

BOOK of MORMON COMPARATIVE
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Chapter XXX—

And it came to pass in the com(mencement of the thirty & sixth year of the Reign of the Judges over ~~(t)he~~ (the) People of Nephi that Shiblon took possession of those Sacred things which had been delivered unto Helaman by Alma

& he was a just man & he did wa()~~(l)k~~ uprightly before God & he did observe to do good continually to keep the commandments of the Lord his God & also did his Brother

& it came to pass that ~~he~~ Moroni died also & thus ended the thirty & sixth year of the Reign of the Judg(es)

& it came to pass that in the thirty~~th~~ & seventh year of the Reign of the Judges there was a large company of men even to the amounts of five thousand & four hu(ndred (men) wi--th their wives & their Children departed out of the land of Zarahemla into the land which was Northward

& it came to pass that Hagoth he being ~~an~~ exceedingly curious man therefore he went forth & built him an exceeding lar(ge la—rge Ship on the borders of the land Bountiful by the land Desolation & launch(ed) it forth into the west Sea by the narrow neck which lead into the land Nor()thward

& behold there were many of the Nephites which did enter therein & did sail forth with much provisions & also many women & children & they to(ok) their course Northward & thus ended the thirty & seventh year

& in the thir()ty & eighth year this man built other Ships & the first Ship did also return & many more People did enter into it & they also took much Provisions & set out again to the land Northward

& it came to pass that they were never heard of more & we suppose that they were drowned up in the debths of the Sea & it came to pass that one other Ship also did Sail forth & whither she did go we know not

CHAPTER 63 [X_ _ _] []

Shiblon and later Helaman take possession of the sacred records—Many Nephites travel to the land northward—Hagoth builds ships, which sail forth in the west sea—Moronihah defeats the Lamanites in battle. About 56–52 B.C.

¹And it came to pass in the commencement of the thirty **and** sixth year of the reign of the judges over **[X] the** people of Nephi, that Shiblon took possession of those sacred things which had been delivered unto Helaman by Alma.

²**And** he was a just man, **and** he did wa()~~lk~~ [_] uprightly before God; **and** he did observe to do good continually, to keep the commandments of the Lord his God; **and** also did his brother.

³**And** it came to pass that **[X]** Moroni died also. **And** thus ended the thirty **and** sixth [_] year of the reign of the judg(es).

⁴**And** it came to pass that in the thirty [_ _] **and** seventh year of the reign of the judges, there was a large company of men, even to the amount [_] of five thousand **and** four hu(ndred men, wi [-] [-] th their wives **and** their children, departed out of the land of Zarahemla into the land which was northward.

⁵**And** it came to pass that Hagoth, he being an [_] exceed [-] [-] ngly curious man, therefore he went forth **and** built him an exceedingly lar(ge [_ _] [-] [-] ship, on the borders of the land Bountiful, by the land Desolation, **and** launch(ed) it forth into the west sea, by the narrow neck which le [_] d into the land nor()thward.

⁶**And** behold, there were many of the Nephites **who** did enter therein **and** did sail forth with much provisions, **and** also many women **and** children; **and** they to(ok) their course northward. **And** thus ended the thirty **and** seventh year.

⁷**And** in the thir()ty **and** eighth year, this man built other ships. **And** the first ship did also return, **and** many more people did enter into it; **and** they also took much provisions, **and** set out again to the land northward.

⁸**And** it came to pass that they were never heard of more. **And** we suppose that they were drowned **[X]** in the depths of the sea. **And** it came to pass that one other ship also did sail forth; **and** whither she did go we know not.

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& it *came* to pass that in this year there were many People (which) went forth into the land Northward & thus ended the thirty & eighth year

& it *came* to pas in the *thirty & ninth* year of the Reign of the Judges Shiblon Died also & Cor(i)anton had *gone* forth to the land Northward in a ship to carry forth **330** Pro(v)visions unto those People which had gone forth into that land

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(*came expediant for Shiblon to confer* those sacred things before his death upon *the Son of Helaman who was* called Helaman being (called) after the name of his father

now beheld all those *engravings* which were in the possession of Helaman *were written & sent forth among* the children of men throughout all the land save it were those parts which had been commanded by Alma should not go fo-rth

nevertheless these thing(s) were to be kept *sacred* & handed down from one generation to another therefore in this year they had been *confered* upon Helaman before the death of Shiblon

& it came to pass also in this year that there were some dissensions which ha-d gone forth unto the Lamanites & they were *stired up* again to anger against the Neph-ites

& also in this same year they came down with a~~n~~ numerous army to war again-st the People of Moronihah or against the army of Moronihah inthe which they w-ere beatten & driven back again to their own lands suffering great ~~lo~~(loss)~~ss~~

& thus ended the thirty & ninth year of the Reign of the Judges over the people of Nephi

& thus ended the account of Alma & Helaman his Son & also Shiblon which was his (Son)S~~on~~

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⁹And it came to pass that in this year there were many people who went forth into the land northward. And thus ended the thirty and eighth year.

¹⁰And it came to pass in the thirty and nin[]th year of the reign of the judges, Shiblon died also, and Cor(i)anton had gone forth to the land northward in a ship, to carry forth pro(v)visions unto the people who had gone forth into that land.

¹¹Therefore it be[]

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(*came expedient for Shiblon to confer* those sacred things, before his death, upon the son of Helaman, who was called Helaman, being called after the name of his father.

¹²Now behold, all those engravings which were in the possession of Helaman were written and sent forth among the children of men throughout all the land, save it were those parts which had been commanded by Alma should not go fo[-]rth.

¹³Nevertheless, these things were to be kept sacred, and handed down from one generation to another; therefore, in this year, they had been conferred upon Helaman, before the death of Shiblon.

¹⁴And it came to pass also in this year that there were some dissenter[]s who ha[-]d gone forth unto the Lamanites; and they were stirred up again to anger against the Neph[-]ites.

¹⁵And also in this same year they came down with a[] numerous army to war again[-]st the people of[] Moronihah, or against the army of Moronihah, in[]the which they w[-]ere beat[]en and driven back again to their own lands, suffering great [_ _]loss[_].

¹⁶And thus ended the thirty and ninth year of the reign of the judges over the people of Nephi.

¹⁷And thus ended the account of Alma, and Helaman his son, and also Shiblon, who was his son[X].

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