

Brothers and Sisters,

Please also read the Post Conference letter signed by both Apostle Booth and me. It's a short recap of the Counsel approved at World Conference and accepted as Section 164 of the Doctrine and Covenants. I trust you will share this letter with your congregations; either reading it in a worship service to those assembled and/or printing copies and providing it to those who wish to have a copy.

In addition, the MCPs and Financial Officers in the Southern Field endorsed the Covenant articulated below. I trust you will encourage all the members and friends in the Gulf Mission Center to join together in ascribing to and promoting this Covenant throughout the Gulf Mission Center.

## **DISCIPLESHIP COVENANT**

Trusting in God's grace, we covenant with each other:

To listen to where God is leading us in mission.

We will do this through:

Praying individually and as a people  
Engaging in Scripture study  
Reasoning together  
Listening to our stories  
Reflecting on our tradition  
Providing pastoral care to one another

We invite others to join in this covenant relationship, believing that even though we have different understanding and beliefs that we are called to walk together into the future with God.

*The Southern USA Field Leadership Team and US Apostolic Team*

May God continue to bless us all as together we seek to follow His will in our lives.

Your Brother in Christ,

George Farnell, President  
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