

Springville City April 16, 1854

A Blessing by Emer Harris, Patriarch, upon the head of Edward, son of Jacob and Polly Hall, born 15 November, 1813, Middlebury, New Haven County, Connecticut. Bro. Edward, I lay my hands upon thy head in the name of Jesus of Nazareth even as stated in thy Chronology to confer upon thee a father's blessing, thou art a descendant of Ephraim and art entitled to all the blessings of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, even conferred unto Joseph, even conferred by his father unto thy father, thou art also entitled to the Priesthood which is come down from thy fathers even unto thee, and shall be conferred unto thy posterity after thee, inasmuch as thou art faithful, thou hast a great work to do, in the name of the mighty God of Israel thou shalt have great power given unto thee to convince the Nations of the Earth that sit in darkness, thou shalt have wisdom given unto thee, thou shalt yet become a counselor in Israel thou shalt be blessed with the fruits of the Earth and shalt be brought through great straits and narrow places, through mighty faith thou shalt be able to overcome all difficulties, thou shalt become a stay to thy progenitors, they shall yet bless thee as their father, and thou shalt have the visitation of Angels, many blessings are in store for thee the desires of thy heart shall be given unto thee and there is no power on Earth or Hell shall be able to take thee from thee, therefore my son be strong and fear not for thou shalt be able to overcome, walk carefully and circumspectly. These blessings I seal upon thy head in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

Emer Harris, Patriarch

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Edward Hall

Patriarchal blessing by Isaac Morley on the head of Edward Hall, son of Jacob and Mary, born Nov. 15, 1813, Middlebury, New Haven County Connecticut, Brother Edward, I place my hands upon your head in the name of Jesus, and I bless you in his name with a Father's blessing, I ratify all thy former seals of Priesthood for their fulfilment, thou art entitled to equal blessings with the seed of Abraham, I bless thee as one of the sons of Zion that thou mayst be numbered with them in the rolling forth of Christ's kingdom, there's a great work before thee, in redeeming thy progenitors it is thy gift by birthright to redeem thy Father's household that they may become heirs of Salvation. Preserve their welfare in thy memory, and thou shalt prosper in allthings thou shalt put thy hand to accomplish, both temporally and spiritually, the Lord had endued thy mind with the gift of meditation in this gift thou wilt receive the Keys of light, keys of thine exalation and the principles whereby man is to be redeemed from the fall, thou art of the blood of Joseph. Thou art entitled to the Keys of the Holy Priesthood which wilt endow thee with the gift of counsel with the gift of economy and I seal thee up by virtue of the Holy Priesthood unto eternal lives in the mansions of thy Father, even so, Amen.

Isaac Morley

Springville, Utah March 2, 1859

North, Springville Utah County W.T. February 4th 1851.

I blessing I give by John Smith Patriarch upon the head of Edward Hall Son of Jacob and Polly Hall born in Middle Bay New Haven County Connecticut November 15. 1813.

Bro Edward Hall, in the name of Jesus Christ I place my hands upon thy head and seal the blessings of thy father upon thee. Alas the new and everlasting covenants for thy art thine through right of lineage and by abundance of thy Gospel, live up to thy privileges and through shalt become a savior unto thy fathers house and also do a work, for many of thy kindred who have gone behind the veil and look to thee for salvation for though art the legal heir to the Kingdom holding the priest hood Thou shalt see many changes thy pathway hath been fraught with trials and difficulties, the Lord hath heard thy petitions, He knoweth the secrets of thy heart He is pleased with thine integrity and through shalt verily receive thy reward. Thou art numbered with the fathers in Israel and thine inheritance is among the Saints therefore look forward to the future with pleasure for better days await thee Thou art of the blood of Jacob Joseph and shalt receive thy blessings in the tub of Sabel Ephraim with thine inheritance among the Saints, notwithstanding thou art now in youth thy days and years shall be prolonged until thou hast finished thy mission and secured unto thyself the blessings of eternal life, if thou wilt be diligent and thou shalt be strengthened in body thy memory shall also be strengthened and thy vision shall expand and thou shalt comprehend the blessings in store for thee for the angel who hath watch of over thee in the past shall not forsake thee in the future and thy name shall be handed down in honorable remembrance with thy posterity from generation to generation I his blessing I seal upon thy head and I seal thee up unto eternal life to come forth in the morning of the first resurrection. Amen so Amen.

Stephen D Johnson Rec.