

Lesson 6 Review:

1. **Foundation Covenant:** If you keep the commandments you will prosper, if you don't you will be cut off.
2. The Bible gives us the **ACCOUNT** of the Creation, Fall and Atonement
The Book of Mormon gives us the **“WHYs”** of the Creation, Fall and Atonement.

Lesson 7 Review: 2 Personal and 2 Scriptural Patterns

1. Pattern of a Prophet: Self Reflection and Prayer
2. Pattern of Happiness: Read Scriptures, Ponder, Pray, Keep the Commandments, Hard Work, Trust in the Lord, Temple Service
- 1 Pattern of Scattering and Gathering or Exile and Return
- 2 Pattern of Separation (Nephi from Lamanites, Abraham from Lot, etc.)

Book of Mormon Lesson #8: 2 Nephi 6-10

Tools: Layering, Birds Eye View, Role Play, Likening

Layer 1: Storyline Jacob gives a two-day sermon to the brethren of his people. He is concerned for their souls and preaches about “things which are, and things which are to come” so he reads them the words of Isaiah.(ch.6-8). He then speaks to them regarding the laws of God and tells them to go home and come back tomorrow.(ch.9) That night, Jacob is visited by an angel who tells him the name of Christ and tells Jacob of Christ’s earthly ministry and the future of his people, the House of Israel. (ch. 10)

Layer 2: Character/Setting Analysis

We Are Entering in.....

1 Nephi 19: 1-6 explains that 1 Nephi-2 Nephi 5 is the account of their journeys, and is sacred, but 2 Nephi 6-32 is the commanded part, and the MOST sacred part and contains the ministry and the prophesies.

2 Nephi: A Bird’s Eye View

Ch. 1-3 Lehi
Ch. 4-5 Nephi
Ch. 6-10 Jacob’s Witness of Christ
Ch. 12-24 Isaiah’s Witness of Christ
Ch. 25-32 Nephi’s Witness of Christ

Layer 3: Doctrine

Bird’s Eye View: Ch. 6-8 (Isaiah) Lay the Foundation for the Deep Doctrine in Ch. 9
What do **you** Learn about God in Ch. 7 and 8?

Ch. 8 Three Themes:

1.) I AM YOUR GOD! 8:15 2.) YOU ARE _____ 8:163.) _____ and put on your _____!! Put on your _____ 8:24

Layer 3 and 4: Doctrine and Personal Application:

Ch. 9--A Bird's Eye View/ Likening

- V 1-6 Many have searched to answer the question: *What Happens after I die?*
- v 7 Since there was a Fall, we will all die, and only through the power of resurrection will our bodies be saved. Also due to the Fall, we needed an _____ to bring us back into the presence of God.
- v 8-10 Yeah! God Prepares a Way for us to ESCAPE the clutches of Satan!
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- v 16 If we were Righteous, we will be _____ still. If we were Filthy, we will be _____ still.**
- v 17 Isn't our God just! His Law will be fulfilled!
- v 18 If we were righteous, our joy will be FULL FOREVER!
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- v 25-26 This is his Law. And if someone doesn't get this law, the atonement ensures that they are still resurrected.
- v 27 But you have the law! You have all the commandments! You better not waste your time on earth!
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- v 29-38 I will list some of the many ways he has planned to have you FAIL!
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- v 41-43 COME UNTO CHRIST! His path is straight and narrow, and He is the keeper of the gate and you can't deceive him--he will know your heart! If you are cocky and arrogant and worldly, he won't open the gate of heaven for you. Heaven is for the Saints.
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- v 45-48 Bretheren-REPENT! Come unto Christ! Prepare your spirits! I don't want to talk you you about these things, but I have to because you need to WAKE up to the REALITY of life! If you were holy, I'd speak to you about holiness--you're not, so I have to tell you about the eventual consequences of your sins!
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- v 53 God is great and this future branch of the House of Israel He has preserved is US!!
- Conclusion to Jacob's two day Sermon: 2 Nephi 10:23-25- Cheer up! At this point, you are still free to choose! Only through following Christ can you be saved! Only He has the power resurrect you and through the atonement bring you back to live with Him.**

Chapter 9- THE HANDBOOK of HEAVEN ROLEPLAY

(two people come up front to read the handbook of heaven back and forth like a script)

🌀 2 Nephi 9-- The Handbook of Heaven 🌀

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