

# The Prepared Family



"Prepare Every Needful Thing"

JANUARY 2002

Scripture or Quote of the month:

## IMPORTANT NOTICE!

The maker of all human beings is recalling all units manufactured, regardless of make or year, due to serious defect in the primary and central component of the heart. This is due to a malfunction in the original prototype units code named Adam and Eve, resulting in the reproduction of the same defect in all subsequent units. This defect has been technically termed, "subsequential Internal Non-Morality", or more commonly known as SIN, as it is primarily symptomized by loss of moral judgement.

Some other symptoms:

1. Loss of direction
2. Amnesia of origin
3. Lack of peace and joy
4. Selfish, or violent behavior
5. Depression or confusion in the mental component
6. Fearful
7. Idolatry
8. Incorrect use of maternal components

The manufacturer, who is neither liable or at fault for this defect, is providing factory authorized repair and service, free of charge to correct this defect. The number to call for the recall station in your area is: P-R-A-Y-E-R. Once connected, please upload your burden of sin by pressing R-E-P-E-N-T-A-N-C-E. Next, download J-E-S-U-S C-H-R-I-S-T into the heart. No matter how big or small the defect is, our Lord will replace the defect with:

1. Love
2. Joy
3. Peace
4. Longsuffering
5. Gentleness
6. Goodness
7. Faith
8. Meekness
9. Willingness to do the right, also known as CTR

Please see the operating manual. The Scriptures, for further details on the use of these fixes **WARNING:** Continuing to operate the human unit without correction voids the manufacturer's warranty, exposing owner to dangers and problems too numerous to list and will result in the human unit being permanently impounded.

Authorized by: The Creator

## ***Happy New Year!***

Wow! It is hard to believe that we have just ended 2001 and 2002 is already here. What a great time to be around. We have so many wonders in the world to enjoy and yet such great sadness has taken hold of all of us. We have lived through another year of wind and hailstorms, rolling blackouts and drought. Earthquakes that rattled the earth and brought down hillsides and tested the human spirit. Fires that seemed to burn all the forests, and terrorist that forged our great nation into a war that will end sometime when our government sees fit to call it over.

Our great nation has been tried and tested, is it over – probably not, we are not that repented yet. Our beloved prophet Gordon B. Hinckley stated in 1998 “that there was a portent of stormy weather” coming. That could have been economic or emotional, but it was coming. This year he stated that Joel 2:28-32 has been fulfilled. President Hinckley also has given all who would listen great council on how to get through the tough times and return to our Father in Heaven. Each of us needs to let pride and selfishness leave our lives. Banishing just these two sins will help us go a long way towards allowing our beloved Savior to heal our sagging spirits. Stay close to our prophet and ask for divine help

during peaceful or stressful times will bring us closer to Him. May each of us take this very important notice into our hearts and live these principals that will lead us back to heaven.

*Gayle-Marie*

## Bug Out Bag-BOB



- ☉ Watch those sales you may find propane tanks on sale
- ☉ blankets, and other warm bedding is always a needed
- ☉ extra thermal underwear is always going to be needed
- ☉ hard candy

## Stock up by the week

- \* tuna fish
- \* soup (dry and pre-canned)
- \* noodles (non-egg they last longer)
- \* powdered milk

## Gardens/Gardening Tips



Will return in February. So enjoy the Holidays and the early winter months, before to long we will need to get the beans and peas in the ground.

Take a look at those seed catalogs, you need to get planning soon for the best flower and garden products. You can look for catalogs at the following online address.

<http://www.mailordergardening.com/catalogs.htm>

## Recipes

See ya in February.

## Herbs and Spices

Plan now for that wonderful herb garden.

## Financial Preparedness



And again, verily I say unto you, concerning your debts — behold it is my will that you shall pay all your debts. — Doctrine and Covenants 104:78

"The world affects us... especially in economic ways," said Elder Mark E. Petersen of the Quorum of the Twelve, speaking in April 1981 general conference. "These include strong persuasions to overspend our financial resources, to buy beyond our means, to overextend our credit and thus sink deeply into debt. Oh, the inducements of sales pressures, of persuasive

advertising, of easy credit, and the unwise use of credit cards!"

## A Thought

"Peace does not come to the transgressor of law; peace comes by obedience to law, and it is that message which Jesus would have us portray among men. Peace is to the individual that he may be at peace with his God, perfect harmony existing between himself and law, the righteous laws to which he is subject and from which he can never escape." (David O. McKay, remarks at the Christmas program in the Church Office Building, December 22, 1961; quoted by Joseph Anderson, "Strength of the Spirit," General Conference, April 1974; see *Ensign*, May 1974, p. 10)

## Get Physical



Shovel that snow and build a snowman, make snow angels and have a snowball fight. Learn to ice skate and have fun year round.

(Warning: when shoveling snow take it easy and slow; no use having a heart attack this winter. If using a snow blower please be careful. **Always** remember to turn off the blower and make sure no moving parts are turning, you really don't want to loose a finger or two.)

## Where to get supplies:

Costco/Sam's	URM/Cash & Carry
Storehouse/Cannery	Bulk Food Sellers
Camping Supply Stores	Food Co-Ops
Nurseries/Seed Suppliers	Emergency Supply Houses
Internet Suppliers of your choice	
Local Farmers/Farmers Markets	

