

Light the Fire of Temple and Family History Work in Your Family

Turn your tents toward the temple.

Mosiah 2:6

Kindling:

- fill out your 4-generation family tree
- hang up pictures of the temple
- talk about temple covenants together
- pray for the Fort Bend temple daily

Fire starter:

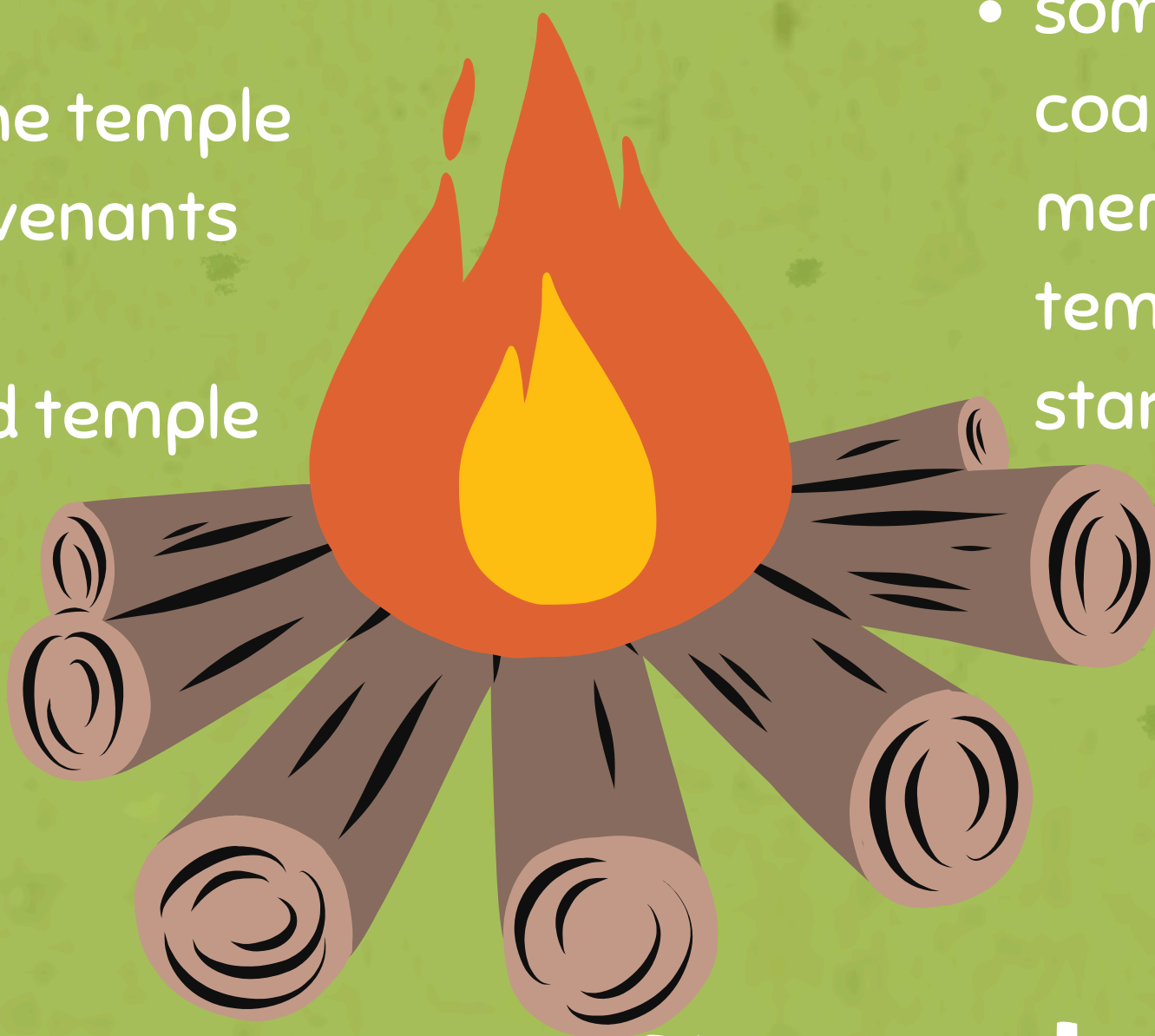
- you can be the spark in your family to start something new
- sometimes we borrow hot coals from grandparents, ward members, youth activities, and temple trips to get the fire started

Wood fuel:

- attend the temple as a family together
- make it fun: go out to eat, go to the park, get ice cream, take a picture together, visit friends or family

Keep the fire burning:

- regular temple attendance
- spend time doing family history activities
- counsel together and maintain a family temple plan



Our Covenant Path

Ordinances



Covenants

1. Baptism and confirmation

2. Melchizedek Priesthood

3. Temple endowment

4. Temple sealing

Sacrament each week



Covenants we make:

Baptism:

US

1. Follow Christ
2. Always remember Him
3. Keep the commandments

GOD

Holy Ghost will always be with us.

Melchizedek Priesthood:

US

Live worthy of God's priesthood power.

GOD

Blessings.



Covenants we make:

Temple endowment:

US

1. Live righteously
2. Sacrifice for the gospel

GOD

Power from God

Temple sealing:

US

Promise to be faithful to each other and God.

GOD

Husband and wife can return to God and live as families forever.



A Covenant People:

1. Help each other as we come closer to Christ
2. Strengthen God's church on earth



They inherit blessings and responsibilities of the Abrahamic Covenant



3 P's:

Priesthood
Property
Posterity

Russell M. Nelson:

"In coming days, it will not be possible to survive spiritually without the guiding, directing, comforting, and constant influence of the Holy Ghost."

Niel L. Andersen:

"As children of the covenant, we see our life through the perspective of our Heavenly Father's plan. We work to be obedient and increase our faith in Jesus Christ. We pray constantly. We know our weakness, but we have hope. We seek to let God prevail as we face our challenges, and we continually repent and never give up in our efforts to become more like the Savior."