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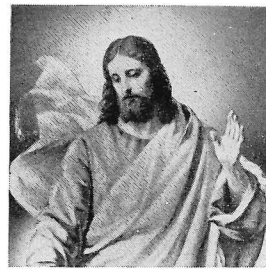


METHOD OF ORDAINING

A man must be called of God, by prophecy, and BY THE LAYING ON OF HANDS, by those who are in authority to preach the Gospel and administer in the ordinances thereof.

(5th Article of Faith)

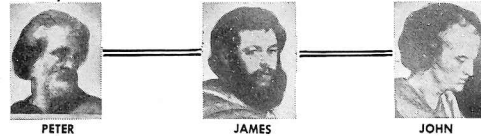
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JESUS CHRIST—SENT OF GOD

Holy Melchizedek Priesthood Restored
1829 By Peter, James, and John
Aaronic Priesthood Restored 15 May 1829
By John the Baptist

"And no man taketh this honour unto himself, but he that is called of God, as was Aaron."
(Hebrews 5:4)



PETER JAMES JOHN

Chosen and Ordained
By Jesus Christ
Who was sent of God
(John 15:16)



FREDERICK G. WILLIAMS Ord. (H. P.) 18 March 1833 By Joseph Smith and Oliver Cowdrey
SIDNEY RIGDON Ord. (H. P.) June 1831 By 18 Lyman Wight Who was ord. H. P. June 1831 by Joseph Smith
JOSEPH SMITH Ord. (A.) June 1829 By Peter, James & John Heavenly Messengers Doc. & Cov. Sec. 27:12
OLIVER COWDERY Ord. (H. P.) June 1829 By Peter, James & John Heavenly Messengers Doc. & Cov. Sec. 27:12
DAVID WHITMER Ord. (H. P.) 25 Oct. 1831 By Oliver Cowdrey
MARTIN HARRIS Ord. (H. P.) 3 June 1831 By 18 Lyman Wight Who was ord. H.P. June 1831 by Joseph Smith

THE FIRST PRESIDENCY

THE THREE WITNESSES TO THE BOOK OF MORMON

REFERENCES

(D. & C. 18:37; History of Church, Vol. 2, pp. 187-188; Times and Seasons, Vol. 6, p. 868; Roberts Comp. History of the Church Century 1, Vol. 1, Chap. XXX, especially footnotes 13 and 14, pp. 374-375)

The Three Witnesses to the Book of Mormon were called by divine revelation to choose and ordain the Twelve Apostles. They were set apart for this purpose under the hands of the First Presidency 14 February 1835.



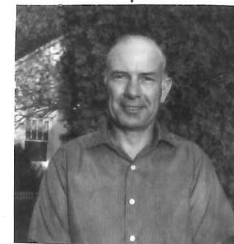
3 BRIGHAM YOUNG
Ord. (A.) 14 Feb. 1835
By The Three Witnesses



26 JOSEPH F. SMITH
Ord. (A.) 1 July 1866
By 3 Brigham Young



49 JOSEPH FIELDING SMITH
Ord. (A.) 7 Apr. 1910
By 26 Joseph F. Smith



Ordained a High Priest Dec 18, 1960
By JAMES N. DIXON
Where Brigham First Ward
Brigham City, Utah

Ordained a Seventy _____
By _____
Where _____



Ordained an Elder Oct. 5, 1958
By Owen D. Knudsen
Where Brigham Ninth Ward
Brigham City, Utah

Lineage Chart of

Lynn Thomas Richman

Born Dec. 13, 1928

Where Paradise, Cache, Utah