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Ride and Share

"Hey Mom, Dad!" April exclaimed as she walked into the house. "I have something to tell you guys!"

"Hi April!" Mom said as she paused the movie they were watching. "How was your day with Stacy?"

"Well, let me tell you what happened," April said as she squeezed herself between Mom and Dad. "So Stacy and I were hanging out at her house when we got really hungry for some ice cream. You know that place on the other side of town that gives you the biggest scoops ever? Well, we decided to take the bus to get there."

"You let her parents know you left?" Dad asked.

"Of course, Dad!" April assured. "Well, on the bus, I saw a woman reading a copy of The Book of Mormon! So we went and sat by her. I felt a prompting from the Holy Ghost to talk to her. I said, 'I noticed you're reading The Book of Mormon. Are you a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints like I am?' She told me she wasn't. She said, 'I found this book in one of the drawers at a hotel I was staying at. I had nothing to do, so I tried reading it. I've been reading it since then and it's all very interesting. But there's some parts that I don't understand.' So I asked her what she didn't understand. We ended up having a great discussion. I helped explain what some of the scriptures meant! Stacy seemed interested as well!"

"Oh how wonderful of you to help her!" Mom smiled. "Did you know there's a story in the Bible that sounds like what you did? Philip saw an Ethiopian man riding in a chariot who was struggling to understand the scriptures. He felt prompted to ride with him and explain the scriptures to him! And then you know what? They pulled over and Philip baptized the man in the water right by the road!"

"Well, the woman didn't get baptized off the bus," April laughed. "But I did give her a pass along card to help her find missionaries to teach her more about the gospel! She was so grateful! And then when Stacy and I ate our ice cream, Stacy asked me lots of questions about the church too!"

"April, we are really proud of you for acting on the prompting you received," Dad gave her a big hug. "You helped share the gospel to not only the woman on the bus, but also your friend. You're amazing."