Duty of Church of Christ to take Gospel to Israel By Apostle Brian E. McIndoo

A) Prophecy tells us there will be (has been) Scattered

- 1) Jer 13:17-19 ... the Lord's flock is carried away captive...Judah shall be carried away captive all of it, it shall be wholly carried away captive.
- **2) Ezek 6:8-10** ... when ye shall be scattered through the countries...among the nations whither they shall be carried captives.
- **3) Ezek 36:17-22** *I* scattered them among the heathen, and they were dispersed through the countries:
- 4) Jacob 3:58-68
 - (v 63) "poorest spot in all the lan" God planting Israel in other parts of the world The Assyrian came in and carried them away
 - (v 65) "spot poor than the first" The Northern Kingdoms
 - (v. 67) "another branch" Son of King Zedekiah planted in America (Mulekites see Hel 3:56,57; Hel 2:129)
 - (v. 68) "Good spot" Lehi lead out of Jerusalem and to America

B) PROPHECY TELLS US THERE WILL BE A RE-GATHERING OF ISRAEL

- 1) Isa 11:10-16 "...Lord shall set his hand again the second time...shall assemble the outcasts of Israel..."
- 2) Isa 49:9-23 "...shall bring thy sons in their arms, and thy daughters shall be carried upon their shoulders..."
- **3) Jer 31:10-14** "...He that scattered Israel will gather him, and keep him, as a shepherd doth his flock."
- 4) 1 Ne 3:16-19 "...they should be gathered together again..."
- 5) 2 Ne 7:13-15 "...they shall be gathered in from their long dispersion..."
- **6) 3 Ne 10:5-8** "...the work shall commence among all the dispersed of my people..."
- 7) Eze 36:24 "gather you out of all countries"
- 8) Eze 36:25-28
 - "new heart (1 Ne 7:22-25 "...shall know that the Lord is their Savior..." 2Ne. 11:24-30 until they shall be persuaded to believe in Chris...which is infinite for all mankind; ... they shall believe in Christ, and worship the Father in his name, with pure hearts, and clean hands, and look not forward anymore for another Messiah...) 2 Ne 7:4 "...our children shall be restored...the true knowledge of their Redeemer."
 - new spirit walk in my statutes (1 Nephi 3:205, Mormon 2:39-42 "...unto the unbelieving of the Jews...for this intent...they may be persuaded that Jesus is the Christ...")

C) JERUSALEM WILL BE RESTORED AGAIN

- 1) Isa 24:23 "...the Lord of hosts shall reign in mount Zion, and in Jerusalem..."
- 2) Isa 65:18-19 "...I will rejoice in Jerusalem..."
- 3) Jer 3:14-17 "...they shall call Jerusalem the throne of the Lord..."

- 4) Joel 3:14-17 "...then shall Jerusalem be holy..."
- 5) Zac 2:10-12 "...shall choose Jerusalem again."
- 6) Zac 8:20-23 "... seek the Lord of hosts in Jerusalem..."
- 7) Luke 21:20-24 "...and Jerusalem shall be trodden down of the Gentiles, <u>until the</u> times of the Gentiles be fulfilled."
- 8) 3 Ne 9:85 "...and then shall Jerusalem be inhabited again with my people..."
- 9) Ether 6:11 "...cometh the Jerusalem of old..."

D) AMERICA IS THE LAND OF THE INHERITANCE OF THE HOUSE OF JOSEPH:

- 1) Gen 49:22-26 "...unto the utmost bound of the everlasting hills..."
- 2) Deut 33:13 "of Joseph...Blessed of the Lord be his land..."
- 3) 2 Ne 7:17 "...this land, saith God, shall be a land of thine inheritance..."
- 4) 3 Ne 7:14 "...this is the land of your inheritance..."
- 5) 3 Ne 9:50; 58-59 "...this people will I establish in this land..."

E) GENTILES HAVE THE CARE OF ISRAEL:

- 1) -Mormon 2:37-43 also to the Gentiles, who have care for the house of Israel,...
- 2) 2 Ne 7:12-29 And it shall come to pass that they shall be gathered in from their long dispersion from the isles of the sea, and from the four parts of the earth;...

F) OUR DUTY TO ASSIST IN RECOVERY OF ISRAEL:

- 1) 2 Ne 12:80 ... they shall carry them forth unto the remnant of our seed.
- 2) 3 Ne 10:1 ... 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... at that day even when this gospel shall be preached among the remnant of this people.. 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,
- 3) BC 41:10 "Thou shalt preach the fullness of my gospel which I have sent forth in these last days; the covenant which I have sent forth to recover my people, which are of the house of Israel.
- 4) BC 48:21-25 "...they shall be gathered again..."
- 5) Jacob 3:136-138-153 (Lord- God, Servant Jesus other servants few Ministry)

G) USED BY GOD IN A SIGN FOR LIBERATION OF JERUSALEM:

1) 3 Ne 9:85-95 "...give unto you for a sign,...thy seed shall begin to know these things, it shall be a sign unto them, 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."