

JOSEPH F. SMITH FAMILY ASSOCIATION
2001

Dear Family,

Come celebrate the birthday of our Grandpapa Joseph F. Smith on **NOVEMBER 5, 2001**, at the **Monument Park Stake Center**, 1320 South Wasatch Blvd. (1300 South and 2400 East). Registration begins at 6:30 and the program will begin at 7:00.

PROGRAM: We are gathering this year on the **first Monday in November** because we have a special opportunity to hear from Richard Dutcher. He is the President of Zion Films. He is the writer, director, and producer of *God's Army* and *Brigham City*, as well as two other films. Currently, he is working on a movie about the life of Joseph Smith. We are certain that this will be a wonderful evening as we hear from him.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM: Children ages 3-7 are invited to the Primary Room for a special program under the direction of Sheldon Smith and his son Carter. They are the newest members of the Board. Thank you Sheldon and Carter!

REFRESHMENTS: Bring your favorite finger food. **WE APPRECIATE NUTRITIOUS HOMEMADE ITEMS.** Please bring your food on trays ready to serve. Occasionally we run out of food, so we encourage everyone to bring something. **IF YOUR CHILDREN LIKE TO EAT ON THE STAGE BEHIND THE CURTAIN, PLEASE HELP TO CLEAN UP THEIR PLATES.**

DUES: Please make checks payable to "The Joseph F. Smith Family Association" and return in the enclosed envelope. These funds make our mailings, family research, and reunion items possible. We thank you in advance for your help.

WEBSITE: **www.josephsmith.org** Thanks to Jared Glade and Mary Donoho for all their work in updating our website information. Please contact Mary (801-546-4707) for any address changes that may occur in your family.

GENEALOGICAL UPDATE: Many of you have been wondering where the elusive updated book on the descendants of Joseph F. Smith is and when you can get a copy. For those of you who use a computer we have good news! Come to the November reunion and get yours on a computer disk (CD). The cost: \$2. Or you can go to the www.josephsmith.org web site and download the same information for free. You'll find it there in a PAF GEDCOM 5.1 format. Using this approach, you can easily see family information on your computer screen, or you can print it on paper if you want.

You may also be interested in the latest version of the Church genealogical software, Personal Ancestral File (PAF version 5.1). It is now available for download on the Church web site, www.familysearch.org. There is no cost for this.

We are aware that the descendant information mentioned above is not totally complete and correct. For that reason, we ask that you check the information for errors. Please send updates and corrections to: Mary M. Donoho, 1090 Raymond Road, Fruit Heights, Utah 84037-2250 or to her email address: thomasj@qwest.net

With love,

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