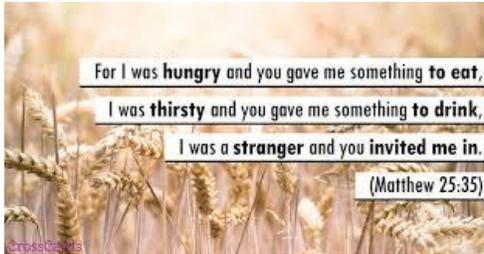




41, “Then shall the king say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was an hungered, and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took me in; naked, and ye clothed me; I was sick, and ye visited me; I was in prison, and ye came unto me. Then shall the righteous answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee an hungered, and fed thee; or thirsty, and gave thee drink? When saw we thee a stranger, and took thee in; or naked, and clothed thee? Or when saw we thee sick, or in prison, and came unto thee? And the king



shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.”

Let us remember to lift each other up in prayer and fasting; and be a friend of which to help bear burdens; a light to shine brightly the goodness and grace of our precious redeemer Jesus Christ. I bless you and may peace flow from you.

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## Beauty in our scars

By Kristin Barrett

The Japanese art of repairing broken vessels is called Kintsugi, (kint-soo-gee). Which simply means “golden repair”.

The origin of this art dates back to the 15<sup>th</sup> century when artisans were looking for an aesthetic way to mend broken vessels. When a vessel broke the artisan used gold dust and resin to reattach the broken pieces. This art form brought to light the strength and beauty that is found in imperfections. As the vessels were put back together the shining spots were the golden “scars”. The vessel's beauty was enhanced by these golden “scars”. The same can be said for our imperfections, or scars.

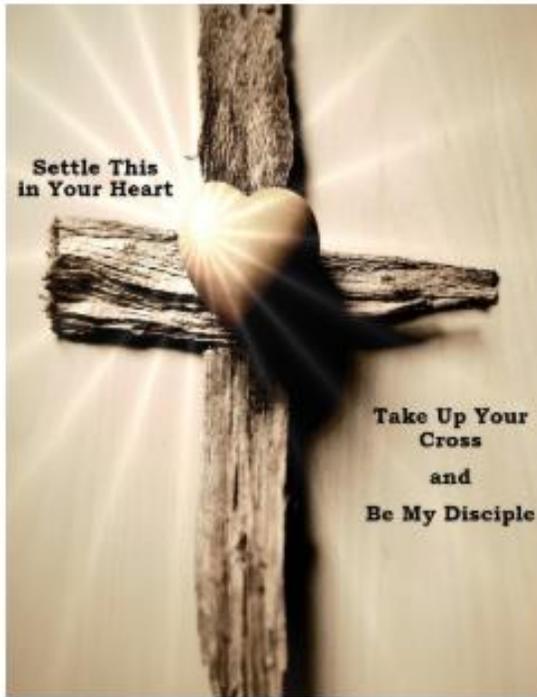
In order for gold to be pure enough to be used it must go through a refining process. In this process the impurities are removed. In order for the impurities to be visible the gold must be heated. As it is heated the impurities rise to the top where the refiner can remove them. The refiner knows that the gold is pure when he can see his reflection in it. Jesus thanked God in 3 Nephi 9 for purifying his people, “Father, I thank thee that thou hast purified these whom I have chosen”.

The same can be said about our lives. As we go through trials and our vessels begin to break we are walking through the refiners fire. I Nephi 6:17 “For, behold, I have refined thee; I have chosen thee in the furnace of affliction.” As our impurities are removed the Lord is putting those pieces back together with gold. This does place a shining light on our scars, but those scars should be viewed as beautiful. When a vessel is mended with gold the new vessel is even more beautiful than the original. How wonderful is it that our golden scars make each of us more beautiful? Zec 9:17 “For how great is his goodness, and how great is his beauty!”



The song, Blessings, by Laura Story states: ...what if Your blessings come through raindrops, what if Your healings come through tears, What if a thousand sleepless nights are what it takes to know You're near, What if trials of this life are Your mercies in disguise....When darkness seems to win we know the pain reminds this heart that this is not our home.

To me this means that the Lord is the refiner and is working on getting the impurities out of my life so He can see his reflection in my golden scars.



## 2020 Virtual Restoration Branch Family Reunion & Conference of Restoration Elders June 21-26, 2020

### Changes to Schedule and Format

After prayer and deliberations, it was decided that this year's in-town *Restoration Branch Family Reunion and Conference of Restoration Elders* will not be held in-town, but rather will be conducted virtually, using Zoom along with live streaming options. The dates and focus of the Reunion/Conference will remain the same.

Below are the links to register and for more information about the reunion and conference

Link to register for virtual reunion/conference:  
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2020VirtualReunion-CRE>

[Reunion & Conference Detail Information Page](#)

[Printable Reunion and Conference Schedule](#)

Restoration Branch Family Reunion and Elders Conference Schedule June 21-26, 2020 "Settle This in Your Hearts: Take Up Your Cross and Be My Disciple" (Luke 14:27-28)							
Daily Themes	Do the things which I shall teach, and command you	Daily Themes	Take up your cross daily and follow me	Follow me, and feed my sheep	Fear not to share your testimony at a moment's notice	Humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you	Come unto Christ and be perfected in Him
Time	Sunday	Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		8:00 am	Prayer Service	Prayer Service	Prayer Service	Prayer Service	Prayer Service
		9:15	Solemn Assembly Discussion	Classes	Classes	Classes	Classes
8:00 am	Prayer Service	10:30	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
9:30	Worship Service	10:45	Solemn Assembly Discussion	Classes	Classes	Classes	Classes
Break			Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
		1:00 – 3:00	Elders Conference Meeting	Elders Conference Meeting	Elders Conference Meeting	Elders Conference Meeting	Elders Conference Meeting
4:00	A Call to a Solemn Assembly	3:00 – 4:30	Women's Council Sponsored Class	Women's Council Sponsored Class	Women's Council Sponsored Class	Women's Council Sponsored Class	Women's Council Sponsored Class
		6:30	Sharing	Sharing	Sharing	Sharing	Sharing
6:45	Song Service	6:45	Song Service	Song Service	Special Prayer Service	Song Service	Song Service
7:00	Evening Worship	7:00	Evening Worship	Evening Worship		Evening Worship	Evening Worship

**All Saints Restoration  
Worship & Study Group  
Online Services**

**SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES**

Services start at 9:30 AM CST

Link to Services: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84821941970?pwd=eUVFNTJBZTVyMGtKdklNK3QrWHMvQT09>

Meeting ID: 848 2194 1970 Password: 721721

**WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER SERVICES**

Services start at 7:00 PM CST

Link to Services: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83753705757?pwd=Y2hJdzZkeG82Q1NxTi9lMk9hdlhmdz09>

Meeting ID: 837 5370 5757 Password: 935872

For dial-in information, please click the printable worship service link below.  
([Worship Service Links](#))

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## Rejoice Ye Saints of Latter Days!

(Reprinted from Stories of Our Hymns by Carylyle F. Kueffer, Editor)

This hymn, "Rejoice, Ye Saints," sounds a glad note to all true Latter Day Saints, and its reminders put them in accord to praise the Everlasting King. At the word of the Lord, light has replaced the darkness of centuries; likewise grievous errors, misrepresenting God, have been cleared away. The gifts of the Holy Spirit enjoyed in days of old have been bestowed in these the Latter Days, while the promise has been realized that it would "Bring to mind things that are past, and things to come unfold." Rejoicing in this restoration there follows the earnest prayer that this blessed Spirit may be with us in our gathering together and that we may be worthy to receive its guidance here, preparing us for blessedness hereafter.

## Rejoice Ye Saints of Latter Days! 252

Old Edition Old Tune

1. Re - joice, ye Saints of Lat - ter Days, Lift up your heads and sing!  
2. The Ho - ly Spir - it is sent down, As in the days of old,

With one ac - cord u - nite to praise Your Ev - er - last - ing King.  
To bring to mind things that are past, And things to come un - fold.

2. No more in dark - ness need you walk, Nor tread in er - ror's night,  
4. Oh, may it rest up - on us now While we're as - sem - bled here,  
5. Oh, may it ev - er guide our feet In ways of right - eous - ness.

Repeat for last stanza only

For the Most High a - gain has called The dark - ness in - to light.  
Bring con - so - la - tion to our souls, Our droop - ing spir - its cheer.  
That we may be ac - count - ed meet To dwell in bless - ed - ness.

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## EIGHT Promises of God to count on in CRISIS

### ONE He is working all for our good.

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose. **ROMANS 8:28**

### TWO He will complete his work.

Being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. **PHILLIPIANS 1:6**

### THREE He carries us.

Praise be to the Lord, to God our Savior, who daily bears our burdens. **PSALM 68:19**

### FOUR He strengthens us.

But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. **ISAIAH 40:31**

### FIVE His grace is sufficient for us.

So then, death is at work in us, but life is at work in you. **2 CORINTHIANS 4:12**

### SIX His goodness is satisfying.

"I will satisfy the priests with abundance, and my people will be filled with my bounty," declares the Lord. **JEREMIAH 31:14**

### SEVEN He will not allow you to be tempted beyond your ability.

No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it. **1 CORINTHIANS 10:13**

### EIGHT He gives us rest.

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light. **MATTHEW 11:28-30**

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