT</u>	<u>CHALLENGE</u>	<u>NO. OF ELDERS</u>	<u>D.L.</u>
Guate. #1	9	6	Oswald
Guate. #2	2	2	Hoffman
Guate. #3	12	8	Cluff
Guate. #4	12	8	Smith, Sid
Guate. #5	12	10	Davis
Guate. #6	13	10	Massey
Guate. #7	12	8	Farar
Guate. #9	16	6	Liechty
Office	8	6	Johnson, K.
Mazatenango	12	8	Morales
Quezaltenango	14	12	Simonton
Quiché	10	10	Nelson, R.K.
Atitlán	10	10	Stone
Salvador #1	9	6	Dunn
Salvador #2	9	6	Thorne
Salvador #3	22	12	Frazier
Salvador #4	16	10	Corrigan
Salvador #5	4	6	García
Santa Ana	16	12	Harris
Sonsonate	6	4	Workman
San Miguel	8	6	Runyan

FEATURING

san salvador 4

CHALLENGE	TOT. BAPTISMS	% CHALLENGE	MEN	FAMILIES
19	29	152%	8	3

DAVID CORRIGAN: (DL) During the past month under the direction of Elder David Corrigan, San Salvador #4 was able to achieve top district in the mission. He is from Los Angeles, California and has been in the mission 20 months.

BRUCE LLOYD: from Provo, Utah, has one year in the mission. He has worked in San Salvador #4, Santa Ana, and Guatemala #5.

WARREN JOHNSON: from Ogden, Utah. He has worked in Coatepeque, Guatemala #6, San Salvador #1, Santa Ana, Office, and San Salvador #4. He has 20 months in the mission

GLEN DEAN: from Midvale, Utah. He has worked in Guatemala #3, San Marcos, San Miguel, San Salvador #4, and San Salvador #3. He now has one year in the mission.

ELLIOT CROSBY: from St. Johns, Arizona. He now has 19 months in the mission and has worked in Guatemala #3, San Salvador #4, Sonsonate, Guatemala #6, Mazatenango and San Marcos.

ALLEN NISONGER: from Huntington Beach, California and has been in the mission 3 months. He has worked in this district since his arrival in the mission.

DOYAL THORNTON: from Pheonix, Arizona and has 9 1/2 months in the mission. He has worked in Guatemala #5, Escuintla, and San Salvador #4.

CURTIS FLOWE: from Spartanburg, South Carolina. He now has 3 months in the mission and has worked in San Salvador #3, and San Salvador #4.

JOHN CAZIER: from Rupert, Idaho and has 9 1/2 months in the mission. He has worked in Quezaltenango, San Salvador #3, and San Salvador #4.

JOSEPH SCHEURICH: from Glendale, California. He has worked in Guatemala #3, Guatemala #4, Guatemala #1, Guatemala #5, San Salvador #4, and Santa Ana. He now has 9 months in the mission. He and Elder Crosby were the top baptizers in the district for August.

TOP MEN BAPTIZED

Mortenson	3	Massey	2	Stillman	2
Johnson, JV	3	Parson	2	Smith, RC	2
Lewis	3	Rex	2	Nisonger	2
Corrigan	2	Scheurich	2	Meyer	2
Crosby	2	Smith, CV	2	Davis, SK	2
Dean	2	Smith, M	2	Cazier	2

TOP

LESSONS

Johnson, JV--60	Mortenson--60		
Frazier---57	Fox--54		
Lewis--52	Smith--52	Meyer--50	
Scheurich--50	Allred--49	Crosby--49	
Hoffman--49	Dickson--47	Wamsley--47	
Martineau--46	Yardley--46	Cazier--45	Dean--45
Gledhill--45	Pearson--45	Thorne---45	Davis, S--43
Massey---43	Witten---43	Bolla---42	Carpenter, T--40
Rex--40	Stillman--40		

TOP HOURS

TOP BAP.

Crosby	80	Hoffman	68	Crosby	9
Scheurich	80	Perez	68	Scheurich	9
Fox	75	Wamsley	68	Massey	8
Lemmon	74	Allred	67	Mortenson	8
Smith, CV	74	Farar	67	Parson	8
Smith, RC	74	Bolla	66	Smith, M	8
Davis, Dan	73	Cazier	66	Nisonger	8
Massey	72	Cloward	66	Johnson, JV	8
Smith, Ron	72	Flowe	66	Corrigan	7
Davis, SK	70	Petersen	66	Frazier	7
Dean	70	Smith, Russ	66	Allred	7
Flanders	70	Thorne	66	Davis, SK	7
Frazier	70	Blevins	65	Blevins	6
Hamilton	70	Draper	65	Carpenter, T	6
Speaker	69	Gardner	65	Hess	6
Stowell	68	Hess	65	Lewis	6
				Morales	6
				Meyer	5
				Brower	5
				McArthur	5

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

Shortly after a couple had moved to a small New England town, the lady of the house complained to her neighbor about the poor service at the local library, hoping that the woman would repeat her complaint to the librarian.

The next time the woman went to the library, she found that the librarian had set aside two best sellers for her and a new biography for her husband. What is more, the librarian seemed genuinely glad to see her.

The new comer told this to her friend saying, "I suppose you told the librarian how poor I thought the service was."

"No," was the reply, "I hope you don't mind but I told her that your husband was amazed at how well she had built up a small town library and that you thought she showed wonderful taste in the books she selected."

Conscience is the still small voice that makes us feel still smaller.

The amount of sleep required by individuals varies . . . except that each person needs just five minutes more.

Many a small boy is the kind of kid his mother tells him not to play with.

The nicest thing about the future is that it comes one day at a time.

It is no great thing to be humble when you are brought low, but to be humble when you are praised is a great and rare attainment.

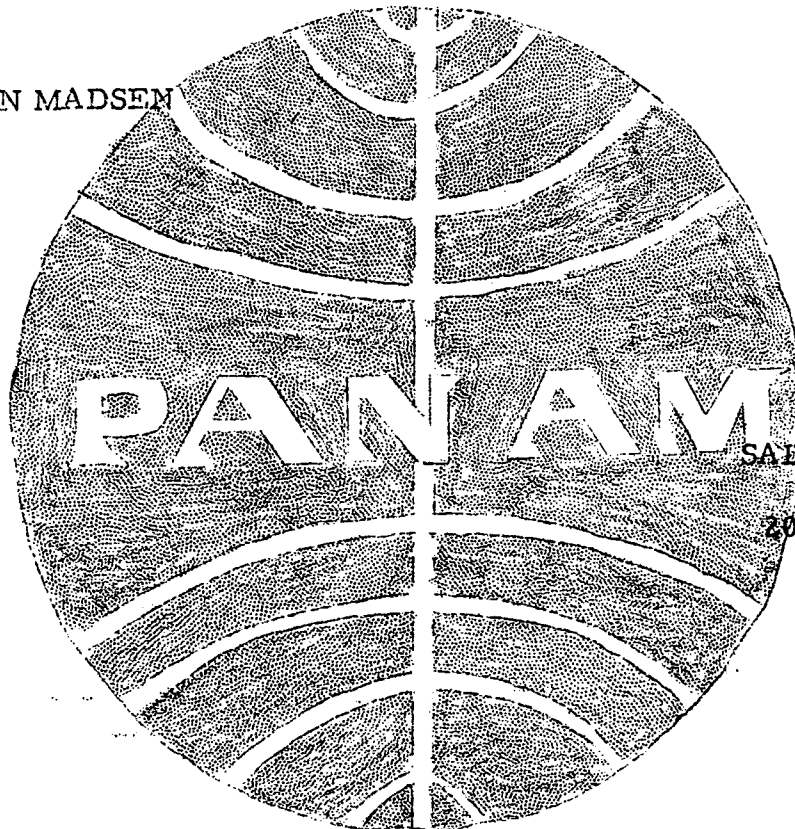
As the soil, however rich it may be, cannot be productive without culture, so the mind without cultivation can never produce good fruit. --Seneca

ELDER ROSS MARTIN MADSEN

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SALIO:

20 de Septiembre

1967

LA FAMILIA CLARK



Julie, Johnny, Sister Clark, President Clark, David, Carole

BIENVENIDOS

OFFICE HOURS

In order to take advantage of all possible proselyting time, the hours of the Mission Office have been established as the following:

SUNDAY :	CLOSED
MONDAY :	CLOSED
TUESDAY :	8:00-12:00; 2:00-5:00; 6:30-9:00
WEDNESDAY :	8:00-12:00; 2:00-5:00;
THURSDAY :	8:00-12:00; 2:00-5:00;
FRIDAY :	8:00-12:00;
SATURDAY :	8:00-12:00;

Your cooperation in complying with these hours will be greatly appreciated.

DID YOU KNOW?

Your investigators, after being baptized, are to be introduced into the class for new members at Sunday School. At this time the new member will begin a series of six lessons to prepare him further for his entrance into the adult class.

It is the responsibility of the individual elder to notify the Mission Financial Secretary whenever the elder enters or leaves a chapel where he will or has paid rent.

To date we, as a mission, have reached a total of 1000 BAPTISMS for the year 1967. CONGRATULATIONS!

PAYMENT OF MEDICAL EXPENSES

When a missionary contracts an illness that requires hospitalization, he should notify at once either the Second Assistant or the Zone Leader. The Zone Leader will in turn notify the Second Assistant of the nature of the illness, the time required for recuperation, and that the missionary has notified his parents of his illness and entrance into the hospital.

Since the billing system is different here than in the United States, the missionary should instruct the hospital that he, personally, must sign, after a complete and satisfactory explanation, all charges. This will give the Mission a control over indiscreet charging. He should then direct the hospital to send these charges to the Mission Office. The Mission Office will then pay all costs. At the time of payment, the missionary will be charged \$10.00 for the doctor's bills and \$30.00 for the hospital bills.

As soon as possible the missionary should institute action to recover as much of the total expenditure as possible from his insurance company. The canceled billings will be available to the missionary for insurance purposes. Since the Mission will have paid the hospital and doctor bills, please specify to the insurance company that the "Misión Guatemalteco - Salvadoreña" be the payee.

WIFERE

ZONE LEADERS --- Jones, W. and Carpenter, D.

San Salvador #1

Dunn D.L.

Blaser

Taylor, D.

Pitcher

Santa Tecla

Robison

Grange

San Salvador #2

Thorne D.L.

Kohler

Simpach

Wendt

Jones, K.

Meyer

San Salvador #3

Frazier D.L.

Saunders

Johnston

Mendenhall

Hamilton

Williams

Witten

Dickson

Guymon

Hardy

Manwaring

Boylan

San Salvador #4

Corrigan D.L.

Nisonger

Bishop

Thornton

Taylor, P.

Flowe

Cloward

Cazier

Crosby

Mortenson

San Salvador #5

García D.L.

Nielsen

Dean

Campbell

Méndez

Gibson

Santa Ana

Harris D.L.

Stapley

Southwick

Lemmon

Lewis

Scheurick

Jensen

Gledhill

Thompson

Henry

Chalchuapa

Hanks

Williams

San Miguel

Runyan D.L.

Chase

Beare

Rudd

Sonsonate

Workman D.L.

Hancock

Miller, R.

Hymas

Usulután

Moon

Flanders

WFO'S AT

ZONE LEADERS--- Davenport and Gardner

ZONE LEADERS --- Brienholt and Thomas

Guatemala #1

Oswald D.L.

Wilson

Garrett

Housley

Smith, C.V.

Smith, R.C.

Guatemala #2

Liechty D.L.

Allred

Stillman

Speaker

Peay

Smith, Ron

Guatemala #3

Cluff D.L.

Draper

Felt

Mercer

Johnson, W.

Rasmussen

Corpron

Bagley

Guatemala #4

Smith, Sid D.L.

Hyatt

Humpherys, K.

Jones, T.

Lloyd

Read

Pearson

Smith, Rosetta

Guatemala #5

Davis, Dan D.L.

David, J.L.

Miller, J.C.

Egbert

Jones, N.

Parson

Edmunds

Colwell

Petersen

Blevins

Guatemala #6

Massey D.L.

Davis, S.K.

Dever

Nelson, W.R.

Carpenter, Tom

Bolla

Pérez

Wamsley

Escuintla

Rex

Gonzalez, D.

Guatemala #7

Farar D.L.

Smith, Russ

Goldthwaite

Chambers

Sharp

Peel

Fraser

Humphery, Tom

Guiché Districh

Momostenango

Payne

Yardley

Totonicapán

Anderson

Green

Jim

Lindsey

Atitlán District

Patzicía

Stone D.L.

Schofield

Johnson, B.

Goodwin

Chimaltenango

Sevy

Helquist

Sololá

Henderson

Rencher

Patzún

Smith, B.

Tanner

San Marcos

Heredia

Stowell

Huehuetenango

Smith, M.

Willardson

Quezaltenango

Simonton D.L.

Gonzalez

Alexander

Egan

Hunter

Perkins

Betz

McArthur

Nelson, R.K. D.L.

Johnson, P.

Mazatenango

District

Retalhuleu

Morales D.L.

Herring

Mazatenango

Mortenson

Johnson, J.V.

Coatepeque

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Hedelius

Office

Johnson, K. D.L.

Christiansen

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Egan, Roger
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Stillman, Theodore J.
Sept. 21, 1946

Speaker, Robert Bryan
Sept. 22, 1946

Tanner, John Lee
Sept. 23, 1947

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Jones, Wendel
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Jones, Wendell
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Bishop, Charles O.
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RESEARCH DESIGN

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Sept. 28, 1947

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Payne, James D.
Sept. 29, 1946

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