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Title of Liberty

"Mom, Dad?" Auggie found them eating ice cream in the kitchen. "Why did Captain Moroni write the Title of Liberty? I think Mom would get angry if I tore my coat and wrote on it..."

"It's not about him tearing his coat, Auggie," Mom laughed. "It's about what he wrote on it. He wrote, 'In memory of our God, our religion, and freedom, and our peace, our wives, and our children.' When you have a memory, what does that mean?"

"That you're remembering?" Auggie guessed.

"Right!" Mom swallowed a spoonful of ice cream. "Captain Moroni put the Title of Liberty out for everyone to see. He wanted the people to remember the things they believed in. Times were tough during that time, and it was important for them to remember why they needed to stay righteous."

"What do you believe in?" Dad asked.

"Well," Auggie hadn't thought of that before. "I believe in forever families."

Dad turned to the desk behind him and pulled out a piece of paper. He wrote the word "family" down.

"What else? What should you remember?" Dad looked up at Auggie.

"Heavenly Father, the gospel, temples," Auggie listed.

"I like your ideas!" Mom encouraged as Dad wrote them down.

"Okay, Auggie," Dad handed his son the paper. "Write down a few more things for yourself. Then put this paper somewhere you can see it. It could be in your room, your bathroom, or even the fridge. Just like how Captian Moroni put out the Title of Liberty to help everyone remember, you can put this out to help you remember. And when you remember, you'll know why you're trying hard to remain righteous in a wicked world."

"Thanks, Dad!" Auggie grabbed the paper. "This is cool! My own Title of Liberty!"