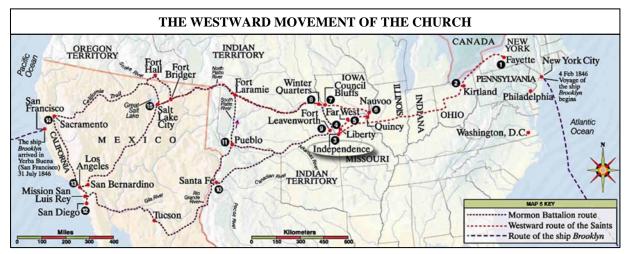
#1503 The role of the A-bomb in the Abomination of Desolation – Harry Truman and the Abomination of Desolation, part 4, Independence, Missouri, as the site of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints' New Jerusalem

Review: The United States of America as the New Jerusalem/New Israel. Unsealings #1417–#1434 comprised the series The United States of America as the New Jerusalem/New Israel. It included the understandings that the United States of America has had its own role in the prophetic and demonic spiritual realm as a Christian second *earthly* Jerusalem (and nation of Israel), but also as the *heavenly* New Jerusalem of Revelation 21-22.

The Mormons and their city of Zion. This is further evidenced by the fact that the Mormons (also known as The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints), led by demonic spirits, designated Independence, Missouri, the city that would become the home of Harry Truman, as the site of the "city of Zion," in this case also meaning the New Jerusalem.





Depiction of the Angel
"Moroni" revealing to
Joseph Smith the golden
plates of
the Book of Mormon

Immediately *below* is an article from another source about the founding of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and the role of Independence, Missouri, as the site of New Jerusalem.

The Latter-day Saints Church. The LDS Church was founded by Joseph Smith, Jr., on April 6, 1830, in New York. Joseph Smith legally established this early church soon after publishing the *Book of Mormon*. The church rapidly gained a large following that viewed Smith as their prophet. The growth of Smith's following was attributed by some to the convincing power of the *Book of Mormon*, which Smith said he translated



Depiction of Joseph Smith translating the golden plates with Martin Harris as his scribe

from a book of golden plates that was buried near his home in a place shown to him by an angel.

In late 1830, Smith envisioned a "city of Zion" in Native American lands near Independence, Missouri. In October 1830 he sent his second-in-command Oliver Cowdery and others on a mission to the area. Passing through Kirtland, Ohio, the missionaries converted a congregation of Disciples of Christ led by Sidney Rigdon, and in 1831, Smith decided to temporarily move his followers to Kirtland until the Missouri area could be colonized. The church headquarters remained in Kirtland from 1831 to 1838; meanwhile, the church built its first temple and continued to grow.

On July 20, 1831, Smith circulated a written revelation that Independence, Missouri, was to be the center place for the city of Zion. Though many of Smith's followers attempted to colonize Missouri throughout the 1830's and Smith himself moved there in 1838, the church faced political and military opposition from other Missouri settlers. After a series of raids on Mormon settlements, the church formed its own militia to defend its members and the Mormon War of 1838 ensued, culminating in the religion being expelled from the state under an Extermination Order signed by the governor of Missouri. The church then established its new headquarters in Nauvoo, Illinois, a city they built on drained swampland by the Mississippi River, where Smith served as mayor. There, the church built a new temple and thrived until Smith and his brother Hyrum, who was serving as assistant president and patriarch of the church, were killed by a mob in 1844.

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Key Understanding #2: Thus, prophetically, the Mormons, through designating Independence as the city of Zion – since the very name of the city ultimately points back to the birth of the entire nation of the United States of America – were essentially designating the land of the United States of America *as a whole* as the site of the city of Zion, or (in this case) New Jerusalem.

Key Understanding #3: The Mormons were led by the same category of demonic spirits that led others before them to believe that the land of the United States of America was designated by the Lord to be the site of a new Zion, or an *earthly* new Jerusalem, or the *heavenly* New Jerusalem, or New Israel.

Isaiah 44:28 (KJV) [Thus saith the Lord] <u>THAT SAITH OF CYRUS, HE IS MY</u> <u>SHEPHERD</u>, and shall perform all my pleasure: <u>EVEN SAYING TO JERUSALEM, THOU</u> <u>SHALT BE BUILT</u>; AND TO THE TEMPLE, THY FOUNDATION SHALL BE LAID.

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