

Chapter

And now I Nephi cannot write all the things which were taught among my People neither am I mighty in writing like unto speaking for when a man speaketh by the power of the Holy Ghost the power of the Holy Ghost carrieth it unto the hearts of the children of men

but behold there are many that harden their hearts against the holy spirit that it hath no place in them wherefore they cast many things away which are written & esteem them as things of nought

but I Nephi have written what I have written & I esteem it as of great worth & especia-ly unto my People for I pray ~~for them~~ continually (for them) by day & mine eyes water my pillow by night because of them & I cry unto my God in faith & I know that he will hear my cry

& I know that the Lord God will consecrate my prayers for the gain of my People & the things whi-ch I have written in weakness will he make strong unto them for it persuadeth them to do good it maketh known unto them of their Fathers & it speaketh of Jesus & persuadeth men to believe in him & to endure to *the end which is* life eternal

& it speaketh harsh against sin according to the *plainness of* the truth wherefore no man will be angry at the words *which I* have written save he shall be of the spirit of the Devil

I glory *in plainness* I glory in ~~th~~ truth I glory in my Jesus for he hath redeemed my *Soul from hell*

I have charity for my People & great faith in christ that *I shall meet many Souls* spotless at his Judgmentseat

I have *charity for the Jew* I say *Jew* because I mean them from whence I came

I also *have charity for the* Gentiles but behold for none of these I cannot hope except they shall be reconciled unto Christ & enter into the narrow gate & walk in the strait path which leads to life & continue in the path untill the end of the day of probation

CHAPTER 33 [X]

Nephi's words are true—They testify of Christ—Those who believe in Christ will believe Nephi's words, which will stand as a witness before the judgment bar. About 559–545 B.C.

¹And now I, Nephi, cannot write all the things which were taught among my **people**; neither am I mighty in writing, like unto speaking; for when a man speaketh by the power of the Holy Ghost the power of the Holy Ghost carrieth it unto the hearts of the children of men.

²But behold, there are many that harden their hearts against the **Holy Spirit**, that it hath no place in them; wherefore, they cast many things away which are written **and** esteem them as things of **naught**.

³But I, Nephi, have written what I have written, **and** I esteem it as of great worth, **and** especia[-]lly unto my **people**. For I pray **[X_X]** continually **for them** by day, **and** mine eyes water my pillow by night, because of them; **and** I cry unto my God in faith, **and** I know that he will hear my cry.

⁴**And** I know that the Lord God will consecrate my prayers for the gain of my **people**. **And** the **words** whi[-]ch I have written in weakness will **be** made strong unto them; for it persuadeth them to do good; it maketh known unto them of their **fathers**; **and** it speaketh of Jesus, **and** persuadeth **them** to believe in him, **and** to endure to **the end, which is** life eternal.

⁵**And** it speaketh harshly against sin, according to the **plainness of** the truth; wherefore, no man will be ang[]ry at the words **which I** have written save he shall be of the spirit of the **devil**.

⁶I glory **in plainness**; I glory in [_] truth; I glory in my Jesus, for he hath redeemed my **soul from hell**.

⁷**I have** charity for my **people**, **and** great faith in **Christ** that **I shall meet many souls** spotless at his **judgment-seat**.

⁸**I have** charity for the Jew—I say **Jew**, because I mean them from whence I came.

⁹I also **have** charity for the Gentiles. **But** behold, for none of these **[X]** can[_ _] **I** hope except they shall be reconciled unto Christ, **and** enter into the narrow gate, **and** walk in the strait path which leads to life, **and** continue in the path until[] the end of the day of probation.

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& now my beloved Brethren & also Jew & all ye ends of the earth hearken unto these words & believe in Christ & if ye believe not in these words believe in Christ & if ye shall believe in Christ ye will believe in € these words for they are the words of Christ & he hath given them unto me & they teach all men that 95 they should do good

& if they are not the words of Christ Judge ye for Christ will shew unto you with power & great glory that they are his words at the last day & you & I shall stand face to face before his bar & ye shall know that I have been commanded of him to write these things notwithstanding my weakness

& I pray the Father in the name of Christ that many of us if not all may be saved in his Kingdom at that great & last day

& now my be-loved Brethren all they which are of the house of Israel & all ye ends of the earth I speak unto you as the voice of one crying from the dust farewell untill that great day shall come

& you that will not partake of the goodness of God & respect the words of the Jews & also my words & the words which shall procede forth out of the mouth of the Lamb of God behold I bid you an everlasting farewell for these words shall condemn you at the last d-ay

for what I Seal on earth shall be brought against you at the Judgment bar for th-us hath the Lord commanded me & I must obey Amen.

¹⁰**And** now, my beloved **brethren, and** also Jew, **and** all ye ends of the earth, hearken unto these words **and** believe in Christ; **and** if ye believe not in these words believe in Christ. **And** if ye shall believe in Christ ye will believe in [] these words, for they are the words of Christ, **and** he hath given them unto me; **and** they teach all men that they should do good.

¹¹**And** if they are not the words of Christ, judge ye— for Christ will **show** unto you, with power **and** great glory, that they are his words, at the last day; **and** you **and** I shall stand face to face before his bar; **and** ye shall know that I have been commanded of him to write these things, notwithstanding my weakness.

¹²**And** I pray the Father in the name of Christ that many of us, if not all, may be saved in his **kingdom** at that great **and** last day.

¹³**And** now, my be[-]loved **brethren**, all **those who** are of the house of Israel, **and** all ye ends of the earth, I speak unto you as the voice of one crying from the dust: **F**arewell until [] that great day shall come.

¹⁴**And** you that will not partake of the goodness of God, **and** respect the words of the Jews, **and** also my words, **and** the words which shall **proceed** forth out of the mouth of the Lamb of God, behold, I bid you an everlasting farewell, for these words shall condemn you at the last d[-]ay.

¹⁵**F**or what I seal on earth, shall be brought against you at the **judgment** bar; for th[-]us hath the Lord commanded me, **and** I must obey. [] Amen.