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Subject: Re: Elder Phillip Larsen: May 16, 2011 - Teresina Brasil Week 10 - Mission

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To: john@larsen-family.us

Dear Phillip..Enjoyed your letter. You are having some trying times, to be sure, but your attitude is good, your faith is strong and you are trying hard, and you are having success. I am proud of you and you're efforts.

Several years ago, about 4, I think, I committed myself to reading the B of M everyday. Most of the time it is one chapter and I have missed very few days. When I finish it I start over the next day. I get deeper understanding each time and my testimony grows. I am also reading "To the Rescue", a biography on Pres Monson. It is very good. He is truly a prophet of God raised up from birth to fill this calling. Since I stopped getting the news paper I read the whole Ensign every month, which I didn't do before. I marvel that the ancient prophets wrote so much when it was so difficult and they were so busy fulfilling their callings. And I am thankful Heavenly Father preserved the scriptures for our benefit. I am also thankful I know how to read, write and think. We are blessed to live when the gospel is on the earth with its priesthood powers and authority.

Love you bunches. ........ Grandma Larsen

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