The purpose of this article is to shed light on the 3 Degrees of Glories of the Resurrection, namely: the Celestial, the Terrestrial, and the Telestial.

According to the text in *1 Corinthians* 15:40-42: there are Celestial bodies, and bodies Terrestrial; for the glory of the Celestial is one, and the glory of the Terrestrial is another. For there is one glory of the Sun, and another glory of the Moon, and another glory of the Stars – for one star differ from one another in glory. So, it also in the resurrection of humankind.

All of these varying glories of exaltation are for the children of God to inherit, according to each-individual desire of happiness. *Alma 41:5*

Yes, everyone who chose to experience mortal life will get to live a probationary life (but more precisely... multiple mortal lifetimes to improve oneself) according to one's desire of happiness: commensurate one's diligence and obedience and faithfulness to God's principles and God's truth. For each probationary life is to be lived without compulsion – meaning, God will not force or compel anyone to live the Christ New Covenant, having faith in the Redeemer Jesus Christ – He who taught the Pure Everlasting Gospel: the way of life centered in God's Love... Love God and Love others as thyself – the very eternal law of heaven.

The *First Resurrection* is directed toward exaltation in the Celestial kingdom; this is an on-going process ever since the very first dawn of the First Resurrection when Christ Jesus was resurrected: He, Christ, is the *first fruit of the First Resurrection*. After Christ's resurrection, many other righteous souls have been (and are) permitted to the Celestial glory, to receive their resurrection or for some to await their resurrection.

But let us not get ahead of ourselves too much. We need to contemplate on certain key major events.

In the Heavenly Council (in the First State – PreMortal State), 2 great noble spirits were chosen to be the Progenitors of Humankind: Michael and Seriphia.

From PreMortal Life... Fast-Forward to the Creation of the First Couple – the Progenitors of Humankind Let the truth be told... the scene at the Garden of Eden focused on an event of epic proportion, for which all the spirit children, who chose to come to experience mortality, witnessed and understood, and shouted for joy:

- That the Clock of Mortality will start ticking at the Fall of our First Human Parents Adam and Eve.
- The First Human Patriarch, Adam (Michael), is a noble spirit: a valiant spirit to usher in the dawn of Mortality.
- The First Human Matriarch, Eve (Seriphia), is a noble spirit: holds a noble title for eternity the Mother of All Living.
- Both Patriarch Adam and Matriarch Eve are fashioned after our Heavenly Parents Heavenly Father and Heavenly Mother. Their beauty is magnificently and illustriously in the likeness after a God and a Goddess.
- Both of them, Patriarch Adam and Matriarch Eve, are wonderfully beautiful.

Now, a mystery that eluded most of humanity's understanding and awareness:

- The Garden of Eden is located upon this earth... this is not such a mystery.
- Here is the mystery clarified... both Adam and Eve received their mortal bodies along with a designated gender as a Male and a Female respectively, at the Second State in the Vineyard. This is the grand event that sealed Adam to be the great Patriarch and Eve to be the great Matriarch.
- For in the First State, in the Pre-Mortal Life, they did not have mortal bodies.
- In the Second State, in the Vineyard, both Patriarch Adam and Matriarch Eve, were given the command to multiply to propagate humankind. Such a commandment cannot be given in the First State since they were genderless and lacking physical bodies, they were spirit beings.
- It is here in the Second State, in the Vineyard, that the spirit children of God will move forward to a life known as Probationary Life.
- In this Probative Life, during the human birth process, the X chromosome or the Y chromosome is applied upon the developing fetus, defining one's gender, a Male or a Female.

Important FYI: Therefore, whenever a Spirit Being takes on a mortal body, a birth process will accompany a gender appointment for the duration of every mortal lifetime cycle.

A Designated Timeframe for Repentance prior to Mortal Death

• God provided the Time and Space for Repentance prior to Mortal Death and Resurrection

Moses 4:11-12,29-31 – ... Adam and Eve were expelled from the Garden of Eden after partaking of the fruit of the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil.

(Doctrine & Covenants) D & C 29:42 – ... the Lord God gave unto Adam and unto his seed that they should not die as to the temporal death, until the Lord God should send forth angels to declare unto them repentance and redemption through faith in the Only Begotten Son of God, Jesus the Christ. Therefore, the life on earth – a life of mortality is a probationary life – a proving ground for the entire humankind to develop faith in Christ the Lord and to live the Christ New Covenant. The Christ New Covenant is the only eternal covenant that will exalt humankind to God's presence.

Resurrection thru Christ Jesus

Death, where is thy Sting?

1 Corinthians 15:21-22 - in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive

Alma $4:14 - \dots$ being filled with great joy because of the resurrection \dots according to the will and power and deliverance of Jesus Christ from the bands of death.

1 Corinthians 15: 55-57 — O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? But thanks be unto God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Mosiah 3:16-17; Moses 6:52 – ...even so the blood of Christ atoneth for their sins... no other name given... whereby salvation can come... only in and through the name of Christ...

The Evil of Mortal's Pride

Alma 4:7-8 – ... the wickedness...which begun to be among the people... the people began to be lifted up in the pride of their eyes, and to set their hearts upon the riches and upon the vain things of the world ...

The Evil Attitude that a mortal often adopts for one's life

2 Nephi 28:7-8 – ... there shall be many which shall say: Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die; and it shall be well with us... and if it so be that we are guilty (unrepentant), God will beat us with a few stripes, and at last we shall be saved in the kingdom of God.

The Law of Resurrection / Restoration

Alma 7:21 - ... and it shall be in the last day, that he who is filthy shall remain in his filthiness.

Galatians 6:7-8 – Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.

• Commentary: beware on what you focus while living on earth: worldly things (of the flesh) or spiritual things (of eternal things)... reaping what you sow.

Alma 11: 43-44 — The spirit and body shall be reunited... shall be restored to its proper frame... shall be brought to stand before God... this restoration shall be to all... young and old, ... both the wicked and the righteous... and be arraigned before the bar of Christ... to be judged according to their works, whether they be good or whether they be evil.

Alma 41: 2-15 — The prophet Alma (the younger) expounded on the meaning of the Restoration: evil for evil, or carnal for carnal, or devilish for devilish... therefore, the word Restoration more fully condemneth the sinner, and justifieth him **not** at all; and the opposites are... good for good, righteous for righteous, just for just, merciful for merciful... and ye shall have good rewarded to you again.

The wicked are consigned to a second death

• The Fate of those who die in wickedness; The Second Death for Those who die in their Sins; The Miserable State of Those who willfully Rebel against God (including the Unrepentant Saints) Mosiah 15:26 – ... the Lord redeemeth none such that rebel against Him and die in their sins ... they who have willfully rebelled against God, that have known the commandments of God, and would not keep them; these are they that have no part in the first resurrection.

Moroni 10:26 – ... for they die in their sins... they cannot be saved in the kingdom of God ...

D & C 42:47 – And they that die not in me (Christ Jesus), wo unto them, for their death is bitter.

Alma 12: 13-14 – the awful state of those who hardened their hearts against the word of God; those who neglected to live the Pure, Simple Christ New Covenant – they who lacked true faith in Christ Jesus.

Alma 12:16 – ... behold, I say unto you then cometh a death, even a second death, which is a spiritual death; ... that whosoever dieth in his sins, as to a temporal death, shall also die a spiritual death ...

Jacob 6:6-10 – Jacob expounded on the words of Zenos... they who reject the words of Christ shall stand with shame and awful guilt before the bar of God... and must go away into that lake of fire and brimstone – to an endless torment. Yea, today, if ye will hear his voice (Christ Jesus), harden not your hearts; for why will you die in your sins?

An Invitation to a Sincere Repentance

Jacob 6:5, 11-12 – ...come with full purpose of heart, and cleave unto God... harden not your hearts... repent ye, and enter in at the strait gate... until ye shall obtain eternal life... O be wise...

The sweet taste of death for Those who die in Christ Jesus

D & C 42:46 — And it shall come to pass that those that die in me (Christ Jesus) shall not taste of death, for it shall be sweet unto them...

Live a Life of Conformity to God's Will

1 Corinthians 15: 58 – Therefore, ... be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord.

Colossians 3:1-2 – ...seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God ... not on things on the earth.

Ephesians 5:1-20 – Be ye therefore followers of God... walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us... arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.

Jacob 6:5, 11 – ... come with full purpose of heart, and cleave unto God... harden not your hearts... repent ye, and enter in at the strait gate, and continue in the way which is narrow, until ye shall obtain eternal life.

Types of Beings mapped to 3 Degrees of Glories: Characteristics, Traits, Tendencies, Preferences

Every mortal person develops, according to one's free-agency, personal characteristics, traits, and tendencies to fully express one's desires, matching one's desire of happiness.

Important FYI: One's desire for happiness is well-developed during the First State.

Question: How long did we live in the First State as Spirit entities? (Using mortal years as a reference for timeline.)

True Answer: We all lived in the First State for billions of years!

Another Important FYI: During our First State, prior to queueing for a mortal experience, we lived in the First State for billions of years (using reference in terms of mortal-years). During our childhood years to our adult years as spirit children (in the First State), we went on travel excursions to many other worlds that have already received their paradisiacal glories:

- We mingled with the locals (be it in a Telestial, Terrestrial, Celestial worlds): we conversed, we observed, we learned as much as we want to know.
- Along with our Guidance Counselors our special escorts, we experienced/witnessed firsthand how life were being lived by the local residents in the various paradisiacal worlds.

Another Important FYI: That the earth is created only in 6 days is symbolic in nature; the 6 days refer to stages of creation. The creation of the entire earth took billions of mortal-years to become habitable for humankind. Therefore, as spirit children we waited for billions of years before we are able to progress to mortal life.

- It is during these many visits to these glorified worlds, did we developed our own, individual preferences as to which 'type of happiness' uniquely suit each of us which lifestyle is best for oneself.
- The locals in the Telestial, Terrestrial, and Celestial worlds are eager to receive visitations from spirit children of Heavenly Father; for they too have gone thru similar process during their First State. These locals are happy in sharing their personal experiences that led to their respective decision as to which 'eternal lifestyle' suit each of them.

Very Important FYI: In God's perspective, it is perfectly acceptable for a child to choose any of the paradisiacal glories: be it a Telestial, a Terrestrial, or a Celestial. Our Heavenly Parents support every child's choice of eternal kingdom for one's eternal happiness.

| Types of Humanity - Beings: Major Characteristics, Traits, Tendencies, Preferences | Celestial | Terrestrial | Telestial | Remained Spirit in the First State |
|---|-----------|-------------|-----------|--|
| . Mortal Experiences | Yes | Yes | Yes | None |
| . These are they who want to be served by others They only competitions and prefer to be champions; to have the | | | | |
| They enjoy competitions and prefer to be champions: to have the bragging rights (sports, computer/video games, etc.) therefore, they spend lots of time in improving their skills They want to be treated as Kings, Queens, Princes, Princesses, Stars They desire / enjoy prestigious Titles and Positions They likely to have strong followers in social media: for they crave for such recognitions They prefer to party They desire expensive / finer things in life: luxurious homes, cars, gadgets, etc. | | | Yes | |
| . They want to have the newest gadgets in the entire neighborhood . Common Mentality: I prefer a full-service catering and to have servants to look after my needs. | | | | |
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| . These are they who want to serve themselves . They prefer to do things for themselves . They are very creative . They do not care so much about what others think of their creativity . They do not require servants to do things for them | | Yes | | |
| . They are very independent . They want to do things their way preferably without any help from others . They march and move according to their own drumbeat . Though they do not seek praise from others, they appreciate recognitions from others | | | | |
| . Common Mentality: I prefer to do things on my own | | | | |

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| . These are they who want to serve humanity the best way possible | | | | |
| . They prefer to help others to meet others' needs | | | | |
| . They willingly serve others | Yes | | | |
| . They work to benefit others more than themselves | | | | |
| . They do not seek recognitions or accolades | | | | |
| . They prefer to be the workers, doing what is best for all | | | | |
| . They are not into prestigious Titles or Positions | | | | |
| . They prefer to serve than to be served | | | | |
| . They do not require or desire to be holding any leadership positions | | | | |
| . They are comfortable working in the trenches, in the mud or pit | | | | |
| . They tend to sacrifice personal comfort to meet others' needs | | | | |
| . They help alleviate others from difficult predicaments | | | | |
| . They prefer not to be on any spot-light | | | | |
| . Being on stealth-mode is the most preferable choice | | | | |
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| . Common Mentality: How can I assist others/humanity | | | | |
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For the Kingdom of God is within You

Each mortal person is her/his own captain of one's destiny. You choose a type of eternal life that suit you best.

Very Important FYI: Our Heavenly Parents do not choose the type of eternal lifestyle for any of their children. Each child will make the selection for oneself, via one's free-agency, without compulsion.

Another Important FYI: Our Heavenly Parents love for their children is not diminished, all children are equally loved – absolutely no preferential treatment or favoritism for one child over another, regardless of one's choice of paradisiacal glory.

Luke 17:20-21 – ... the kingdom of God is within you.

Matthew 6:21 – For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

Alma 41:5 – The one raised to happiness according to his desire of happiness...

The Resurrected States

1 Corinthians 2:9-10 – ... Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by His Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God.

Regardless of paradisiacal world one chooses, the awesomeness of what God had prepared is beyond any mortal's imagination... for the goodness of God is manifested abundantly to all of the glorified worlds. For it is God's goal to bring about the eternal joy for all His children, according to one's choice of happiness.

Very Important FYI: Every child of God must learn to live (abide) by the Christ New Covenant, to Love God and to Love others as thyself, in order to inherit one of the God's kingdoms – be it Celestial, Terrestrial, or Telestial.

All workers in the vineyard wear a symbolic apron: this apron has 9 leaves – there are 3 leaves that represent the Celestial workers; there are 3 leaves that represent the Terrestrial workers; and there are 3 leaves that represent the Telestial workers. The term 'work' accomplished by a worker in the vineyard is the desire of happiness that one lives by while living in the vineyard.

Therefore, it is here in the vineyard (on earth) that a person seals one's desire of happiness for eternity. Thus, there are bodies Celestial, Terrestrial, and Telestial... these are the various degrees of glories for the resurrection of humankind.

Another Important FYI: Within each resurrection glory (Celestial, Terrestrial, or Telestial), there are 3 levels of exaltation: thus, 3 glories x 3 levels of exaltation = 9 leaves.

By having these many levels of exaltation, the desire of happiness for all those who will inherit any of God's kingdoms shall be accommodated. Note: there will never be a 'boring day' ever in all levels of exaltation.

The Celestial Kingdom – the Glory of the Sun

The First Resurrection is reserved for those who will inherit the Celestial kingdoms.

- These are they whose desire of happiness is to propagate humanity from eternity to eternity.
- These are they who take on the responsibility of being **servants** to all humanity.
- These are they who will have eternal increase in terms of the ability to have spirit children.
- These are they who will serve those who reside in the Terrestrial kingdoms.
- These are they who will serve those who reside in the Telestial kingdoms.
- These are they who will serve as Guidance Counselors to the new batch of spirit children.
- These are they who will assist in creating new earths, new Telestial kingdoms, new Terrestrial kingdoms, and new Celestial kingdoms. These are the Creators.
- These are they who are not only Creators, but they are also Servants of Humanity.
- These are they, of their own choosing, will select a gender, to be a male or a female.
- One unique choice (an option) for those who inherit the Celestial kingdom, is the choice to be a non-gender and to stay single.

• The Terrestrial Kingdom – the Glory of the Moon

The Second Resurrection is reserved for those who will inherit the Terrestrial kingdoms.

- These are they whose desire of happiness is to serve themselves.
- These are they who can create their **virtual** worlds, nations, communities, castles, gardens, etc.
- These are they who are allowed to create their own pets of their own choosing, non-destructive pets.
- These are they who are very creative, and enjoy making many types of creative scenarios.
- These are they, of their own choosing, may request assistance from a Celestial being to complete their respective special-creative projects.
- These are they who enjoy displaying their creativity, and yet they do not seek approvals from others;
 however, they do appreciate receiving accolades from visitors.
- These are they who enjoy visiting friends and neighbors, and compare creative notes appreciating one another's creativity.
- These are they who remain single, being genderless... no posterity.

The Telestial Kingdom – the Glory of the Star: as one star differ in glory from any other star

The Third Resurrection is reserved for those who will inherit the Telestial kingdoms.

- These are they whose desire of happiness is to be served.
- These shall be treated as kings, queens, princes, princesses, and/or stars.
- These enjoy receiving/giving gifts.
- These enjoy attending/giving lavish parties... all work done or arranged by Celestial beings who serve this Telestial community.
- These shall live in very luxurious mansions.
- These enjoy visiting with friends/neighbors.
- These are they whose needs are met immediately by just thinking of such needs. These needs are met by Celestial beings who cater to all their needs.
- Walking on water (or staying under water to enjoy marine life) and able to float on air (flying with the birds) are common fun activities.
- These enjoy receiving accolades from others.
- These enjoy having a strong social-media followings.
- These are they who basically are on a 'vacation mode' like being served with more than a 10-star luxurious-catering service for eternity.
- These are they who are non-creators. For everything is created for them by Celestial beings.
- These are they who remain single, being genderless... no posterity.

The Outer Darkness – No Kingdom of Glory

The awful state of the unrepentant or the rebellious individuals.

- These are they who are thrust down to hell. Matthew 22:13; 1 Nephi 14:3-4; 2 Nephi 26:10
- These are they who are evil doers.
- These are they who do not know the True Jesus Christ, for they are living False-Unholy Religions, neglecting the Christ New Covenant. *Matthew 7:21-23*

A Word of Warning to the LDS Community

To my dear sisters and brothers in the LDS Community... speaking in a matter-of-factly and directly, according to the promptings of the Holy Spirit of the True God:

- Your so-called Temple ordinances / Temple works will NOT exalt you. Such temple works will bring condemnation upon your heads for living a False-Corrupt-Unholy Religion of the arm of flesh, inspired by Lucifer... a sure way to eternal damnation! The LDS faith is based on falsehood.
- In your Temple ceremony... you are promised to become Kings and Queens, Priests and Priestesses... such elevated and lofty Titles/Positions are absolutely misdirected and false.
- In your Temple ceremony... you are placed into a covenant to consecrate all your life, wealth, talents, time, etc. to the LDS-Church Corporation... such a covenant is absolutely Luciferian: a man-made covenant inspired by Lucifer, using the name of Christ in vain. Truly, a sure way to eternal damnation!
- The Tithing as Entrance Fee to LDS Temples, to receive 'Saving/Exaltation Ordinances' for the living and for the dead, is nothing but an Indulgence Payment paying for your salvation/exaltation... another sure way to eternal damnation! **FYI**: The True Christ's salvation is never for sale. 3 Nephi 27:32
- Per LDS-religious tenet, your temple sealing of family (& children) will become your 'eternal family' –
 such tenet is false. A mortal couple cannot produce eternal children! You are all deceived by Lucifer!

FYI: Your spirit siblings (mortal children) will never become your 'Eternal Children.' Hopefully, you can understand this truth. Stop being deceived by Lucifer and his agents: the LDS Sanhedrin & Pharisees.

 According to your LDS-religious tenet (even preached by General Authorities-GA in a General Conference), in one's journey to heaven... a saint must know-give the Temple signs/tokens to heavenly sentinels to enter God's presence – such tenet is absolutely wickedly-false.

Important FYI: the devout LDS sisters/brothers, specially those who hold temple-recommends or access cards (those aspiring to become Kings/Queens-Priests/Priestesses), *do not know* the True Jesus Christ.

Important FYI: The True Jesus Christ abolished all temple ceremonies/ordinances – aka. These temple ordinances collectively are the 'school master' required to discipline those wicked Israelites who refused to speak to God directly, and they refused to live by the Higher Law (Christ New Covenant).

Similarly, Joseph Smith Jr introduced the original LDS Temple ordinances to the wicked saints who refuse to live/follow the simplicity of the Christ New Covenant. Like the Jewish Sanhedrin-Pharisees, the LDS GA — starting with Brigham Young (and all cohorts) — the LDS prophets-seers-revelators — the LDS Sanhedrin-Pharisees are all Blind Guides, and are all False shepherds and False christ... all vendors of Salvation using the name of Christ in vain: they lead the saints to eternal damnation. 2 Nephi 28:19-21; 3 Nephi 27:32; Isaiah 56:10-12

Very Important Recommendation: Read-Study-Ponder-Pray-Fast and Listen to the True Holy Ghost regarding the Christ New Covenant, the Words of Isaiah, Prophecies in the Scriptures, and the Articles highlighted in this website – www.ClarionVoice.org Do not be Blind and Ignorant of God's Truth, God's Intelligence-God's Words... For with God's Words, along with Prayer and Fasting, one can defeat Lucifer and his temptations.

Concluding Remarks

In the Garden of Eden, God placed an enmity between Humanity and Lucifer/Devil: This gives Lucifer power to tempt mortals to wickedness, but mortals, with the Word of God (God's Intelligence / God's Truth), have the power to defeat Lucifer and his temptations. *Genesis 3:15; Romans 16:20; Moses 4:21*

In this theater of life, called mortality, in the vineyard, is where we mortals need to learn to exercise our respective, personal free-agency to live a life of conformity to the True Gospel of Jesus Christ – the Christ New Covenant.

Our Heavenly Parents are the ones who first taught us the everlasting Gospel to have love one to another — this is the very eternal law of heaven that every mortal must learn to abide in order to inherit any of the paradisiacal glories for eternity. Jesus the Christ, the great Redeemer, showed us the *Way of Life* (aka. the Christ New Covenant) — the very manner of everyday living we ought to live each day. The Holy Ghost is here upon the earth to guide, to inspire, to testify, to bless, to teach and enlighten, to bring to remembrance, to sanctify and seal, to test, to convict, to comfort, to protect, to quicken God's children to the eternal truth and to enjoy God's goodness for all humanity, bearing witness of God the Father and of the Son, Jesus Christ.

Furthermore, the True Jesus Christ came to the world to serve humanity. The Savior Christ the Lord called disciples to be servants of humanity. *Philippians 2:6-7; John 12:26; Rod of Iron 1:2*

The life of the True Christ is a life of service of love — having charity for all. In order to follow the True Jesus Christ, we must learn to serve one another with love: Thou shalt love God and thy neighbors as thyself. Galatians 5:13-14; Mark 12:29-31; Rod of Iron 1:18 ... The very Eternal Law of the Kingdom of Heaven.