TEXTUAL PARALLELS TO THE DOCTRINE AND COVENANTS (SECTIONS 65 TO 133) AS FOUND IN THE BIBLE

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ABSTRACT

This study has shown that there is a textual relationship between the Doctrine and Covenants and the King James Version of the Bible in that out of 1240 of the 1999 verses examined in Sections 65-133 of the Doctrine and Covenants there were found two paralleled Biblical phrases or clauses. Varying in subject matter, these clauses and phrases were either similar or verbatim parallels in vocabulary, syntax or meanings (denotations and connotations) and, many times, in concept.

In analyzing the location of the sources of the textual parallels, it was found that the New Testament is much more similar in subject matter and wording to the Doctrine and Covenants than is the Old Testament. However, paralleled passages referring to the latter days are particularly abundant in Isaiah, Joel, Zephaniah and Malachi.

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D & C 130	Biblical
Vs. 15--therefore let this suffice, and trouble me no more on this matter . . .	6. Let it suffice thee; speak no more unto me of this matter (Deut. 4:26) SW,C;a
Vs. 17--the coming of the Son of Man . . .	SEE 130:12
Vs. 20--before the foundations of this world . . .	7. SEE 124:33 SW;ad
Vs. 23--a man may receive the Holy Ghost . . .	8. he may receive the Holy Ghost (Acts 8:19) SW;e
	9. they might receive the Holy Ghost (Acts 8:15) SW;e

D & C 131	Biblical
Vs. 5--The more sure word of prophecy means . . .	1. We have also a more sure word of prophecy (2 Peter 1:19) SW,C;e

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 1--Verily, thus saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
unto you my servant Joseph my servants Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Moses, David and Solomon . . .	SEE 66:1 ?
Vs. 2--I am the Lord thy God	1. I am the Lord thy God (Exod. 20:2; Ps. 81:10; Isa. 51:15; Hos. 12:9; 13:4) SWV;a
as touching this matter . . .	2. as touching the matter (1 Sam. 20:23) SW,C;ad
Vs. 3--prepare thy heart . . .	3. prepare thine heart (Job 11:13) SW;ad
Vs. 5--before the foundation of the world . . .	SEE 124:33
Vs. 6--saith the Lord God	SEE 78:15
Vs. 7--verily I say unto you	SEE 66:3

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 7--and sealed by the Holy Spirit of promise	4. ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise (Eph. 1:13) SW,C;e
the resurrection from the dead	5. the resurrection of the dead (Acts 24:21; 1 Cor. 15:42; Heb. 6:2) SW;ad
	6. a resurrection of the dead (Acts 24:15) SW;ad
Vs. 8--saith the Lord God	SEE 78:15
Vs. 9--Will I accept of an offering . . .	7. nor will I accept an offering (Mal. 1:10) SW;ad
in my name . . .	SEE 98:28
Vs. 9--saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 11--saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 12--I am the Lord thy God . . .	SEE 132:2
I give unto you this commandment . . .	SEE 68:33
no man shall come unto . . .	8. no man shall come up with (Exod. 33:20) SW;ad
in the world . . .	9. in the world (1 Cor. 7:33, 34; Ps. 73:12; Mark 10:30; Luke 18:30; John 1:10; 9:5; 16:33; 17:11, 12; Rom. 5:13; 1 Cor. 8:4; Eph. 2:12; 1 Tim. 3:16; 1 Peter 5:9; 1 John 2:15; 4:3, 4) SWV;wv
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
saith the Lord your God	SEE 66:1
Vs. 15--in the world . . .	SEE 132:12
out of the world . . .	10. out of the world (Job 18:18; John 17:6, 15; 1 Cor. 5:10) SWV;wv
Vs. 16--out of the world . . .	SEE 132:15
Vs. 18--verily I say unto you	SEE 66:3

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 18--is not sealed by the Holy Spirit of promise	11. were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise (Eph. 1:13) SW;ad
out of the world . . .	SEE 132:15
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
out of the world . . .	SEE 132:15
saith the Lord God . . .	SEE 78:15
Vs. 19--verily I say unto you	SEE 66:3
is sealed unto them by the Holy Spirit of promise . . .	12. were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise (Eph. 1:13) SW;ad
it shall be said unto them	13. it shall be said in that day (Isa. 25:9) SW;ad
then shall it be written in the Lamb's Book of Life . . .	14. they which are written in the Lamb's book of life (Rev. 21:27) SW;ad
out of the world . . .	SEE 132:15
Vs. 20--from everlasting to everlasting . . .	SEE 109:77
Vs. 21--Verily, verily, I say unto you . . .	SEE 75:1
Vs. 22--For strait is the gate, and narrow the way, that leadeth unto exaltation and continuation of the lives, and few there be that find it . . .	15. Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it (Matt. 7:14) SC,W;e
	16. Strive to enter in at the strait gate: for man, I say unto you, will seek to enter in, and shall not be able (Luke 13:24) SC;e
ye receive me not in the world . . .	17. ye receive me not (John 5:43) SW,C;e
Vs. 23--that where I am . . .	18. and where I am (John 12:26) SW;ad

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 24--This is eternal lives --to know the only wise and true God, and Jesus Christ, whom he hath sent . . .	19. And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent (John 17:3) SC,W;e
Receive ye, therefore, my law	20. Receive, I pray thee, the law from his mouth (Job 22:22) SC,W;a
Vs. 25--Broad is the gate, and wide the way that leadeth to the deaths; and many there are that go in thereat . . .	21. For wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat (Matt. 7:13) SC,W;r
because they receive me not	22. ye receive me not (John 5:43) SWC;a
Vs. 26--Verily, verily, I say unto you . . .	SEE 75:1
according to my word . . .	23. according to thy word (Prov. 119:25, 28, 41, 58, 65, 76, 107, 116, 154, 169, 170) SW;ad
are sealed by the Holy Spirit of promise . . .	24. were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise (Eph. 1:13) SW;ad
and he or she shall commit any sin . . .	25. When a man or woman shall commit any sin (Num. 5:6) SW;ad
unto the day of redemption	26. unto the day of redemption (Eph. 4:30) SWV;wv
saith the Lord God . . .	SEE 78:15
Vs. 27--The blasphemy against the Holy Ghost, which shall not be forgiven in the world nor out of the world . . .	27. but the blasphemy against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven unto men . . . but whosoever speaketh against the Holy Ghost, it shall not be forgiven him, neither in this world, neither in the world to come (Matt. 12:31, 32) SC,W;e
saith the Lord God . . .	SEE 78:15

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Vs. 27--saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 28--I am the Lord thy God . . .	SEE 132:2
before the world was . . .	SEE 132:11
was ordained by me and my Father before the world was	28. which God ordained before the world unto our glory (1 Cor. 2:7) SW,C;a
Vs. 29--saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
and sitteth upon his throne	29. he sitteth upon the throne (Deut. 17:18) SW;a
	30. God sitteth upon the throne (Ps. 47:8) SW;ad
	31. Solomon sitteth on the throne (1 Ki. 1:46) SW;a
	32. he that sitteth on the throne (Rev. 7:15) SW;a
Vs. 30--of the fruit of his loins . . .	33. of the fruit of his loins (Acts 2:30) SWV;wv
out of the world . . .	SEE 132:15
out of the world . . .	SEE 132:15
should they continue as innumerable as the stars; or, if ye were to count the sand upon the seashore ye could not number them . . .	34. I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore (Gen. 22:17) SC,W;r
Vs. 31--and the promise was made unto Abraham . . .	35. but God gave it to Abraham by promise (Gal. 3:18) SC,WU;r
	36. For when God made promise to Abraham (Heb. 6:13) SC,WU;r
of thy works . . .	37. of the works (Gal. 3:10; Rev. 9:20) SWV;wv
Vs. 32--ye shall be saved	38. ye shall be saved (Num. 10:9) SWV;wv

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 33--ye cannot receive the promise of my Father . . .	39. we might receive the promise of the Spirit (Gal. 3:14) SW,C;a
Vs. 35--Verily I say unto you	SEE 66:3
Vs. 36--nevertheless, it was written . . .	40. as it was written (1 Ki. 21:11; 2 Chro. 30:5) SW;ad
	41. where it was written (Luke 4:17) SW;ad
	42. that it was written (John 2:17) SW;ad
thou shalt not kill . . .	43. thou shalt not kill (Exod. 20:13; Deut. 5:17; Matt. 5:21; Rom. 13:9) SWCV;v
and it was accounted unto him for righteousness . . .	44. and he counted it to him for righteousness (Gen. 15:6) SC,W;a
	45. and that was counted unto him for righteousness (Ps. 106:31) SW;ad
	46. and it was counted unto him for righteousness (Rom. 4:3) SWC;a
Vs. 37--Abraham received concubines, and they bore him children . . .	47. But unto the sons of the concubines, which Abraham had (Gen. 25:6) SC,WU;e
and it was accounted unto him for righteousness . . .	SEE 132:36
Vs. 38--Solomon and Moses my servants . . .	SEE 66:1
of my servants . . .	48. of my servants (2 Ki. 9:7; Neh. 4:16; 13:19) SWV;wv
from the beginning of creation until this time . . .	49. from the beginning of creation which God created unto this time (Mark 13:19) SW;ad
Vs. 39--Nathan, my servant	SEE 66:1

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 39--out of the world	SEE 132:15
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 40--I am the Lord thy God	SEE 132:28
my servant Joseph . . .	SEE 66:1
Ask what ye will, and it shall be given unto you according to my word . . .	50. whatsoever thou wilt ask of God, God will give it thee (John 11:22) SW;ad
	51. Ask and it shall be given you (Matt. 7:7; Luke 11:9) SW;ad
Vs. 41--verily, verily, I say unto you . . .	SEE 75:1
my servant Joseph	SEE 66:1
Vs. 44--but hath been faithful; for he shall be made ruler over many . . .	SEE 117:10
Vs. 46--verily, verily I say unto you . . .	SEE 75:1
and whatsoever you bind on earth, in my name and by my word, saith the Lord, it shall be eternally bound in the heavens . . .	52. whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven (Matt. 16:19) SC,W;e
	53. whatsoever ye shall bind on earth shall be bound in heaven (Matt. 18:18) SC,W;e
in my name . . .	SEE 98:28
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
and whosoever sins you remit on earth shall be remitted eternally in the heavens; and whosoever sins you retain on earth shall be retained in heaven . . .	54. whose soever sins ye remit they are remitted unto them; and whose soever sins ye retain, they are retained (John 20:23) SC,W;e
Vs. 47--saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
for I, the Lord, am thy God	55. SEE 132:2 SC,W;r

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Vs. 56--my servant Joseph . . .	SEE 66:1
my servant Joseph . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 57--for I am the Lord thy God . . .	SEE 132:47
Vs. 59--in my name . . .	SEE 98:28
Vs. 60--my servant Joseph	SEE 66:1
saith the Lord your God . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 63--according to my commandments . . .	61. according to the commandment (2 Chro. 8:13; Luke 23:56; Rom. 16:26) SW;ad
Vs. 63--before the foundation of the world . . .	SEE 124:33
Vs. 64--verily, verily I say unto you . . .	SEE 75:1
saith the Lord your God	SEE 66:1
Vs. 65--according to my word	62. according to my word (1 Ki. 17:1) SWV;wv
according to the law . . .	SEE 72:15
Vs. 66--verily, verily I say unto . . .	SEE 75:1
Behold, I am Alpha and Omega . . .	63. I am Alpha and Omega (Rev. 1:8; 21:6; 22:13) SWC;r

D & C 133	Biblical
Vs. 1--Hearken, O ye people of my church . . .	1. Hearken, O people, every one of you (1 Ki. 22:28) SC,WU;a
	2. Hearken, all ye people (2 Chro. 18:27) SWC;a
	3. Hearken unto me, my people (Isa. 51:4) SC,WU;a
saith the Lord your God . . .	SEE 66:1

D & C 132	Biblical
Vs. 48--verily, I say unto you . . .	SEE 66:3
my servant Joseph . . .	SEE 66:1
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
Vs. 49--For I am the Lord thy God . . .	SEE 132:47
and will be with thee even unto the end of the world	56. and lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world (Matt. 28:20) SC,W;e
in the kingdom of my Father	57. in my Father's kingdom (Matt. 26:29) SW;ad
Vs. 51--Verily, I say unto you . . .	SEE 66:3
saith the Lord . . .	SEE 66:1
that I might require an offering at your hand . . .	58. neither will I accept an offering at your hand (Mal. 1:10) SW;ad
Vs. 52--unto my servant Joseph	SEE 66:1
saith the Lord God . . .	SEE 78:15
Vs. 53--For I am the Lord thy God . . .	59. See 132:47 SWC;r
and ye shall obey my voice	60. if ye will obey my voice (Exod. 19:5) SW;ad
unto my servant Joseph . . .	SEE 66:1
that he shall be made ruler over many things; for he hath been faithful over a few things . . .	SEE 117:10
Vs. 54--unto my servant Joseph	SEE 66:1
saith the Lord God . . .	SEE 78:15
for I am the Lord thy God . . .	SEE 132:47
Vs. 55--my servant Joseph . . .	SEE 66:1