

**** Preface ****

In the following pages of this small pamphlet I shall try to give a conscience detailed report or story of the happenings of my life.

Anyone who is interested and has patience enough to follow through to the end of my story I wish to humbly and sincerely apologise in advance for all my mistakes, such as misspelled words, wrong punctuation and typographical errors, for with the exception of many years of experience my education has been very limited. This date is October 1960 and if I survive another month I shall reach my eightieth birthday, my brother Carl and my sister Idalia and myself are all that are still living of my Mother's children, Carl married Ella Call and they raised four girls who are all married and one son, I married Wilhelmina Lindberg and raised one son and one daughter Mona who is here with her husband William Albright and they have only one child, a daughter Norma our son was killed in an automobile accident, Kib married Addie Demick and raised four daughters, three of whom are still living, Emer married a girl from Rocksprings and they had one child that died in infancy, they were later divorced and he married a widow with three children and moved to Oregon where he died of a heart ailment, Parley married May Demick, a sister of Addie and they raised three boys and two girls, May died and Parley remarried, but no children, Kib, Parley and Addie all died with cancer, Adelbert, Hilma's son is still living but is an invalid in the veterans hospital in Salt Lake City.

Our sister Idalia married Lester Covey and they raised one daughter Eva who by the way is also a grandmother about three times at the present time.

Father died in July 1900 and our dear Mother died after a terrible lot of suffering in the winter of 1929 at the age of eightyfour, Father was eighty one at the time of death.

They both belonged to the church of Jesus Christ of Laterday Saints and were very devoted to their church to end of their days.

In writing my life's story I shall endeavor to tell everything as I remember them, there may be things that others might not agree with but I shall tell them as I remember them and it is not my intention to harm or hurt the feelings of any one.