The Joseph Smith, Sr. and Lucy Mack Smith Family Reunion

Kirtland, OH August 7-10, 1997

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Reunion Tour















Walt Kolditz















Community of Christ Temple













Walt Kolditz, Buddy Youngreen, Bill & Mary Call

















Far West Temple Site









View from Far West Temple site of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints



Tour group at Adam Ondi-Ahman







Community of Christ Temple

Carita Conklin



Old Stone Church on the right and the Church of Christ, Temple Lot on the right $\label{eq:charge} \mbox{Lot on the right}$



Tour group inside the Church of Christ, Temple Lot



Eldred G. & Hortense Smith by the F.M. Smith Study

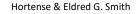


William A. Sheldon addressing the tour group



William A. Sheldon, Apostle, Church of Christ – Temple Lot





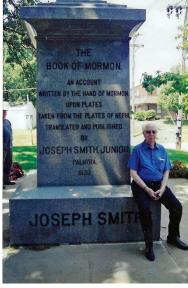




Buddy Youngreen with Hortense & Eldred G. Smith

Three Witnesses Monument, Richmond, Missouri







Buddy Youngreen

Eldred G. Smith

Kim and Barrett Gunnell



Buddy Youngreen



Geri Perkins, Karen Woodruff, and Norma Broadhead



Sybil J. Dana



Kansas City Missouri Temple of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints



































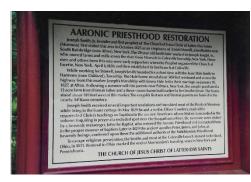








Group at the Aaronic Priesthood Restoration Site

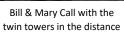














Wendell & Burla Chappell in New York



Bill & Mary Call in New York































Burla & Wendell Chappell in Tunbridge, Vermont







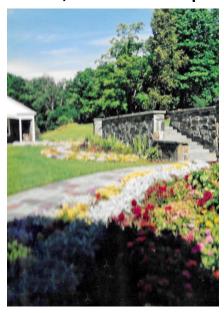








Sharon, Vermont – Joseph Smith Birthplace Memorial

















Hortense & Eldred G. Smith at Joseph Smith's Birthplace Memorial



The group listening to presentation at the Visitor's Center at Joseph Smith's Birthplace Memorial



Carita Conklin at Joseph Smith's Birthplace Memorial





Buddy Youngreen on the grounds at Peter Whitmer's farm in Fayette, New York



Hill Cumorah Visitor's Center – Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints



Bus group touring A chapel and visitors' center at Peter Whitmer's farm in Fayette, New York



Inside the visitors' center at Peter Whitmer's farm in Fayette,

New York



Tour at Peter Whitmer's farm in Fayette, New York



Scott Fullmer at visitors' center at Peter Whitmer's farm in Fayette, New York



Hortense & Eldred G. Smith on the grounds at Peter Whitmer's farm in Fayette, New York



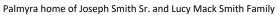
Burla & Wendell Chappell at Peter Whitmer Farm



Eldred G. Smith

Joseph Smith Sr. and Lucy Mack Smith Family Home and Sacred Grove







Sacred Grove



Senator Orrin Hatch met Buddy Youngreen in the Sacred Grove



Kim Novas Gunnell, Hatch daughter, Elaine & Orrin Hatch, and not identified



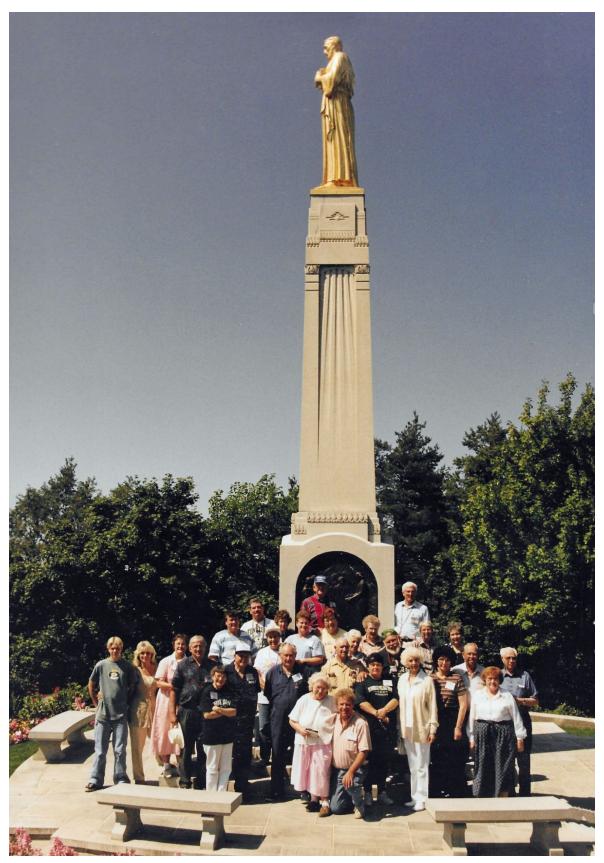
Joseph Smith Sr. Family Home in Palmyra
Standing in back: Elaine Hatch talking to Carita Conklin, with
Bill Call behind, not identified, Senator Orrin Hatch speaking
with Virginia Webster.
Standing in Front: Karen Woodruff



Eldred G. & Hortense Smith with Elaine & Senator Orrin Hatch



Sacred Grove



The Joseph Smith Sr. and Lucy Mack Smith Family Group at Hill Cumorah – 1997

Niagara Falls

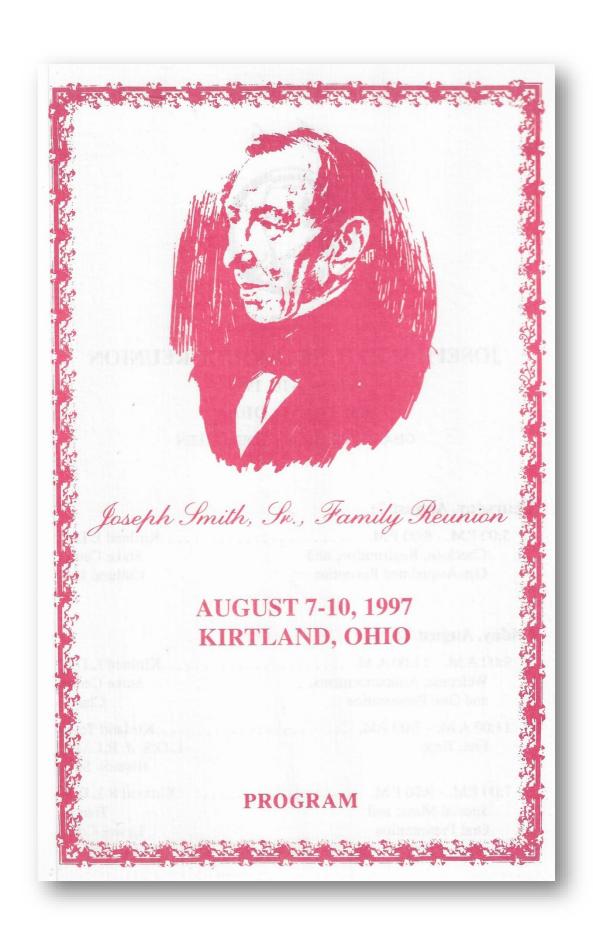
















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JOSEPH SMITH, SR., FAMILY REUNION

August 7-10, 1997 KIRTLAND, OHIO

CHAIRMAN: BUDDY YOUNGREEN

Thursday, August 7:

Friday, August 8:

9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

Welcome, Announcements,
and Oral Presentation

Stake Center
Chapel

11:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.

Free Time

L.D.S. & R.L.D.S.
Historic Sites

7:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.

Special Music and
Oral Presentation

Kirtland Tours
L.D.S. & R.L.D.S.
Historic Sites

Temple
Coral Presentation

Lower Court

Saturday, August 9:

9:00 A.M 11:00 A.M	Hiram L.D.S.
Dramatic Presentation	Ward Meetinghouse
	Chapel
11:00 A.M 7:30 P.M	
Free Time	Mantua & Middlefield
	Historic Sites
7:30 P.M 9:00 P.M	
Banquet and Musical	Amish Kitchen
Presentation	Middlefield

Sunday, August 10:

9:45 A.M 10:00 A.M	Kirtland R.L.D.S.
Family Portrait	Temple
	Front Steps
10:00 A.M 11:30 A.M.	Kirtland R.L.D.S.
Special Music and	Temple
Oral Presentations	Lower Court
11:30 A.M 12:00 Noon	Kirtland Cemetery
Wreath Placing	Smith Family Plot
Ceremony	North of Temple

Reunion Participants

Joseph F. Patrick	Dee Jay Bawden		
Ethel Patrick	Hyrum L. Andrus		
Craig R. Frogley	Kim Novas Gunnell		
Karl R. Anderson	Karlin S. Myers		

Hortense Child Smith H. G. "Bud" Fredrick, Jr. Frances P. Orton Steven J. Orton

Special Thanks

The Smith Family expresses its sincere appreciation to the R.L.D.S. and L.D.S. Churches for providing facilities and services for this reunion.

Special Announcement

Make plans now to attend the 15th biennial reunion of the Smith Family, August 5-8, 1999, at historic Nauvoo, Illinois.

O God, let the residue of my father's house ... ever come up in remembrance before thee and stand virtuous and pure in thy presence, that thou mayest save them from the hand of the oppressor, and establish their feet upon the rock of ages, that they may have place in thy house and be saved in thy kingdom, even where God, and Christ is, and let all these things be as I have said, for Christ's sake, Amen.

... Jaseph Ohmith

Friday, August 8th – Family Presentations









Dee Jay Bawden at the pulpit during the Joseph Smith Sr. Family Reunion in Kirtland, Ohio

Kirtland Sites

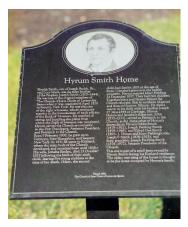
Hyrum Smith Home







Ruth Derk and daughter, Pat





Another view of the Hyrum Smith Home in Kirtland, Ohio

Newell K. Whitney Store







Saturday Morning, August 9th – Dramatic Presentation



















Cecel Neff, Performer, Estel Neff

Saturday Afternoon, August 9th – Hiram, Ohio – John Johnson Farm and Home







Ruth Derk and daughter, Pat







Hyrum L. Andrus, Scott Fullmer, and Buddy Youngreen



John Johnson Farm



Joseph F. Patrick with Lindsey Orton and Anson Patrick



Kris and Austin Patrick



Steve & Frances Orton

Mary Yoder's Amish Kitchen – Banquet







In yellow: Donna Blamires and in the middle table behind facing camera is Eleanor & George Richards















Carolyn Glade

Carole King, Charity Williams









Eldred G. Smith, Gracia Jones, and Hortense C. Smith



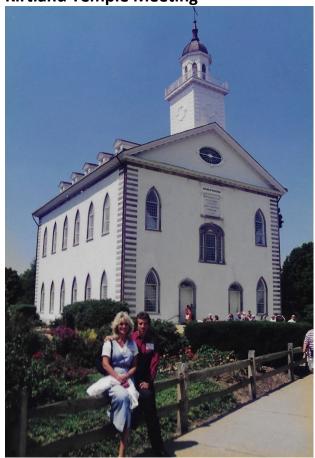
On lower left hand side of picture: Kris Patrick, Austin Patrick and across table Rob Orton, Sven Patrick, Shaeleigh Patrick, and Dan Patrick with Anson in the high chair

Sunday, August 10th – Kirtland Temple



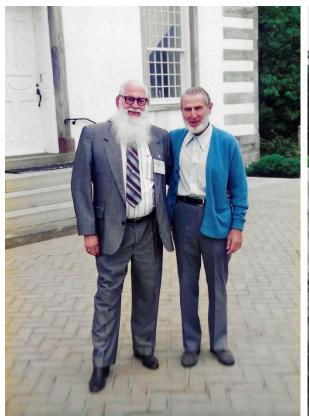
Joseph Smith Sr. and Lucy Mack Smith Family Reunion Group Photo at the Kirtland Temple - 1997

Kirtland Temple Meeting



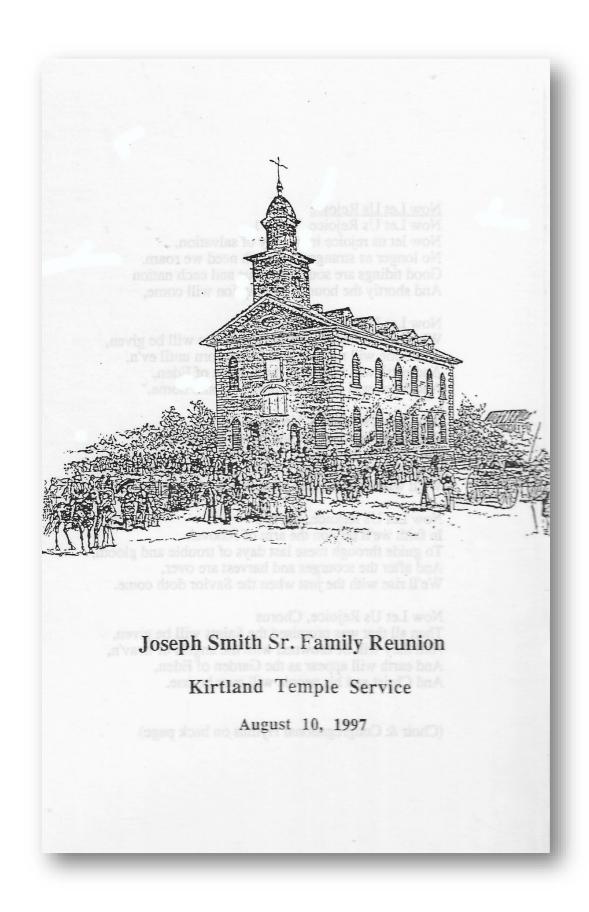








Estel Neff and Kenny Duke



PROGRAM

Instrumental Prelude Camilla Cameron &

Sheri McMurtrey

Welcome Buddy Youngreen

Congregational Hymn "Now Let Us Rejoice"

Invocation Gracia N. Jones

Remarks: Hortense Child Smith

Choir & Congregation Number "Praise to the Lord"

Remarks: H.G. (Bud) Frederick Jr.

Reading: Temple Dedication

Prayer

Buddy Youngreen

Choir & Congregation Number "The Spirit of God Like a

Fire is Burning"

Benediction Eldred G. Smith

Instrumental Postlude Camilla Cameron &

Sheri McMurtrey

Director & Music Arrangements - Dr. Lewis Phelps
Trumpets - Andrew Loess & James Fonte - Horn - Sarah Marrone
Chorister - Jennifer Marrone
Accompanist - Margaret Denton

A wreath will be placed in the cemetery on the graves of Mary Duty Smith and Jerusha Smith immediately following the Temple service



Family Wreath





Steve & Frances Orton and daughter, Lindsey shared a message about Mary Duty Smith











Mormon Trail Center









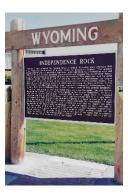
Independence Rock







Virginia Webster pointing at an ancestor's name



Dennis Perkins found the name of an ancestor







Back row: Two not identified, Barrett Gunnell, Karen Woodruff, Renee Park, Dennis Perkins, Norma Broadhead, Geri Perkins, not identified, Mary & Bill Call, Ken Broadhead, Marilyn Bryce, Arvid & Virginia Webster, Edna Haws, Velma Nicholls, Norman Bryce, Alan & Pat Grey, Nola & Mel Parry.

Sitting in front: Burla & Wendall Chappell, Kim Gunnell, and Scott Fullmer.



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Smith Family Travel Group – Independence Rock

First Name	Last Name		
Harry	Bishop	Barrett	Gunnell
Marjorie	Bishop	Kim	Gunnell
Ken	Broadhead	Edna R.	Haws
Norma	Broadhead	Velma R.	Nicholls
Marilyn	Bryce	Renee	Park
Norman	Bryce	Mel	Parry
Bill	Call	Nola	Parry
Mary	Call	Dennis	Perkins
Burla	Chappell	Geri	Perkins
Wendell	Chappell	Eldred G	Smith
Carita	Conklin	Hortense	Smith
Sybil J.	Dana	Arvid	Webster
Scott	Fullmer	Virginia	Webster
Alan	Grey	Karen	Woodruff
Pat	Grey	Buddy	Youngreen