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“We discover something about ourselves when we learn about our ancestors.”

President Thomas S. Monson
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

“Constant Truths for Changing Times,”
Ensign or Liahona, May 2005, 21
Get Started

Prepare yourself spiritually. Then follow these simple steps to feel the Spirit and have your family receive the blessings of temple ordinances.

**Talk**
with your family, and fill in this booklet about your ancestors and their families.

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information you’ve collected into FamilySearch.org. If you need help, ask a family member or ward member for assistance.

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My Story
About Me

NAME

What do I want people to learn about me?

My hobbies, interests, and favorite traditions:

Birth Date

Place

Me
My Parents

My Family
NAME

Stories and memories about him:


Birth Date ____________________________
Place ____________________________
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## Mother

**NAME**

Stories and memories about her:

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**NAME**

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Marriage Place

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YES
**Grandparents’ Children**

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Mother’s Side
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Marriage Date____________________________
NAME

Stories and memories about her:

Birth Date
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YES

Temple Work Complete

YES

Place Photograph Here
Grandparents’ Children

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My Great-Grandparents

Father’s Father’s Side
Great-Grandfather

NAME ________________________________________

Stories and memories about him:

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Father’s Mother’s Side
Great-Grandfather

NAME

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Great-Grandmother

NAME

Stories and memories about her:


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Great-Grandparents’ Children

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Mother’s Father’s Side
Great-Grandfather

NAME

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Great-Grandmother

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Mother’s Mother’s Side
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