

### Ward Mission Message #3

Brother Moody asked if we would help introduce the new program the church has just introduced to help make it easier for members to refer friends to the missionaries and use a social media tool the church has developed like SKYPE or NET MEETING to even let you sit in on the missionary lessons to help the missionaries teach your friends when you do not live in the same area. If you will click on this link you will be able to see the video the church has prepared to teach you what to do:

[https://www.lds.org/referrals/?lang=eng&cid=email-MC\\_WML\\_070518\\_img](https://www.lds.org/referrals/?lang=eng&cid=email-MC_WML_070518_img)



## Members Can Now More Easily Refer Friends and Participate in Teaching

There's an exciting new tool that allows members to easily refer their friends anywhere to be taught the gospel as well as participate in teaching no matter where they live.

We encourage you, as a ward mission leader, to learn more about this tool and help others in your ward begin to utilize it in their missionary efforts.

[Learn more at lds.org/referrals](https://www.lds.org/referrals)

### **Prophetic Warnings**

Even before the advent of the Internet, Elder LeGrand Richards of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles counseled members to exercise caution in using technology.

He said, “The Lord has inspired men to invent these great tools. Now if we don’t use them to teach His gospel, Satan will use them to lead the people astray” (quoted in Boyd K. Packer, *The Holy Temple* [1980], 239).

There have been several talks in General Conference and in the Ensign about using the Internet to share the gospel. Here are a couple of them if you want to do a little more studying on what the church is asking us to do.

### **Sharing the Gospel Using the Internet**

Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Adapted from a commencement address given at Brigham Young University–Hawaii on December 15, 2007.

<https://www.lds.org/ensign/2008/07/sharing-the-gospel-using-the-internet?lang=eng>

### **Using Social Media for Gospel Purposes**

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