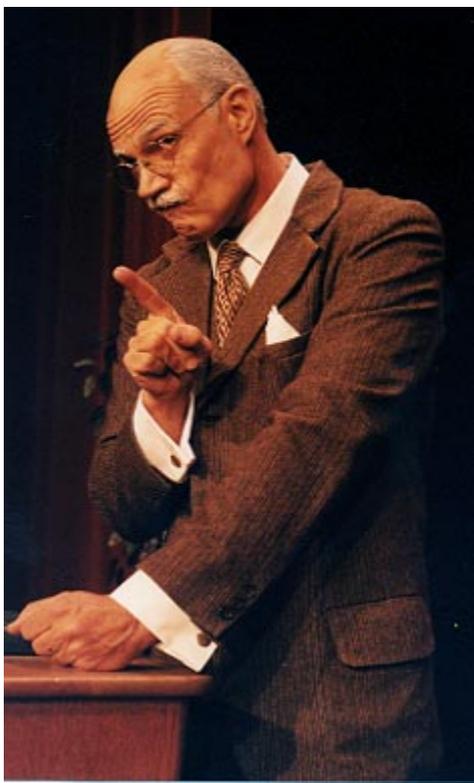


# Miracles





# J. Golden Kimball

I remember a long time ago when [they] launched the Era [magazine]. I was on a trip with Apostle Francis M. Lyman— The people had not seen an Apostle for twenty years, and it was Sunday, a fast day. Meetings were begun in the morning and they kept them up all day, and we were fasting. I was pretty nearly dead at four o'clock.

After four o'clock Brother Lyman said, "Now, Brother Kimball, get up and tell them about the Era [magazine]." ... I said: "All you men that will take the Era if we will let you go home, rise your right hand." There was not a single man who did not raise his hand and subscribed and paid \$2.00 cash for the Era.

Brother Lyman said: "That is the brightest thing you ever did." I do not claim that was inspiration; it was good psychology. Really they paid \$2.00 to get out.

World's View



Gospel



Reinforces

# But, why miracles?

Matthew 20:30–34



# Legion

Luke 8: 26–35



Question

**What are  
our  
demons?**



# Elder Russell Nelson

“Addiction surrenders later freedom to choose. Through chemical means, one can literally become disconnected from his or her own will”

(in Conference Report, Oct. 1988, 7; or *Ensign*, Nov. 1988, 7).



A photograph of Jesus with long dark hair and a beard, wearing a white robe, reaching out to touch the forehead of a woman. The woman is wearing a brown headscarf and a white garment. They are in a rustic, outdoor setting with stone walls and other people in the background. The lighting is warm and natural.

Principle

Unclean Spirits leave  
when the Savior casts  
them out...

# The Rest of the Story

**Luke 8:27**



# St. Hugh Nibley

- ▶ Nibley further explains that in Arabic culture, "When a person is running away, he runs to the tent of any great sheikh he can find. He goes in and kneels down before the sheikh and says:

"I am thy suppliant." The sheikh is then obligated to put his caftan over his katef which is the same as shoulder--to put the hem of his garment over his shoulder and say...

'This is your tent, this is your family.'...He says, 'We'll make a place for you.' Then the lord or the chief is under obligation to defend you against the enemies that are chasing you. You are now under his protection, and he will protect you."

(Meridian Magazine Feb 4, 2011)



# One more lesson...



## Mark 5:22